

## EYFS End of term Newsletter

Wow, what an amazing first half term we have had. We are extremely proud of how the children have quickly settled into school life, they have adapted to their new routines and are now becoming more familiar with the rules and expectations.

They are demonstrating a real love of learning, remembering 'I can't do it . . . yet!' We are so happy!

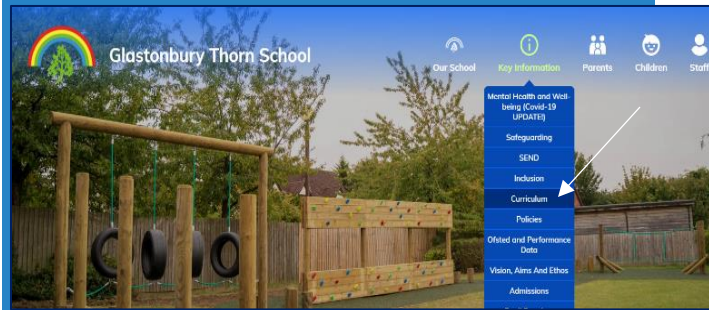
We have really enjoyed our first topic; ***This is me!*** Initially we focused on the book 'Hello Friend!' by **Rebecca Cobb** to discuss our feelings about starting school and how to make friendships, the children loved this story and we found them making stronger friendships as a result. Our next book focus was '**Colour Monster**' by **Anna Llana**, this story explores our emotions and how we may feel in certain situations. It was great to see the children acting out various emotions and helping each other to understand them.

In Maths we have been learning about the composition of numbers 0-5. It has been great to see the children subitising more quickly and exploring the different ways to make numbers up to 5. The children have worked so hard, we hope they have a fantastic half term break!



## Curriculum Coverage

Look out for our Curriculum Map for next term. These are found on the school website:



## Important reminders!

### PE Days



### Leopards:

Wednesday – Outside  
Friday - Inside

### Tigers:

Tuesdays – Inside  
Wednesday - Outside

We have loved our taster PE sessions with Mr P and are now ready to have our full PE sessions. Children must now come into school in PE kit on these days (including trainers) – thank you. If your child wears earrings, please ensure that the earrings are covered with Micropore tape (or similar) or taken out on PE days.

## Homework



Your child will bring home a homework folder every **Friday**. This will include a piece of maths and phonics homework.

Homework folders must be handed in the every **Wednesday**.

We have already noticed a real difference in the children completing their homework, they are becoming more secure with their sounds and numbers.

Thank you for your continued support and we look forward to welcoming the children back for our next exciting half term!

The Foundation Stage Team

