

Bluebirds Newsletter

Friday 25 January 2019

Dear Parents & Carers

What a week!

We've had lots of absences again this week so Bluebirds staff have been helping in other classes. We have had a real focus on getting to grips with our new way of recording tasks and observations. It is called Evidence for Learning and is on each of the 3 iPads we have in class.. We are able to add videos as well as photographs to any written evidence. Already we have some pretty amazing evidence of the sheer effort our children make on a daily basis and the wonderful achievements we see. How lucky we are to work with such amazing children.

MESSAGE FROM THE OFFICE

Please can Parents or Carers call the school switchboard on 01225 761434 as early as possible and leave a message if their child is going to be absent.

The office will let class know but of course please do call Bluebirds too if you can. We like to be kept up to date.

Thank you.



We've purchased a few new bits and bobs for class - a disco torch, a water light, a singing bowl and, as mentioned last week, a motion activated bird box. We have also ordered a large clear ball with bells inside and a beautiful hand-crafted steel tongue drum is on its way. We still had some class funds from the Christmas Faye 2017 and raised a good sum of money last Christmas, thanks primarily to Lydia's mum, Emily. So we have been on a little spending spree. There are ongoing costs of replacing all sorts of items used in our multi-sensory activities too, from sponges and fabric to silver foil and feathers.

Keep warm and have a cosy weekend.
Mandy & Bluebirds Team

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