



The News at Derwentwater

Headteacher: Venessa Nicholas



Friday 28th February

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to all families from the half term break.

We hope everyone had a great time, many children have come back full of excitement about their half term activities.

- This half term our topic is food. This week we have been discussing what healthy foods are and foods that are good for our bodies.
- In Maths, we have been learning about weight. The children have used scales to weigh different objects and observe which are heavy or light.

Ideas for your Proud Book:

- You could weigh different objects around the house.
or
- You could write a shopping list.
or
- You could make your own gingerbread men.



This week our stars of the week are:

- Turtles – Oisin
- Dolphins - Maryam

Week Beginning 2nd March

Focus Text: Little Red Hen

Key Vocabulary

Little Red Hen	Bread	Estimation
Grains	Flour	Dog
Mill	Cat	Duck

Important information

- Donations - If any families have boxes, cartons, yoghurt pots (cleaned) that they could collect and bring into school we would greatly appreciate this for our making areas.
- Resource Donation - We are asking for a donation of £2 per half term or £10 for the year from each child to cover the cost of cooking supplies and other non-reusable resources (e.g. bread for making sandwiches or flour and oil for making playdough).
- Winter Uniform - Please ensure your child is wearing appropriate clothes for school each day. Reception learning happens both inside and outdoor daily and children need to have hats, scarves and gloves to access the outdoor learning area.

The Reception Team

Miss Gibb, Miss Cornford, Mrs Joseph, Mrs Bachoo and Miss Paxton

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