

## Rainbow Class Weekly News

### September 13<sup>th</sup> 2019

#### This week we have been:

- Continuing to settle into school life, learning rules and routines
- Learning about the role of a 'helping hand' and how to sit sensibly on our new carpet place
- Reading and discussing the story 'Peace at Last' and talking about noises that keep us up
- Listening to sounds all around us and understanding our sense of hearing
- Singing the nursery rhyme 'Incy Wincy' and counting back and forth to 8 and counting out 8 spider legs
- Learning facts about Spiders
- Continuing to show and tell our Rainbow Summer homework to the whole class
- Sorting things into sets by colour, size and shape
- Expanding our vocabulary by learning about positional language (above, below, behind, next to)
- Strengthening our hand and fingers muscles in preparation for writing with a fun Dough Disco
- Enjoying our first PE session and developing body awareness and core strength

#### Next week we will be:

- Reading the story 'We're going on a Bear Hunt' and 'Elmer'
- Hunting for numbers around the school and learning to recognise numbers that are important to us
- Understanding how we are all different

#### Homework

- Please enjoy the story book in their book bag. This book has been chosen by your child and it is for you to enjoy, discuss and share together, this well be changed once a week.
- We have provided everyone with a 'Busy Book' this week. An explanation of how to use the book is in the inside cover. Please look at the activities you could do to enhance your child's learning at home this week.

#### **Further information and Key Events**

- Individual photos will take place in school this Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September!
- Exciting news! Look out for the **Buster Book Club** information in your book bags and then next week a book mark in your reading records to begin recording your reading!
- We are hoping to enhance our outside small world play and would be grateful for donations of large stones or pebbles you may have or could collect on days out!

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- If you have not provided named wellies for your child to remain in school, please do so ASAP.
- We are always grateful for any donations of your recycled small cardboards and plastics for our junk modelling, please donate as and when you can.
- Have a lovely weekend Mrs Catmull, Mrs Miller and Miss Humberson

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