



## Reception Home Activities Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July

We had such a wonderful time on our school trip this week and the children were absolutely brilliant! We learnt so many interesting facts about different sea creatures and the children have been busy writing sentences about the sea creatures.

This will be the final 'Home Activities' letter you will receive from us as we finish for the summer next Wednesday. We have had a fantastic year and the children have made so much progress, we are very proud of all of them. We hope you enjoyed reading their Report and have downloaded their Tapestry Journal to keep at home too! Please return the pink feedback form.

As the summer is a long break from school, here are a few activities and ideas to keep their phonics and number knowledge fresh in their minds for starting Year 1 in September.

### Phonics:

- Practise the sounds and tricky words they have been taught this year.
- Practise writing sentences and doing lots of letter formation! Maybe they could keep a diary about their summer break.
- Join in with our Sponsored Read to keep them reading their stories and there is also a great summer event on at the library too.

### Maths:

- Find numbers in the environment.
- Find shapes in their environment.
- Talk about number problems e.g. I just saw 7 birds but 2 have flown away, how many are left?

ICT: [www.phonicsplay.co.uk](http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk), [www.ictgames.co.uk](http://www.ictgames.co.uk)

### Tapestry

Please log in to your Tapestry account via the website to download and save your child's Learning Journal for the end of the year. You will need to select your name in the top right-hand corner to then select download PDF. Please see Mrs Miller if you need any support in this.

**Reading:** Please return all class book box books and library books by the end of next week. Your child's reading book will be collected today (Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July) so we can pass them on to their next teacher.

**Reminder:** Please send your child to school with a water bottle and a sun hat every day. If you would like them to have sun cream during the day they will need to be able to apply this themselves.