

The Heights Primary School

Reception Parent Planner: AUT 2 Week 2



Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is: **All About Me, All About Us**

Our sounds this week are: /ck//ll//ff//ss//zz/ and vowel rap
this week are: 13, 14

Our numbers

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

Communication and Language	Explain our ideas and understanding about harvest. Work with our talk partner taking turns to speak and listen. Use language in role play indoors and outdoors. Oral story telling: Little Red Hen
Personal Social and Emotional Development	What is harvest. How can we help members of our community. Understanding emotions - Happy and sad
Physical Development	Multi-skills PE session. Get changed independently Fine motor co-ordination: finger gym and dough disco
Literacy	Practise "sound talk" (oral segmenting/spelling), Oral blending (reading) to match captions to pictures. Oral storytelling and create a story map to represent The Little Red Hen story.
Mathematics	Comparing and ordering by weight, capacity. Solve weighing and capacity challenges and problems
Expressive Arts and Design	Harvest creative activities, Learn and perform our harvest song
Understanding the World	Explore and talk about harvest, where our fruit and vegetables come from, make a harvest soup and taste it.

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..... talking about their favourite fruit and vegetables - where do they come from? When are they harvested? How do they grow (under/above ground, on trees etc). Try some new fruit and vegetables.

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.

Best wishes

The Reception Team