WEEKLY LINE UP – Acorns

From Tiny Acorns Mighty Oaks Grow Within the Love of God

Friday 9th October
Term 1 Week 5

It has been a busy and fun filled week in Acorn class and the children have been making great strides in their learning. This week, we have had a focus on name writing and working carefully on our correct pencil grip. It has been amazing to see how much progress the children have made already in this and to see the pride in their faces once they have achieved something! We have also been to our first singing worship in preparation for Harvest Festival next week.

We are looking forward to another brilliant week in Reception and the children doing their first 'performance' at the Harvest Festival in the week ahead.

PE

In basketball, we have been practicing throwing at a target with precision. We did this through learning our technique and then taking turns to throw the basketball in to a hooped net. After this, we tested our aim from different distances.

Happy to be Me!

This week, we have been exploring similarities and differences. We drew photos of ourselves and put them in to hoops for different criteria such as 'has a brother' or 'has brown hair'. As well as this, we organised ourselves in to groups and used the Ipad to take photos of these.

Maths

Our focus this week has been on number, particularly how we can 'subitise' (use our eyes to count) numbers to 3. We met the Numberblock family and played games with different resources such as counters and pom poms to create arrangements of 1,2 and 3.

Phonics

We have continued to learn our new sounds and tricky words. This week, we learnt the sounds h,b,f,l and the tricky word 'the'. The children have started their spelling and wrote the words 'mum', 'ten' and 'hat'.

Daisy's Busy Book

Each Friday, our class mascot – Daisy the Cow, goes home with a child who has been chosen that week for their behaviour and attitude to learning. The children can enjoy playing with her and filling in her 'Busy Book' with pictures/ drawings of what they have gotten up to. If Daisy goes home with your child, please can you ensure she is returned by the following Wednesday to allow her to go home with someone else. Thank you!