



# Chicks, Ducks, Hedgehogs and Squirrels News



## News for the week beginning

### What have we been doing this week?

The children have had a great week at school and they have been very busy learning about our new topic 'Dig it Up'. Each class has been learning about a different aspect of gardening. The Ducks have been making their own mini gardens, the Squirrels have been planting potatoes, the Chicks have been painting flowers and the Hedgehogs have been planting grass seeds.



### What we be doing

Next week we will be taking a break from our gardening topic to focus on World Book Day and Pancake Tuesday. The children will be tasting pancakes, helping to decorate their classroom doors, making bookmarks and listening to lots of stories! **We would also like the children to bring in their favourite book from on Thursday to share with the rest of the class.**



### World Book Day

Don't forget that we will be celebrating world book day on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** and we would like the children to dress up as a character from a fairy story eg. a princess, a knight, a bear, a wolf or a wicked witch. We look forward to seeing their costumes!



### Attendance Awards

This week's winning class was the Squirrels with 98.6% attendance. Well done Squirrels!



### Pop-in

Don't forget to come along to our next Pop-in from 9.15 – 9.45 on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March. The pop-ins will take place in the classrooms and will be an opportunity for you to come along and spend some time reading with your child. The children will be making their own bookmarks to show you at the pop-ins.



### PE Bags

We noticed that a few children from each class were without PE bags this week. Please remember that we do PE every Wednesday and that the children need a t-shirt, a pair of shorts and some plimsolls. Please also remember to label all of the items in your child's PE kit and t-shirt.

