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Cherry Class Newsletter

Another super week completed!

Last week the class spent time getting to know Kate who will be teaching on a Tuesday and Wednesday. Kate is looking forward to being back this week and already we have a lot of exciting things planned for the summer term.

On Wednesday, we started our new science unit 'Caring for our Planet'. We headed to Mike's Meadow and built little dens for small insects, field mice and other small animals that live in the meadow. We discussed the importance of looking after animals and caring for the environment. This Wednesday, the class we head back to Mike's Meadow to look for signs of spring by completing a scavenger hunt!

In maths we have moved on to learning about weight, mass and volume. The children are having a lot of fun weighing different objects using bucket balances and using the vocabulary 'weight', 'heavier', 'lighter', 'volume', 'capacity'. This week we continue with this theme and will look more at comparative language to reason.

This week we have two very exciting trips. Thank you to Gabbie and Sophie who will be accompanying us to the music festival at the Assembly Rooms. We aim to be back at 3:20 but there might be traffic coming back through Bath so we might be back slightly later around 3:30.

On Friday, we head to Bathampton to take part in the multi-skills sport's festival. This is always a very successful event and the children will enjoy a picnic lunch there. We will be walking there and back so please ensure your child has a water bottle.

Have a lovely week!

Georgie and the Cherry Class Team

Last week's teacher awards were awarded to **Willow** for always showing care and support to others and **Arthur HB** for always wanting to please and do well with a positive attitude.

The Star of the Week is:

Huxley



Dates:-

Monday – music festival trip assembly rooms

Tuesday- Kate's first day back with Cherry and P.E.

Thursday- parent's evening

Friday- Multi-skills sports festival

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -

a	/or/ water	a	/o/ want
Grow the code: /air/	bear	there	

We will be reading and writing words. *Can you see this week's focus phonemes?*

ball	crocodile	salt	watch
wear	wall	celebrate	animal
there	swap	always	swear

We will be reading and writing sentences. *Can you spot any tricky words? Can you see this week's focus phonemes? Can you read these sentences fluently?*

The ball always goes over the wall.

A crocodile is a wild animal.

Watch out, there is a wasp near your juice.

The hairy bear eats pears in the kitchen.

We will be practising tricky words. *Can you spot the tricky part of the word?*

who whole because eye people thought through

We will be spelling words. *Can you write these words? Can you use the correct phonemes?*

small difficult swap bear where