

Our Week In Reception

Friday 26th June

NEWHALL

What have we been learning?

We have had a very busy week. It's been great to see our home learners and school learners all complete the same activities.

This week we have been learning about light and shadow. We learned how objects are transparent (you can see through them), translucent (you can see the light through them but can't clearly see the object on the other side) and opaque (you cannot see through them). We looked at items in the class to decide how much light passed through them and categorised them into transparent, translucent and opaque groups.

Our bodies are opaque. We made shadows outside and our friends drew around our shadows. We made pipe cleaner people and had them doing shadow dances in the sun. We looked at our silhouettes and tried to match them with our pictures. It was so tricky.

In maths we have learning to tell the time. We made our own clocks and learned about the hands of the clock and what they tell us. We can practise these skills and can read o'clock times.

We have had a lot of fun in class, learning to play games such as Rhyme Robber and Snakes and Ladders.

Just a few reminders...

- Following Government guidelines, all the things your child has made cannot go home until it has been isolated for 72 hours. Therefore they will bring work home on a Monday from the previous week.
- All reading books are still on tapestry and bubbles are posting what their classes have been up to. Please look at these with your child.
- It is really important that all children bring sunhats, sun cream (raincoat if applicable) and a named water bottle to school every day. We are not allowing children to drink from cups at the moment.
- Please return all library and reading books to the box outside the gate.

