



Reception News

17th October 2025



What we've been learning recently

English – Our learning about seasons started with the story 'Seren's Seasons'. We began by introducing prediction to the children and asked them to predict what the story was about by looking at the front of the book. This sparked great discussions about what can happen to the weather in different seasons, as well as what activities the children like to do throughout the year.

Maths – This week, we have been recognising the numbers 1, 2 and 3. This started with concrete objects by using our careful skills in counting amounts. We then moved onto using pictures and matching them to amounts as well as looking closer at the abstract amounts by matching numbers.

Wider Curriculum – We've had a very busy couple of weeks learning about lifecycles as well as looking in depth at the changes in seasons throughout the year. The children used their skills in art and DT to design and make their own four trees, representing each season in the year. We also had time to check on our bird feeders that we hung on trees for the birds last week.

Over the next fortnight we will be...

- All about pumpkins!
- Celebrating Diwali
- Beginning to learn new digraphs (2 letters that make 1 sound) in Phonics

Important Notices

Intimate care forms – Please make sure that you have filled in any intimate care forms and returned them to school.

Bake Sale – On Monday 20th Oct, there will be a bake sale in the hall. Please send in your bakes and any money for your child in a named envelope or money bag.

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Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

RB – Esmai, Ezra, Teddy and Jowan

RW – Belle, Lily, Seb and River