

# Home Learning



15<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Phonics, Literacy & Maths	Reminders and Next Week's Learning
<p>In phonics this week we have most children have been practising their blending skills through different games and activities. Some children have also been introduced to the phonemes /ou/ as in sound; /ir/ as in bird; /ph/ as in photo; /a_e/ as in tape and /oy/ as in toy.</p> <p><b>In literacy we have been writing about different events in the story of Billy's Bucket using a story map. You can find this overleaf - see if your child can use the story map to retell the story.</b></p> <p>During maths we have been weighing sea creatures using balancing scales.</p> <p><b>Your child's Maths Next Step &amp; Rainbow Words were reviewed this week and their progress has been shared. Please work on your child's next steps at home, some children have had the same next step for a long while and more practise at home is needed.</b></p> <p>Thank you to those parents and children who have borrowed books from the 'My Teacher Reads' basket. These books will continue to be available for the next few weeks.</p> <p><b>Just to clarify each child reads weekly in Guided Reading sessions, these are recorded but not in your child's reading record.</b></p>	<p><b>Next week our learning will be based on Boats. We will be sharing the story 'Jack and the Flum Flum tree' by Julia Donaldson. If you have any 2 litre bottles please bring them into school for a creative activity.</b></p> <p>It was Empathy Day on Tuesday. As part of our learning about empathy we explored the book 'The Rainbow Fish' by Marcus Pfister and spoke about characters' feelings and how certain actions might affect them. Try exploring empathy through shared books this weekend.</p> <p><b>Reception Sports Day will take place from 12:30pm on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> July. This will include a parent and child picnic lunch before the races begin in the afternoon. More information to follow soon.</b></p> <p>Our visit to Wroxham Barns is on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July. An additional letter has been sent out. Please pay the £3.50 contribution and fill in consent forms by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June to ensure the trip goes ahead.</p> <p><b>We will continue practising for the Reception Sports Day every Tuesday so ensure your child has clothing suitable for indoor and outdoor P.E sessions.</b></p> <p>Please help us keep your child safe in the sun by applying sun cream to their skin in the morning and provide sun cream, hats and water bottles daily.</p>



**Well done to all the children for showing great empathy skills when reading the story Rainbow Fish!**

