



THIS WEEK

RISE Winners

Well done to all the children who earned a RISE nomination and star this week.

This week's RISE winners are –

Respect – Charlie Williams – for always being kind to his teachers and friends

Success – Aldo Di-Lella – for counting carefully and confidently during a maths board game

Handwriter of the week –

Florence Dunsdon

Our busy learning this week:

- Learning about different types of penguins
- Making our penguin Christmas cards
- Counting fish and showing answers using number fans
- Using the interactive whiteboard to draw pictures and patterns
- Following instructions to draw a penguin
- PE with Mrs Ballard
- Daily Class reflection
- Free flow with pre-school
- Outdoor learning

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Monday 30th September, Harvest Festival, St Mary's church, 9.30 am – 10.15 am
- Wednesday 2nd October – School photographer in school
- Wednesday 9th October – Coffee and Cakes, 3.15 pm, school hall
- Thursday 10th October – Village Hall Café visit - £1 donation please
- Thursday 10th October – Literacy information afternoon, 3.30 pm, school hall
- Friday 18th October – Maths information afternoon, 3.30 pm

Phonics workshop

Many thanks to all the parents who attended our phonics workshop. We hope it was informative for both you and your child. We will begin our phonics program 'Phonics Bug' next week and the children will receive their phonics book with new letters sounds. This will be updated every Friday with the sounds learnt that week.

Full time

The children have enjoyed their first full week in school and have coped very well. They have had some busy afternoons with PE lessons, making their Christmas cards and some free flow time with pre-school.

NEXT WEEK

Harvest Festival donations

This year we are supporting Cirencester foodbank after our Harvest festival. We would be grateful for any donations you can send into school. Thank you for your donations so far ☺ Urgently needed items are listed on the Harvest Festival letter that has been sent out. We will be going to church on Monday 30th September at 9.30am. Parents are welcome to join us.

Wednesday 2nd October – School photographer

The school photographer will be in next Wednesday. Each child in Reception will have an individual photograph taken. They will also have a photograph taken with their sibling/s during the morning. If you have a pre-school child and you would also like them to be in the photo please bring all your children to the school at 8.30am.

Helping at Home

Please encourage your child to read their reading book to you at home, as all home reads go towards their reading certificates. Don't forget to sign their reading record book and add a comment if you wish. The children have moved to Pink Levelled books that will include words.

