

The Round House Primary Academy

Newsletter

Friday 24th May 2024 – Pre-school



Welcome!

Welcome to the latest edition of our newsletter. We have had a very busy and fun half term. The children have been thoroughly enjoying their Phonics and Rhyme Time sessions. The Lending Library is being used very well. Thank you for all the likes, comments and observations that you have put on Tapestry. This promotes our parent engagement and will be a great memory for you to keep.

We welcomed a new cohort of children after Easter and they have settled in really well. Thank you to all the parents and carers that we have seen saying hello and welcoming the new families.

For the children continuing with us in September, we have sent out an email for you to confirm your sessions.

This half term, we have been reading the book, 'Commotion in the Ocean' and have been exploring the theme Under the Sea. A new Office Role Play Area is being developed following the children's interests. We have had fun cooking, gardening and making lots of art. We have decorated our own hand print window display which the children loved doing.

Next half term is going to be very exciting as we continue to develop as a pre-school and prepare our older children for their transition to Reception. We have a big focus on School Readiness.



Children starting school in September are going to be sent home a reading book letter for you to sign and return. They will then be given Phonics Reading bags to enjoy at home and prepare for reading in Reception.

We have been having lots of fun in the garden, come rain or shine. Weather permitting, please continue to ensure children arrive at pre-school with sun cream on (Factor 30 as a minimum) and with a named sun hat and water bottle.

After half term we will be moving on to the book 'Octopants' by Suzy Senior. We will continue with our Outdoor Learning and promotion of purposeful play.

Please remember to name all your child's belongings, to help us return them to you. There is currently a large collection of lost and unnamed property which will be left by the lunch trolley.

Thank you for standing back from the door at collection time, this makes it much easier for the children to see you, at the end of the session.