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*Coming up next week...11/11/2024*

*A reminder that the children will be having their flu vaccine on Monday 11th November. Please speak to your child about this before they come to school.*

*Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November is Odd Socks Day, celebrating that we are all special and unique. Children can wear odd socks with their school uniform.*

*On Friday 15th November is 'Children in Need'. Children can wear something spotty, yellow or 'Pudsey like' with their uniform. For example, yellow or spotty socks or tights, Pudsey ears. Please do not feel the need to purchase anything special for the day unless you wish to do so.*

*We are expecting a visit from the firefighters on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November however please do not mention this to the children in case the visit is cancelled due to an emergency occurring.*

*The Book Fair is coming to school and Receptions day is: Year R: Wednesday 13th November, after school pick up. Please remember that books can only be purchased with cash. Thank you for supporting this event.*

*We hope that you found the maths workshop useful. If you were unable to attend, the powerpoint will shortly be uploaded to the school website:*

*[The Mead Infant and Nursery School - Reception](#)*

*Learning in school:*

**Theme for the Term:** Fabulous Festivals!

During this topic we will learning about how people and communities celebrate in different ways and why this is important to them.

**Theme for the week:** This week we will be exploring the different seasons in the UK and how they transition throughout the year. We are also looking at the importance of the charity Child in Need, what it means to be kind and how we can express kindness to others.

*Phonics*

This week, we will be learning the sounds v, x, w, y. Our tricky words are and, his, has, her and we are recapping the, put, pull, full.

*Maths:*

This week we will be learning about the properties of circles and triangles through reading stories and looking at artwork. We will also be doing a shape hunt to find these shapes in our environment.

*Additional notes and reminders*

Please remember to put your child's library book in their book bag on their class library day. Library days are as follows:

- ✓ Turtles: Tuesday
- ✓ Starfish: Thursday
- ✓ Jellyfish: Monday

*Class email addresses:*

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[starfish@mead.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:starfish@mead.surrey.sch.uk)

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*Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.*