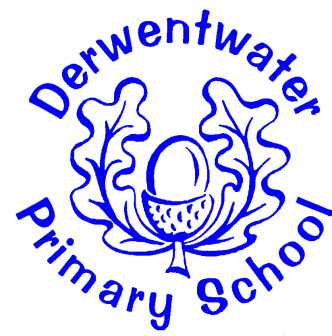


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29th September 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week the children have completed their first FULL week of Reception!

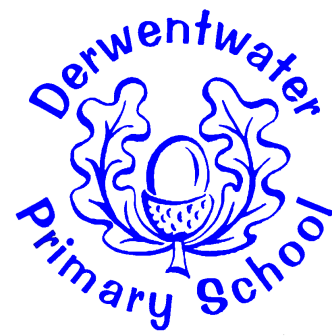
- We have been reading Elmer and discussing what makes us special and unique.
- We have been practising our 'Perfect Pencil Grip' when writing and drawing.
- We have been learning the daily routine for lunch time and heading into the dinner hall. We have enjoyed trying some different types of foods and using cutlery.
- Thank you to families who have donated tissues, these can still be brought in, classes also need baby wipes.
- Thank you for being on time for school. Children need to wait outside the Reception in line with their teacher and will be brought into their classroom at **8:50am** and need to be collected from outside the Reception gates at **3:15pm**.

Things to remember for Reception

		
<p><u>Book Bag</u> These can be ordered from the uniform supplier.</p>	<p><u>PE Kit (all named)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- PE Shirt- Track suit bottoms/shorts- Plimsoles- Spare underwear- Socks	<p><u>Water Bottle</u> Please ensure water bottles only contain water, no juice or flavoured water.</p>

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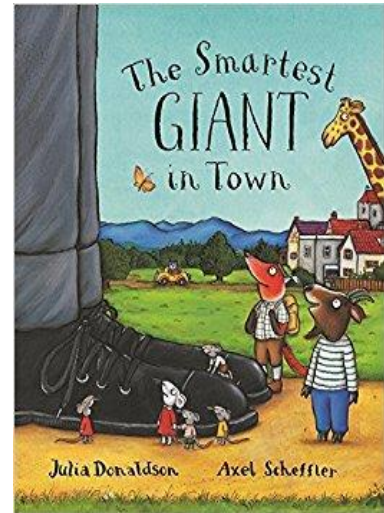
Next week – Beginning 2nd October

Focus Book – The Smartest Giant in Town by Julia Donaldson

Next week we are focusing on the book 'The Smartest Giant in Town', working on name writing and height. The children will be writing their own thank you cards, and making their own 'tall or short' giant.

Ideas for home

- Practicing cutting with scissors
- Colouring sheets
- Signing their name on their work



Keywords

These are words you could discuss with your child at home over the weekend:

- Giant
- Smartest
- Town
- Rhyme
- Scruffiest
- Sniffing
- Sad
- Mad

Safeguarding:

Please remember children need to be dismissed by their teacher at the end of the day. Please DO NOT call your child over as the Class Teachers need to ensure they have seen each child leave with their parent/carer.

Many thanks for your support,
The Reception Team
Mrs Hankin, Miss Cunnane, Miss Lowe, Mrs Bachoo, Miss Paxton, Miss Jenkins



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