

**Headteacher**

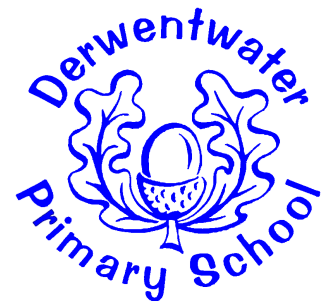
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**Week Ending 8.03.19**

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another busy week here in Reception. We have been reading 'The Little Red Hen' and learning how to make flour from wheat and looking and learning about farm animals and their jobs.

In Maths we have been learning about to estimate (make a clever guess) when looking at a group of objects and outside, we have been thinking about how many jumps, hops and skips we can do between two lines.

Yesterday was World Book Day and we got to meet Mr Jack, the Princess and the Pea, the skeleton from Funnybones and many other wonderful characters.

Congratulations to our stars of the week:

- Sharks – Mckenzie
- Dolphins - Fidelis
- Turtle – Mishael

Important Information:

- Resource Donation

Thank you to all those parents who have donated for our cooking resources. These donations will be used a lot this half term as we will be learning about food and doing lots of cooking!

The portal is still open if you wish to donate, £2 per half term or £10 for the year.

- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019
  - Stay and Play – Sharks and Turtles
  - Show and Tell - Dolphins

Dates for your diary:

- Red Nose Day – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019.
  - Children are able to come to school in their own clothes and bring in a donation.

Proud book ideas:

- Can you do some baking using flour just like the Little Red Hen?
- Can you write out a recipe that uses flour?
- Can you do some estimating around your house? How many pairs of shoes do you think you have?

We aim to ensure our pupils become well-rounded, successful people who are equipped for life in Modern Britain

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### **Next Week – All About Bees**

Next week we are learning all about bees and honey. The children will be using non-fiction texts to research and find out information about bees. We will try to make some homes for the bees and insects in our garden, go on a big hunt in the Global Garden and also do some sketches of flowers. For maths we will be learning about doubling. Children will be exploring the process for solving doubling problems using equipment, their fingers and mirrors. We will also be learning about lines of symmetry.

Key words:

- Bee
- Stinger
- Wings
- Pollen
- Bee hive
- Nectar
- Petal
- Stem
- Honey

Have a great weekend!

The Reception Team

Miss Lowe, Miss Spencer, Miss Gibb, Mrs Bachoo, Miss Delany and Mrs Joseph