



Reception Newsletter



14th January 2022

Fairy Tales

We have started the New Year with the story of Cinderella. The children loved watching the pantomime last week, which was Cinderella! We have been making castles and carriages with junk modelling, designing ball gowns, dressing up in fabulous dresses and tiaras and making our own story books. As Cinderella went to a ball we have been listening to the Blue Danube waltz by Strauss. We watched a Youtube video of the music being played by an orchestra and looked at all the different instruments.



Chicken Pox

We have had a couple of cases of chicken pox in Reception so please look out for any signs of spots! Children can return to school when the spots have scabbed over.



Food Bank

We would be grateful for any donations for our food bank please, any non-perishable items such as tins, packets, dried foods etc and basic toiletries such as toothpaste, soap, toilet roll etc. Also, please just speak to a member of staff if you need to visit the food bank.

Dates for the Diary

Enrichment Day -Friday 4th February (come to school in PE kit)

Intergenerational Week -7th-11th February

Bobble Hat Day - Friday 11th February

Break up for half term - Friday 11th February

Back to school - Monday 21st February

Phonics

We have been learning the digraphs ch, sh, th, ng and the words, hide, see, down, were.

Maths

We have been doing lots of subitising this week, looking quickly at a number of dots and saying how many there are without counting. We have also been sharing different amounts and finding out which has the most and the least.