

Just to let you know...

Dear Parents,

The children have been loving our zoo theme this week and the role play areas have been particularly utilised and enjoyed! They've been busy writing detailed signs for the 'enclosures'!

We've read the book 'Dear Zoo' and have used sign language and symbols on a story map to help enable the children to retell it. They've done a brilliant job of this, ask them if they can retell you the story this weekend. The children made some fantastic monkeys in art as well as creative junk modelling animals.

The Sportshall event for Willow is next Thursday 22nd March (Hazel's is next term) please don't forget to come to school wearing PE kit on that day. We will send home children in PE kit on Tuesday.

Please remember that next week is Sports Relief—the children will be wearing pedometers in PE and trying to get as many steps as possible. In addition to this, on Friday 23rd March we are asking children to dress in something sporty. It is entirely your choice of what to wear but please make sure it's warm enough to be outside in!



Reception Team x

Dear Zoo



Rod Campbell



Phonics

This week we have learnt the digraphs:
ou and oi.

There is an activity to do at home,
please see sheet in the jtlyk book.

Maths

In maths we have been looking at doubling. We used butterflies, ladybirds and mirrors to help us! Try to build opportunities to work on this over the weekend. For example, if you go for a walk and you collect 4 sticks, ask how many you'd have if you collected another four. If someone has three fish fingers on their plate, ask how many there'd be if they had double. We've also been working on recognising the teen numbers....see how many you child can spot on front doors etc...

Ladybird Doubling

Double the number of spots on the ladybirds by copying the same number of spots on the left hand side into the right hand side. If you can, write the number on the dot marker each one.

