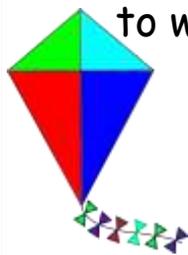


Southridge First School Nursery Newsletter 1st July 2016

We arrived at Nursery on Monday to find a mysterious present waiting for us. When we opened it we discovered a kite from someone called Penguin Blue. We had great fun trying to fly it in the big yard! Each day we read a bit of the story 'Blown Away' by Rob Biddulph. We found out about Penguin Blue and the adventure he had when the wind blew him and his friends away with their kite. We had to help Penguin Blue to get home again by using a variety of resources to build him a boat that would hold all the animals so they didn't get eaten by sharks. We talked about how to work well as a team and the children worked brilliantly together.



A very popular activity this week was bubble paint pictures. The children had to choose how much paint, water and washing up liquid to add to their cups then use a straw to blow bubbles in the paint. There were some very colourful faces at the end of the activity! The children had great fun exploring how much washing up liquid to add to get the biggest bubbles, but the best part for us was seeing the excited smiles on their faces.

In Phonics, the children have been learning about the phoneme /q/ and the sound it makes in words like queen, quack, quiz and quit.



The letter formation rhyme this week: round her head, up past her earring, down her hair and flick. Can you spot anything around your house beginning with this sound?

End of Nursery Celebration

On our very last day at Nursery, Tuesday 19th July, we will be holding an end of Nursery celebration event at 11am and 3pm. During this event the children will do a short performance for parents and carers followed by some refreshments and a final opportunity for your child to share their learning journey with you. We hope you can make it!

As the weather warms up can we remind you that all children need to have sun cream applied before their Nursery session at home or at wraparound as it is not applied by Nursery staff. Please also remember to send your child in with a sun hat every day, we have spare sun hats if a child forgets theirs.



Dates for your diary

Thursday 14th July - Nursery Sports Day 10:30am and 2pm
Tuesday 19th July - end of Nursery celebration 11am and 3pm
(parents/carers invited)

If you take any photos of learning at home, please continue to email them to Mrs Pringle: karen.pringle@ntlp.org.uk
Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you again on Monday. The Nursery Team