



# Kelvin Grove Primary School

## Reception Weekly Newsletter

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023

### English learning this week

This week we have enjoyed our English lessons and loved reading 'The 3 Little Pigs'. We have spoken about different types of homes that we live in. We have also been building houses made from sticks, wood and bricks. We are beginning to use our phonic knowledge to write initial sounds and CVC words.



### Phonics learning this week

This week we have learnt the grapheme phoneme correspondences g, o, c & k as well as the tricky word 'is'. We have been practising how to write each grapheme correctly, using the formation phrases to help us. The children are doing a fantastic job!



### Maths learning this week

It has been so much fun developing our understanding of counting to 5. We have learnt different ways to represent, match and make 1,2,3,4 & 5, by having a 'birthday party'. We have counted 5 candles, 5 party hats and 5 balloons. We have also looked at how many more we need to make 5.



### Name writing

This week the children have been learning to write their names correctly. Please help your child learn to write their name using a capital letter at the start, followed by all lower case letters.

## Speech and language drop in clinic

If you have any concerns regarding your child's speech and language there are a number of drop in clinic sessions being held on a Saturday, up until February- see sheet attached.

  
Lewisham and Greenwich  
NHS Trust

Our Online Speech & Language Therapy  
Drop-in clinic will be open on the second and fourth  
Saturday of each month until February 2024

If you are unable to attend any of these sessions there are drop in clinics at a number of local locations Monday – Friday, which are held in the afternoon. Please try to attend these sessions after school if possible.

### Drop-in Clinics are held at the following Health Centres:

Monday 13:30-16:00	Tuesday 13:30-16:00	Wednesday 13:30-16:00	Thursday 13:30-16.30	Friday 13:30-16:00
Waldron Health Centre Stanley Street Deptford SE8 4BG	Honor Oak Health Centre 20-21 Turnham Road SE4 2LA	Downham Health & Leisure Centre 7-9 Moorside Road Downham BR1 5EP	Kaleidoscope 32 Rushey Green Catford SE6 4JF	Sydenham Green Health Centre 26 Holmshaw Close SE26 4TH

## Our learning next week

We will continue with our daily phonics lessons. Next week we will be learning the grapheme phoneme correspondences:



Next week our new book is 'Goldilocks and the 3 Bears.'

In maths we will be comparing groups within 5.

In our topic lessons we will be learning about healthy eating and healthy meals.

## Home Learning

Thank you for uploading your photos to Tapestry this week. Please continue to upload any wow or wonderful moments you would like to share about your child. We love seeing what you get up to with them!

**To link with our learning next week, it would be great if you could upload a picture of any healthy meals that your child eats or that you share as a family, particularly if your child has helped to prepare them.**



## Notices for parents

### Parents Evening

**Parents evening will be on the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of October.  
The booking system will be opened from Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October.**

### Nuts in school

We have noticed that some children have had some spreads and biscuits which contain nuts. We are a NUT FREE school as we have children who have severe allergies to nuts. Please ensure that anything placed in packed lunches is nut free.

### PE day

Every week we have PE on a Thursday. Please make sure that your child comes dressed in their PE clothes.

