



## WEEKLY REVIEW - ACORN

11<sup>th</sup> January 2019



We have had a wonderful start to the New Year. The children have enjoyed telling us about their Christmas break and have enjoyed writing their Christmas holiday news in their diaries. Selina and I had a lovely Christmas with our families and are excited to be back at school! The Family Work team are running several friendly, informal workshops, which all families are invited to attend. 3 sessions, Supporting your child through Reception, which starts on 23<sup>rd</sup> January between 6.30-7.30pm and runs for 3 weeks at Bourn School. Please email [office@bourn.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@bourn.cambs.sch.uk) to register your interest.

### I am a superhero!

Week we have had fun reading Supertato books by This Sue Hendra. You might have heard the evil pea has trapped some fruit and vegetables under a basket in class Acorn. The children have been working hard as superheroes to try to think of ways to rescue them. First, we wrote speech bubbles with what we imagined the vegetables might be saying. They included: 'Help me!' Please rescue us!' Please help us Supertato!'. We then imagined ourselves as superheroes and thought of ways we could rescue them using our own powers.



### Line drawing skills

The children have enjoyed learning how to draw Supertato. As a whole class we followed the steps to produce a line drawing then individually created our own. It is so lovely to see each child's style of drawing. Our masterpieces are on display in the creative area. Feel free to come and have a sneaky peek after school.



### Home learning:

Playing Incy wincy spider game. Instructions and game sheet are in your child's plastic wallet. Feel free to make a larger version of the game.

### Notes.

We are working towards a calmer drop off time in class Acorn. This week children we have been expecting children to come in to class by themselves and to be more independent when hanging up their coats and bags. Please encourage your child to sort their plastic wallet, bag and coats themselves and to say goodbye outside of the classroom. We are noticing that the hallway is getting very busy during and after drop off. Please also note that if your child is not registered by 8.50 they will be registered as 'late', which will then be recorded as 'unauthorised absence'.

You will appreciate that Selina, Jo T and I are extremely busy during this time and so if you have any questions that can wait until later on then please see us after school or write in your child's comment book.

Thank you for your support.

### Dates for your diary

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February: Class Acorn assembly  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February: Half term

