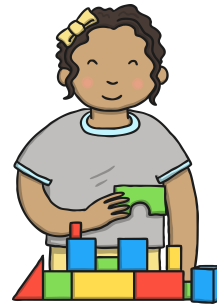




# Sacred Heart RC Primary School

*'Where Every Heart is Sacred'*



Foundation Stage Weekly Round Up -

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January 2019

I hope that you all had a wonderful Christmas and would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. I hope that 2019 is a happy and healthy year for us all. The children have returned ready to learn again which is super to see! Next week, our Foundation Stage Newsletter will only be available to view online at <http://sacredheartschool-gorton.org.uk/learning/reception/>

This is to reduce the use of paper and offer you a mobile viewing of our weekly news.

### Praise and Worship Song

This week we have been listening to 'Here I Am To Worship.'  
Please share and enjoy this song at home with your family.

### Certificate Winners -

Sarah

Noel

Oskar

Well Done to you all!

### "A Week in Words"

This week we have been hearing all about the wonderful gifts the children received for Christmas - they are very lucky! Popular gifts were racing car tracks, unicorns, LOL dolls, robots, bath bombs, transformers and story books. We have also thought about those children are not as fortunate as us and remembered them in our prayers.

We have introduced our new topic of People Who Help Us. The children have enjoyed learning about the role of the emergency services.

### Happy Birthday!

Zusanna, Honare and George are celebrating their birthdays this week! We hope you had fun! You can wear your own clothes to school on your birthday - this is instead of bringing in sweets to give to your friends as we are Healthy School!

### Next Week in Reception

Literacy Text - Non-Fiction texts on visiting the doctor and taking our pets to the vets.

Maths Focus - Addition

Next week we will be starting Gymnastics with mats and apparatus in our PE lessons. Please send a named PE kit into school with your child, in a clearly named plastic carrier bag. This needs to include a plain white t-shirt and plain black shorts. PE shoes are not required yet. Long sleeves or leggings are not permitted for Gymnastics.

### Next Week in Nursery

Our Topic in Nursery this half term is also people Who Help Us. In Literacy we will be concentrating on non-fiction texts.

Literacy Text - Next week, we will be concentrating on the roles of doctors/nurses and paramedics, reading 'At The Hospital'.

Maths Focus - We will be recognising numerals 1-5 and beyond, matching numeral to quantity, and introducing money - recognising 1 and 2p coins and discussing what money is used for.

Phonics - We are learning how to count and use syllables in our names. We are also hearing initial sounds

in words.

Please could you send in any cardboard boxes, plastic milk bottle lids! We are collecting them for junk modelling when we make emergency vehicles. Thank you!

We are also asking the children to bring in a photograph of themselves taking part in a celebration eg a wedding, birthday or baptism - this links in with our RE Celebrations topic.

### Independent Home Challenge

This week at home, please teach your child to put their jumpers and cardigans on by themselves! This includes from when it's inside out and making sure it's the correct way around! When your child shows us they can do this, Reception children will receive a Dojo and Nursery children will earn a sticker. We hope the Independent Home Challenge will help develop their self-care and key life skills!

#### Just a reminder

- Reception books bags should be returned to school each Wednesday with homework and reading books in. We will keep them and send them home with a new reading book and new homework each Thursday.
- Please ensure all items of uniform has your child's name in.
- Send us messages via Class Dojo! If you subscribe to the Dojo App, you are able to see instant updates, rewards and messages.

#### Q and A Corner

This week, we find a little more about.... And ... through our quick fire questions!

Child - Kathrin

Favourite Animal - Giraffe

Favourite Food - Noodles

Favourite Book - Mr Bear

When I grow up I want to be a nurse.

I am happy when my mummy claps for me!

Teacher Miss McEvoy - Reception Class Teacher

Favourite Animal - Penguins!

Favourite Food - Ooooo....curry!

Favourite Book - Keith the Cat with the Magic Hat

By Sue Hendra

When I was little I loved going to dance classes!

I am proud that we have had a lovely first week back at Sacred Heart after Christmas.

Did you know I have a husky dog called Jessie?

Thank you once again for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend,

*Mrs Bancroft*

*Mrs Halls, Miss McEvoy, Mrs Enright and Miss Irwin*

*Mrs Montgomery and Mrs Moloney*

