

## Willow Class Weekly News

### This week's awards:

Excellent Work: Fred for his maths

Values: Zion for his excellent determination

Hot Chocolate: Sawyer and Annamay for their huge maths progress

### This Week's Learning:

- We shared the story 'What the ladybird heard?' as a class and have continued discussing minibeasts.
- We have continued to observe our caterpillars in the classroom. We are still waiting patiently to see the butterflies hatch soon.
- To apply the spelling rules for **a\_e** and **ai** (yr 1).
- The children used paper plates to recreate their own designs of Clarice Cliffs 'Circle Tree' plate, using bright colours to paint circles.
- Maths- we have been halving, sharing and doubling numbers to 20.
- In D&T, we have been learning how to do flower threading.
- Music, we have been exploring soundscapes linked to the life cycle of a caterpillar
- RE- we looked at places of worship.



### Next week's Learning:

- We will be starting our topic 'Our Wonderful World'. We want to learn about the natural world. Also will be exploring different places and comparing what is similar and different about it.

Homework & Reminders:

**PE** will continue to be on **Monday** and **Tuesday** next week- please can your child come in their kit both days. Please remember to remove your child's earrings or bring tape to cover them!

**Homework-** can you support your child with their phonics at home. Reception children are currently consolidating learning of the sounds we have been practising in class this week:

[Word Time 1.6 lesson 6](#)

[red words green books lesson 1](#)

[Speed Minutes Set 2 lesson 5](#)

Year 1 children have been recapping the split digraph (special friends) and red words

[set 3 reading at home o-e](#)

[reading longer words o-e. oa. ow](#)

[set 3 speed minutes lesson 5](#)

Thank you for your support!

Miss Jones and Mrs Dudfield

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