

# Foundation Stage News

## Friday 7thMarch 2014

## Communication Language and Literacy

We have started our new theme of "Our Special World" and this week have been using non fiction books and materials to find out about our local environment. FS1 and nursery have been looking at buildings around the school boundaries and what they are used for.

**Vocabulary:** World, Earth, country, map, globe, England, St.Neots, London, town, environment, school environment, home, house, flat, factory, school, office.

### The big Pedal

The big pedal started on Monday and will continue for the next two weeks. Children will be given a sticker on a collecting card every time they ride a bike or scooter to school. Adults riding a bike or scooter will also be counted. Please write you child's name on the charts next to cloakroom doors if they ride to school so that we can keep an accurate count each day. The class with the highest number looks after a special bear for the day.

# Bling your bike and snaz up your scooter.

Thank you to all who participated or helped on the morning. Photographs will be on face book and the web pages. Many thanks for donations of decorations that were sent in.

#### **Mathematics**

This week the FS2 children have continued to learn about number and used this knowledge to support their learning with calculation and subtraction. They have started to record number sentences. FS1 and nursery are matching numerals to number quantities.

**Vocabulary:** Count, number, numeral, total, most, least, addition, add, makes, same, least, number sentence, subtraction, take away.

### <u>Understanding the World – RE</u>

We have started to learn about Christenings this week and hope to set up a display of photographs and artefacts. If your child has been Christened or Baptised and you would like to share some memorabilia with us, please send it in a clearly labelled bag with your child's name on it. Thank you

#### **World Book Day**

Thank you very much for all of the wonderful potato book characters that were sent in. There will be photos on Facebook, the school website and Little Starz shortly. The children will have also received their £1 book token. These can be exchanged at Waterstones in town or Tesco for one of the £1 books or used as money of another title. Please have a look at the World Book Day website as there are lots of lovely ideas and resources for the children to use.

http://www.worldbookday.com/