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Dear Parents and Carers,

At the end of our second week of all the children being back with us, it's as if we were never apart for the length of time we were. The children have settled back into life of the school so well and are demonstrating impressive learning behaviours.

To add to their egg-citement of being back, we welcomed the 'Living Eggs' into school on Monday. We were thrilled when our first chick hatched early on Wednesday morning and then 8 others yesterday. We have 3 male chicks (yellow) and 6 female (brown). The children have been visiting them over the past couple of days and will do so again from Monday. Next week, they will be able to hold them too. Many thanks to Mrs Loveday and her family for offering to look after them this weekend.



Reception

We've had lots of fun learning the story of Jack and the Beanstalk and hot seating the Giant asking him all sorts of questions. We've been ordering 'magic' beans up to 20 and are learning a doubling song. It's been fun cooking bone bread, making green bean leaves and air drying clay beans. So many beans! We've planted sunflower seeds and can't wait to see them sprout!

Year 1

We've had great fun this week, playing 'shop' in our Maths lessons, 'paying' for items and giving and receiving change. We went on a Spring walk and looked at and discussed all the signs of Spring. We also explored the 'web of life' for plants and looked at the parts of a plant and their functions. We've started to learn about classification of deciduous and evergreen trees. This week, in English we've learnt more about spelling, punctuation and grammar and recapped compound words, questions and statements. We explored the past and present tense and considered nouns, adjectives, verbs and adverbs.

Year 2

This week we've used our creativity to plan and resource our own lesson about Chocolate. We really enjoyed deciding what our own learning objectives should be and how we could achieve the lesson outcome. In Maths, we've started a unit on measurement, starting with length. We looked at the different units of measurement used for this, then went on a hunt around school to estimate and compare lengths of different objects. It was really interesting looking at a variety of scales and learning how to read them accurately. We put a lot of time into our presentations for the Eco and School Council Elections and are really proud of them.



School and Eco Council Elections

The children put a lot of time and effort into their presentations to their classmates about why they would like to be a School or Eco Councillor. Congratulations to all children who have been elected by their peers to represent them.

Parent Class Reps

Many thanks for all the parents who attended our recent Class Rep Meeting with myself and Mrs Fallon.

Car Ports

Thank you to all the parents who came into school just before pick up on Monday to help pull the tarpaulin roof panels back onto the car port frames. We very much appreciate your help!

Wishing you all a happy, safe and restful weekend.

Mrs Edwards