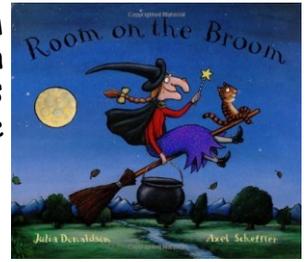


# Reception Newsletter Friday 11th May 2018

- This week we have continued our learning around the story of Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson. We have been making up our own spells and designing a new broom for the witch. Next week our focus will be around mini-beasts beginning with the story, "What the ladybird heard" again by Julia Donaldson.



- In Maths this week we have been using the number line to add and subtract single digit numbers ( e.g.  $6+2$ ,  $8-2$ ). We are encouraging the children to find the first number on the number line and count on to add or count back to subtract.



- Show and Tell- We really do enjoy listening to the **children's news** from home and showing us things **linked** with our **current topic**. Please could we ask that only items linked to our topic are brought in for our show and tell sessions on a Wednesday.

- The weather forecast is once again looking good for the next week. Please remember when we do have warmer days to provide your child with a hat to wear when they go outside to play. We also ask if you could apply sun cream before school to ensure your children are protected from the sun when they are out on the field as we have **NO SHADE** out there!



- Please can we ask that only water is brought into school in your child's school water bottle. We do encourage the children to drink throughout the day and water is the best possible choice to keep them hydrated whilst they're at school.

- It is lovely that the children are being independent and confident in ordering their cold options at the gate before coming into school. However please could we ask you to remind them about using their manners when asking. We are really trying focus on this in school to ensure they say "please" and "thank you" at the appropriate time. This also links with our school value of respect. Thank you for your support in this matter.



- Our next parent open session will be **Friday 25th May at 2.30 pm**. Although there is a celebration assembly in school for KS2 certificates, Reception class will still have their open session as planned.

**THANK YOU** for your continued support.  
**Enjoy the weekend!**

**Mrs Sproston, Miss Davenport, Mrs Bailey, Mrs Anthony,  
Mrs Andrews and Mrs Thomas.**