



## **RECEPTION CLASS NEWSLETTER-Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

This week the children will be watering their broad bean pots and keeping their eye on any changes that have happened to the cress seeds kept in the dark in a cupboard and those kept in the light on a window sill. The children will also be taking part in imaginative writing about what kind of world they would like to find if they climbed to the top of their own beanstalk! In maths, the children will be exploring the composition of the whole number 8 and after completing Design Technology plans, they will be creating a beanstalk for Jack, using their Makerspace explorations to light up the way for him, as he climbs in the dark. The Shining Stars should also be having a delivery of tiny caterpillars and the children will be observing and talking about any changes that they start to notice. The children will also be listening to Julia Donaldson's story: 'The Snail and the Whale.' As usual, the Shining Stars will be initiating their own play in the provision, both in and outside.

### **World Book Day/Week**

As a school, we will be celebrating World Book Day across the week and the children will be taking part in a variety of literacy and cross curricular activities linked to the book: 'In Our Hands' by Lucy Farfort. Look out for our class blog on the school website for more details about the Shining Stars' learning!

### **Drop in session-Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024**

This week, the parent/carer drop in session will take place after school in Reception classroom on 8<sup>th</sup> March. All are welcome!

### **Parents Evenings**

These will be happening Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March. Please book your appointment online.

**\*\*Please hand in wow moments or home learning photographs to any member of the EYFS team. Thank you. We really value your contribution to your child's learning journal.\*\***

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to come to speak with myself or any member of the EYFS team.

**Mrs Hartley (Reception Class Teacher and EYFS Co-ordinator)**