



Oak Lodge EYFS Weekly News



Spring term Week ending 8.2.19

Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you for the milk bottles and boxes for model making. The children have really enjoyed making their own creations. We had a fun week celebrating Chinese New Year! The children enjoyed peeling, chopping and dicing the vegetables and then we cooked a vegetable stir-fry. It was delicious! The children loved the prawn crackers too! Please see note below about a library visit next week for two classes. Thank you for your support.

Reception Team

Prime Areas

In Communication and Language, the children have been speaking about the roles of people who help us and how we can contact them if we need to and why.

In Expressive Arts and Design the children have been making lanterns for Chinese New Year and cooking!

In Understanding the World the children have been talking about Chinese new year and how it is celebrated.

Specific Areas

In Literacy this week the children have been continuing to learn all about real life heroes such as Police, Fire Fighters and Doctors etc. We have talked about their job roles and qualities needed for this and the children have written all about it. In Phonics, the children have been re-capping the sounds they have learnt so far and learning new phase 3 sounds. The new sounds they have learnt are:

oo, or, ar

In Maths, the children have been learning about 3D shapes. They have used the boxes that they bought in to make their own models whilst talking about the properties of the shape.

LIBRARY VISIT

We need your help!

Butterflies and Dragonflies Classes will be visiting The library next week on Thursday 14th and Friday 15th February afternoon. Bumblebees Class will visit The library on the first week back after half term. Please let your Class Teacher know if you would like to help walk to the library with your child's class.



This Week's Challenge

The challenge this week is to talk about different celebrations in different cultures. Discuss Chinese New Year and talk about the different ways of celebrating and why we celebrate at different times. Can they read the Chinese New Year story or try some Chinese food? You or your child can write about this in the challenge book!

Have fun!