



WHISTON WILLIS
PRIMARY ACADEMY
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Reception Class Newsletter

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News

Phonics

This week children continue to impress us with their phonics ability. Please support your child's phonic journey by recapping sounds and reading with them with the books provided from our Read Write Inc scheme, or to them with their reading for pleasure book.

Literacy

To start the New Year the children have begun our new literacy text, The Magic Paintbrush. The children have completed a variety of writing opportunities. art work and role play. It's been so good to see the children apply their ever-growing phonic knowledge into writing.

Maths

This week for maths the children continue to engage with activities that draw attention to counting. We have begun to count verbally to larger numbers, counting beyond the tricky teen numbers. Please access the Numberblocks at home which will support the work completed at school.

UTW

As part of our Understanding the World / RE curriculum we have been talking homes and comparing similarities and differences between our homes and homes from across the world. We use our literacy text to explore maps and the world around us, focusing on celebrations and different cultural traditions.

Reminders

Please remember snack is **£1 a week**. This can be paid weekly or termly. We have some outstanding so please speak to a member of the reception team if you have any questions.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @MrsHalsall02 - @MissChiocchi - @MissAtkin05 on twitter.



Thank you for your continued support

Mrs Halsall

Miss Chiocchi

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