

# Reception Newsletter

Dear Parents/ Carers,

In Letters and Sounds this week and will be focussing on the sounds: ck, e, u, r and sounds for the week of the 30<sup>th</sup> October are: h b f l.

**Half term home learning:** When you are out and about, encourage your child to recognise and identify taught sounds in their local environment e.g street signs, menus. This will keep their newly learnt skills fresh over half term.

Thank you to those that attending the Early Years Welcome Meeting. For those that were unable to make it, a copy of the PowerPoint is on the website.

**Other news and dates for your diary:**

**Focus Meetings:** a gentle reminder that we do not follow the same parent's evenings as the rest of the school. You will be invited to discuss your child's progress at the end of their focus week.

**Parent Contribution Forms:** To help us focus on your child during their focus week, it is important that you complete and return the parent contribution form. Thank you for those of you that have already made a contribution towards your child's learning.

**Harvest Festival:** Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 10am in the Junior Hall.

**Parents/Carers Observations from Home**

These 'WOW' slips are for you to be able to tell us about something notable that your child has achieved of which you and they are proud. You might tell us about something at home or out of school that we might not get to hear about. Please send the slip into school so we can celebrate it in class. Thank you.

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We hope you all have a lovely half term and we look forward to seeing you all,

Remember that you can email us any photos and wow moments at:  
[reception@gallionsmount.greenwich.sch.uk](mailto:reception@gallionsmount.greenwich.sch.uk)

Thank you for your continued support,  
The Reception Team