

Welcome to Reception



11th November 2022

Remembrance

We have been learning about Remembrance and making poppies this week. We shared a story 'Where poppies once grew' and talked about soldiers that fought in wars. Matilda talked to Sapphire class about her dad being in the Navy, she is very proud. We will be observing 2 minutes silence on the field at 11am on Friday as a mark of respect.



Owl Babies

We have read the story Owl Babies and learnt lots of interesting facts about owls. We have been painting pictures of owls, creating collages and using our small world play to act out the story.



Dates for the Diary

18th Nov - Children in Need
18th Nov - Christmas Market
2nd Dec – Room on the Broom trip to the Playhouse (details to follow)
9th Dec – FOSSA disco 3.40-4.30 (Details to follow)
13th Dec pm – Reception Christmas play
15th Dec am - Reception Christmas play
(Details on how this works after half term)

Sapphire Class Steps

We have been using the entrance to our class via the steps, which I appreciate do become slippery in winter. However, we trialled using our other door this week and, to be honest it was a disaster! Letting the children out at the end of they day was really difficult and took forever! So, we are back to using our entrance via the steps! Thank you for being so patient and understanding while we tried this out! You are more than welcome to come and meet your child at the top of the steps or bring them up to the classroom in the morning.

Maths

We have been focusing on number 4 this week. Counting out 4 objects reliably, finding 4 on a dice, finding ways of making 4 by adding 3+1, 2+2 objects and finding numicon 4.

Children in Need

It is Children in Need on Friday 18th November. Children can come to school wearing spots or not and can bring in some pennies to cover a class picture of Pudsey bear as a contribution to this great cause.