



Reception class news

We are the Bumblebees

26th January 2024

We have had a great week learning about the South Pole!

This week in phonics, we have learned about digraphs and how they are two letters that make a new sound. We have been spotting digraphs in different words and using our blending to read them like this; sh - i - p and r - i - ch.

This week's **gold cards** is...

Emily



For her constant enthusiasm for learning. She always has a plan that she is excited about. Emily always tries her best and is super helpful.

This week's **writer of the week** is...

Tabias

For super segmenting in phonics.

BOOK OF THE WEEK..



We have loved reading this book and had lots of ideas about the little boy and the penguin were feeling. Our vocabulary this week was; disappointment, delighted, discovered, ignored and realised. We have thought about all the different ways they could travel to the South Pole and our ideas were amazing! We made lost posters to help the little boy find his friend.

THANK YOU so much for your snack donations. The cold weather is definitely making us hungry, so any more donations will be gratefully received.

PHONICS .. our sounds this week are **sh, ch, th** and **ng**. We are still practising reading our tricky words are **me, be, she, we, my, by**. Please see your child's bookbag for activities that support your child's learning in phonics.

MATHS.. We have been exploring weight using our balance scales. We are still looking at different ways to make 5.

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!