

Willow Class Weekly News

This week's awards:		
Excellent Work: Georgia- Art	Values: Annamay- Kindness	Hot Chocolate: Sophia Seren
This Week's Learning: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● The children planted beans to observe them grow and change over the next few weeks.● Geography- we have been exploring maps of their local area and how to sketch a map.● Computing- we learnt how to type on a keyboard and use the toolbar to select the icons bold and underline (yr1).● Computing- we learn to type on the keyboard on the ipad (yr R).● We continued our PE topics 'athletes' and practised throwing and catching a ball.● Maths- building, sequencing and identifying numbers to 20 and learning to estimate a number (yr R).● Maths- we have been partitioning numbers into tens and ones. Also looking at missing numbers on a number track (yr 1).● Art- painting using natural materials such as feathers, leaves and sticks (yr R) and recreating artwork from Jasper John using primary colours (yr 1).● Sharing the story 'A Tiny Seed' and 'Jack and the Meanstalk'.		
		

Next week's Learning:

- Athletes in PE
- About Special places for Christians.
- Geography-Where in the world is China?
- Continue to observe our beans and potatoes to see if they have changed and grown.
- Yr 1- Printing with paints
- Yr R- Painting to music

Homework & Reminders:

Bank holiday **Monday**- school will be closed

PE will be on **Tuesday** next week- please can your child come in their kit.

Friday- Claybrooke's coronation party! Wear red, white or blue. Your child does not need to bring anything.

Homework- can you support your child with their phonics at home. Reception children are currently working on reading words with set 1 and 2 special friends. We have also been learning to read red words which helps to develop fluency.

[Review oo,oo ow](#)

[Red words](#)

[Hold a sentence](#)

Year 1 children have been recapping 'Special Friends and red words

[Review ea, oi, a e](#)

[Special friends set 3](#)

[Red word](#)

Some year 1 children have also been reading:

[Speeding up](#)

[ue words](#)

Year 1 Phonics Screening check:

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Year 1 will be taking part in the government phonics screening check on the week commencing 12th June. We will be practising reading real and nonsense words on the run up to the assessment. Please can you look out for different resources they will be coming home next week for you to practise at home. You can also support your child by playing games such as phonics play. [Picnic on pluto \(phase 5\)](#) [Buried treasure \(phase 4 and 5\)](#)

Thank you for your support!

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Willow Class teachers