## Sylvester Primary Academy

## Early Years Newsletter



Autumn Term- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023

## Nursery Class

This week we have welcomed the final group of new friends into Nursery. We are so proud of how well everyone is settling in, learning their routines and joining in with activities. This week we have played lots of group games so we can get to know our friends and learn each other's names. Our favourite so far has been 'Bug in a Rug'...it is great fun trying to work out which friend is hiding under the rug! For Roald Dahl day we celebrated the book 'Charlie & the Chocolate Factory' and made chocolate rice krispie cakes and completed a Skittles sweet science experiment. Also, this week we drew and painted pictures of ourselves to display in class and we made 'listening ears' in the craft area as we are working hard to develop our listening skills. It was Mrs Huckle's birthday too so we made cards and a cake for her! Wow what a busy week! Reception Class

Our Reception children have been fantastic this week and are becoming more familiar with the routine. We have been focussing on learning all our friends and teachers' names and using the different areas in the classroom and the garden.

In Maths we have been developing our counting skills, using the Number Blocks characters to help us. Our English has focused on singing some Nursery Rhymes and finding words that rhyme.

It has been a really busy week in school and we are very proud of all our Reception children and we have loved getting to know their families too. Thank you for all your support.

Key Dates:

<u>Reminders:</u>

- We kindly ask for a donation of £1.00 a week for snack. This allows us to offer the children. This can be passed on to staff or sent in with the children when possible. Thanks
- Nursery would like the children to have their own set of wellies to leave in school.
- Please ensure you put names in all items of uniform including coats and ties. It is really difficult to return items if they do not have names in them. Thank you