

## JTLYK Reception

Friday 22nd March 2019

### Phonics

You will find a sound sheet in the jtlyk this week which includes the digraph sounds that we have taught so far. Please use this as part of a regular look at phonics. The 3 sounds we have not taught yet are air, ear, ure. We will look at these after Easter.

We have also put a cursive alphabet handwriting sheet for you to look at and practise with your child.

### Small Junk Modelling

Please save from your recycling bins this week any boxes and containers so we can make junk models! Tea bag boxes and smaller are ideal. Thank you!

**We hope to see you at the Bake n Stroll on Sunday!!**

**and finally ...No Wild Place Next Week ....**

... because of Sportshall Athletics however, please sign up for 4th April.

### Dear Parents

We have had a lovely week exploring and discovering the life of the frog! We were very excited to look at the frog spawn in the pond and loved learning how to draw a frog! We have also explored the life cycle of a frog ... talking of life cycles, we would love you to send (or email) in a photograph of your child as a baby. This will be used in conversations about what we can do now, that we couldn't do then ... as well as a 'just for fun' quiz to spot the child!

We are still keen to promote the children's independence coming into class first thing in the morning. Please try to say goodbye at their coat pegs. If you need additional support, please just let us know!

We have noticed that some girls who wear tights do not have socks to wear at PE time. Please provide a pair to wear as bare feet in trainers can be uncomfortable. Please also remember to name everything in your child's PE kit including the kit bag.

We really enjoyed showing off our 'odd socks' in aid of Downs Syndrome Day yesterday - thank you so much for your support!

Please remember the deadline for the House Art Competition is next Wednesday 27th March.

Happy Weekend!

The Reception Team :)))