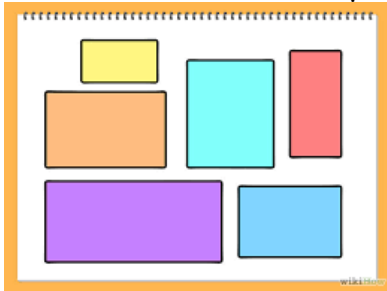


# Pre-School's Weekly Newsletter.

21<sup>st</sup> June 2024

## Rectangles!

This week we have been looking 2D shapes, focusing on rectangles. We have been rectangle shape detectives as we had to sort out all the rectangles from the different shapes.



Can your child tell you how many sides and corner does a rectangle have? What is special about the length of the sides?

## Letters and Sounds.

This week we have been recapping on all the phonemes that we have learnt this year. We have been listening carefully to the initial sounds of all the animals that went on Bertha's Bus as she went to the zoo.

Can they tell you what phoneme cow, mouse, iguana, newt, tiger, penguin, ant and snake begin with?

## Solving problems!

This week we had a teddy bear's picnic for our 5 teddies.

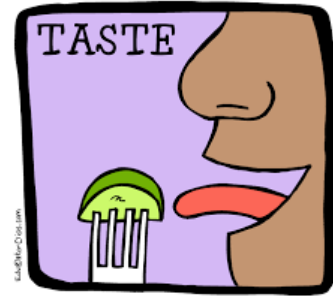


We had to give the teddy bears the different foods from the picnic basket making sure that we had enough for them to have one of everything. Unfortunately, we only had 3 sandwiches and 4 cupcakes. So, the children had to work out how many more sandwiches and cupcakes we would need to make 5.

## It's All About the Taste!

This week the children have been looking at our sense of taste.

They got to taste different foods - pineapple, lemons, chocolate, salty pretzels, pickled gerkins and salt and vinegar crisps.



We then had to say what it tasted like. Was it sweet, spicy, tangy, sour, bitter, tart or salty?

Can they tell you what their favourite taste was?

## Just a reminder:

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June** - Parent's Meeting with the Reception staff at 2.00pm

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> or Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July** - the morning and 30 hour children will come to school as normal and if you, the parent, are coming for a stay and play session then please come to the school's office at 10.00am. The children that attend our afternoon session will come at 10.00am with their parents for their visit.

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July** - Stay and Play sessions in Reception - we will take the children through for their morning or afternoon visit as it is for children only.

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July** - Graduation morning at 10.15am for all the children leaving Pre-School.