

Reception Newsletter  
October 23rd 2020

Dear parents/carers,

**This week we have been...**

- Reading the story 'On Sudden Hill' by Linda Sarah
- Thinking of things that make us a good friend.
- Learning about 'more' and 'fewer' in maths. We have been counting groups of two amounts and comparing.
- Learning the letter sounds c, k, and ck. Children have had a go at writing these letters on their whiteboards. Children have had a go at spotting words that begin with these letters. We have done lots of practise reading short cvc words with these letters in such as cat, kit and sack.
- Learning the tricky words 'go' and 'the'. We call these tricky words as they cant be sounded out they just need to be learnt by memory! We have been practising reading and spelling these words.
- Having lots of fun for Dress Up Friday! Thank you for all your efforts and PTA donations. Thank you to the PTA for the kind donations of juice cartons and sweets as an end of half term Halloween treat.

**After Half Term we will...**

- Read the story Pumpkin Soup and some Autumnal poems
- Make some magical spells and potions to help us learn about capacity in maths.
- Start learning the song 'Cauliflowers fluffy'
- Revisit and review the phonic sounds we learnt in Autumn 1, starting back with s,a,t,p,i,n.
- Continue to practise our letter formation each day.

**Additional Information...**

- We look forward to seeing you back at school on Monday November 2nd!

**Over the holidays...**

It would be fantastic to see a photo or video of something that each child has done over the half term holiday, with a brief description, uploaded onto Tapestry. Hopefully everyone has access to this now!

**We hope that you have a wonderful half term.**