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Dear Families,

This week has certainly flown by. The children are well underway with their learning. I have visited all classes and spent lots of time in the morning sessions looking at learning in English and Maths. Our Reception children have been learning their first phonics sounds and showing us what they can do as they complete their Reception Baseline Assessments. At the other end of the school, Year 6 have completed their first set of assessments in reading, maths and spelling. All other classes have been working hard and showing us all The SPA Way in action.

We had a busy day on Wednesday with the NHS flu vaccinations. This was a new system this year-the children were fantastic and very patient.

Our Chair of Governors came for a visit on Thursday and toured the site at lunchtime. He was very impressed to see children helping in the dinner hall, supporting each other on the playground and our 'Lunchtime Friends' helping the younger children in Little Terns.

Year 3 Bikeability:

Mr Honeybone has sent a Dojo to Year 3 families about a Bikeability session running in November. Information has already gone to Year 5 and 6 about a session in October. We are hoping to make this an annual event.

Makaton Sign of the Week: is 'play'. There is a video on Dojo to show this.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.
Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs N Kaye

Headteacher

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