

## The Heights Primary School

### Reception Parent Planner: Week 4



Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is: **All About Me, All About Us** Our Focus this week is: **My body**

Our sounds this week are: /ck/e/u/r/

Our numbers this week are: formation of 7, 8

This week we will be covering the following in our seven areas of learning:

Communication and Language	Express our needs, views and feelings. Listen and respond to ideas, needs, views, feelings expressed by others.
Personal Social and Emotional Development	Similarities and differences between ourselves and others. We are all special, we have different views, needs and feelings. We are all good at different things and sometimes need help.
Physical Development	Multi-skills PE session. Dough Disco to develop gross and fine motor strength and coordination. Letter/number formation
Literacy	Oral blending (reading) and segmenting (spelling) of CVC words eg. man, sit, dog, mop etc. Write labels for our models. Make labels for parts of the body
Mathematics	2D shape - name and talk about features, look for examples in the environment
Expressive Arts and Design	Explore junk modelling
Understanding the World	My body - what can it do? How can I move?

Please support your child by practising the sounds in their phonics book and helping them to explore and read their school reading book every day for 5-10 minutes using the guide in their Reading communication diary.

You can also help your child with their learning this week by..... *Looking for 2D shapes in the environment...*

#### **Parent and child challenge for the term!**

*Can you help your child to ... find a way transport an acorn across a table? Any photos of your attempts would be welcomed!*

If you have any questions about how to help your child with their learning please see your child's teacher. If you would like to become more involved in school life please see the PTA website: and/or speak to your child's teacher about any skills that you have that could be used in school. We are always looking at ways to include our talented parent's in school life. You may like to check out the following useful website for pronunciations of phonetic sounds:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IwJx1NSineE&feature=related> as recommended in our recent Parent talk.

Best wishes

The Foundation Stage Team