



NEWSLETTER 15

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Dear Parents and carers,

Well we definitely chose our topic well this week, Frozen! We have been looking at the different animals that live in the North and South pole and have been using Little Penguin Lost as our text this week.

The children have been learning the story, using actions to remember the words. Our action for penguin is really quite lovely, maybe you could ask your child to retell you part of the story using the actions, it helps us to remember when we are involved in our learning.

We have been turning our role play area into a penguin kitchen by making large collages of the penguins in our story named Plip, Posy and Percy. Plip has a 'sockybug' in our story, maybe you would like to make your own 'sockybug' at home.

Next week we will continue to use our text as a focus for our learning about collaboration. Collaboration is so important for our learning in nursery and is a good learning habit as children continue their learning journey through school. We will be thinking about the penguins in our story and how they helped each other to find Plip's 'sockybug' when he lost it.

We will also be teaching collaboration by thinking about how bees work together in the hive to make honey. We will be making a bee display to help us remember how collaboration helps us with our learning. This will be in the hall replacing our perseverance display.

Notices

Unfortunately the drainage system continues to be worked on, at the moment this is not affecting us in nursery. Please ensure you keep updated with our school comms and text messages for any updates or information.

This week we have had reports of sickness bugs, unconfirmed chicken pox and tonsillitis in nursery. If your child is sick, they must remain at home for 48hrs. If you suspect any other illnesses please seek medical advice and let us know in nursery so that we can make others aware. Unfortunately at this time of year coughs, colds and sickness bugs are often present however we ensure our children wash their hands before eating, wipe runny noses and catch sneezes as best we can.

Please visit the lovely displays of Take One Picture in school this evening from 3.15pm. Children throughout the school have made exceptional efforts creating artwork, using mathematics and writing about the Magic Carpet Ride it would be a shame to miss it!

As always, please speak to any member of the nursery team if you have any questions or queries.

We hope you all have a lovely family weekend and stay warm.

Kind regards,

Mrs Burgisser and the nursery team.