



The Round House Primary Academy

Fortnightly Newsletter

Friday 12th January 2024 – Pre-School

Welcome!

It has been lovely to welcome the children to our new Pre-school and to hear all about their holidays. They have settled into the new routines really well, and seeing all of their smiling faces is wonderful. Next week, we will have some new children starting with us which we are very excited about. We have also welcomed a new member of staff, Miss Carle who has joined Mrs Alecks (Pre-school Lead), Mrs Claydon (Deputy Pre-school Lead), Mrs Francis, Miss Mackintosh and Mrs Hill.

Our theme this term is 'Construction', and our current book is 'Road Works' by Sally Sutton. The children have enjoyed exploring their new resources and talking about the things they like.

Next week we will be looking at what makes a town and the physical features the children can recognize from our area.

Tapestry

Please bear with us whilst we set up all the children on Tapestry. Our main focus this week has been making sure that the children have all settled in well. You will be notified once your account has been created. We have taken lots of photos, including some from a visit from Simba, Mrs Bryden's dog which the children loved!

Coming Up

We are very fortunate that the nearby environment ties in so well with our current theme. The children will be able to create their own construction area outside using a variety of different materials. We will also think about the different vehicles that are used on a construction site. In math's we will be thinking about what 2D shapes can be used together to create different structures.

To link to the cold weather we are experiencing, we will be thinking about Penguin Awareness Day next week; this will include making a penguin's habitat, creating penguin pictures and singing a penguin song. In outdoor learning, the children will be able to create ice decorations where they can explore how the ice changes during the day to freeze and melt.

Reminders

- With the cold weather please make sure the children have hats, gloves and scarves.
- The Pre-School gate opens at 9:00am or 12pm, please try and be on time.

