



Peek at the Week

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We have been learning all about Spring this week in Reception– and experienced “April Showers” first hand today!

As we begun our new topic Growing, we decided it was time to tidy up our gardening corner. We had a wonderful time investigating what was lurking beneath the soil. We opened our bug hotel, and moved in some residents – a coupled of ladybirds, a spider and a wood-louse! We have really enjoyed using a range of vegetables and herbs in the Mud Kitchen, the garlic especially was a big hit!



A reminder to ensure book bags come into school on **Wednesday**. This is our day to visit the amazing school library, and the children take their book bags with them.

Our Learning

Communication & Language Development

We have started Spring 2 of [Little Wandle](#) this week. This builds on what the children learned last term, and consolidates blending knowledge. Please continue to practice Tricky Words with your children at home! **Phonic information for Parents** [here](#)

Literacy

We are reading “The Tiny Seed” by Eric Carle. This book tells the huge journey one tiny seed makes and the many dangers it encounters along the way! We particularly like this book as the illustrations are so eye catching and interesting to the children.

Maths

In Maths, we have been exploring numbers beyond 10. We have played missing number games, where the children use their knowledge to figure out what double digit number is missing. We have looked at different ways numbers can be made ($10 + 2 = 12$).

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In PSHE, we have started the topic “Healthy Me”. During circle time, we displayed fantastic listening when sharing our favourite sport. It was great to hear how much the Reception children love taking part in PE, and activities outside of school–such as swimming and gymnastics!

Reception song of the week:

[Little Brown Seeds](#)



Star of the Week will resume next week!



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