HARRIS PRIMARY SCHOOL

RECEPTION NEWSLETTER



Week ending 26th September 2025

Phonics

The children have thoroughly enjoyed their new Phonics lessons this week! They have learned 3 new sounds – *s*, *a*, *t*. We have practised oral blending, letter formation patters (rhymes) and even had a go at segmenting! We have introduced the children to a range of phonics games, which they have enjoyed playing. Remember to have a look through your child's Phonics Folder with them over the week. These folders need to be handed back in each <u>Wednesday</u>. Information regarding our Parents Phonics Workshop will be released in due course.

The Colour Monster Goes to School

The children have really enjoyed reading The Colour Monster Goes to School, this week. They have talked about how they felt when they first arrived at Harris and how they feel in our classroom now. Their first pieces of work are in their Literacy books and what an amazing job they have done!

Self-Portraits

Over the last couple of weeks, the children have drawn their first self-portrait and have then been learning how to carefully draw different facial features. We are getting very good at drawing eyes and noses. Next week, we will move on to learning how to draw lips.

We've Been Learning French

Over the last couple of weeks, Mrs Procter has been teaching the children some simple French words and phrases. The children are really enjoying responding in French to our afternoon register! We have slowly been learning the names for body parts in French and will soon learn to sing 'Head, Shoulders, Knees & Toes' in French!

We hope you have a wonderful weekend.

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Things to Remember:

- •If your child is on a school dinner, please ensure to <u>pre-order</u> their lunch via the School Grid app.
- •Please ensure your child has a <u>named</u> water bottle, book bag and coat in school each day.
- Please bring in a named pair of wellies to be left in school for outdoor play.



Our week in photos – check out our class gallery:

https://www.harris.lancs.sch.uk/works/6754/9571