



## <u>Head Teachers'</u> Message:

It has been an emotional week for our Springside family this week, however Comic Relief has brought a smile to our faces today.

Thanks to everyone for your efforts and contributions in the 'Sharing a smile' theme. We have had a lovely day seeing what makes each other smile, sharing jokes and compliments, as well as participating in fun activities.

Just a reminder that on <u>Wednesday 24th March</u> I will be hosting a Headteacher drop in session. This will take place virtually or via telephone. If you would like to make an appointment, please contact Tia by phoning School or via email to

OfficeEmail@springside.rochdale.sch.uk, and let her know if you prefer Zoom or a telephone call and she will book you a slot of around 10 minutes to fit in with the below timetable:

Bubble1 - Wallabies and Butterflies 9.00-10.00am Bubble 3 - Ducklings, Zebras & Rhinos 1.00-2.00pm Bubble 4 - Elephants, Meerkats & Monkeys 2.00-3.00pm Bubble 5 - Dinosaurs and Penguins 10.00-11.00 am Bubble 6 - Tigers and Giraffes 11.00-12.00

Thank you for continuing to complete the various forms that we send out via Survey Monkey, this is much appreciated.

Thanks *Melody* 

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## Healthy Belling



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#### Head Teachers' Awards

Well done!

Experiential: Aariz

**Exploratory**: Ayaan M, Brayden and Danny

Investigative: Daniel and Adam

#### Stars of the week



Butterflies - Sumaiya and her daddy Wallabies - Blakeley Ducklings - Daniel Zebras - Numaan Rhinos - Zayaan Elephants - Dylan Meerkats - Awais Monkeys - Ayaan M Penguins - Junior Dinosaurs - Asiya

Tigers - Dayton

Certificates have been emailed home via email to celebrate with your child.

# **Springside School Weekly Newsletter Page 2**

#### **Experiential Phase**

Experiential phase have been busying away as always, thank you for the lovely smiles which literally light my day. The 'Super Six' in Wallabies have had a fabulous time creating their playground garden this week in school. We have planted our sunflowers, wildflower seeds and spring bulbs and it looks wonderful!! We have been creating lots of art work for our new 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' corridor display. We have been experiencing

different kinds of fruit, counting it out using Numicon shapes and printing with it to create caterpillar paintings. We really enjoyed the sensory 'Catch the Caterpillar' game when we used our excellent tracking / anticipation skills in order to touch the fluffy duster caterpillar as it crawled at different speeds across the table. We are looking forward to celebrating Red Nose Day on Friday with lots fun activities!!

#### **Exploratory Phase**

Exploratory phase learners have been very happy this week! I've seen lots of smiley faces on the corridors and on the playground. All the learners have had a new challenge this week as we teach everyone to wear safety helmets when they are using the new bikes, trikes and scooters on the playground. I have to say the learners have tolerated these amazingly and this will help to keep them safe when they use these at home and in the community too.

Rhinos class have really enjoyed their sensory learning this week and exploring fruits and vegetables as part of their learning.

Ducklings and Zebras were very lucky to have some lovely weather for a picnic on Wednesday afternoon and they are doing some amazing sitting on the picnic blanket on our school field and on the crates in our outdoor area.

All learners have taken part in Comic Relief's 'share a smile' on Friday and we look forward to sharing some photos of the fun we had with you all on our Facebook page.

Have a lovely weekend - hope the sun shines for us all!

### **Investigative Phase**

Investigative Phase have been getting outside and exploring the changes around us. Giraffes and Penguins have started their garden patch and we have all got going with stories and sharing. We even had the bread maker in this week and made fresh loaves of bread both by hand and using the bread maker. Today we have had lots of fun celebrating comic relief!

Have a great weekend everyone!



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### **Rights Respecting School News**

This week, the class teams and learners have been busy thinking about their individual class charters and which rights they are going to focus on in their classroom for the

remainder of the school year. The monkey's class have worked extremely hard on their monkey inspired charter. The learners have enjoyed their right to play in school when using the bikes as well as learning to use the helmets as we also have a right to be safe. Some of our learners have also enjoyed listening to our school 'We've all got right' song throughout the day. As always, we have enjoyed using our right to learn in school and be back with our peers.

Have a lovely weekend exercising your right to relax after working so hard all week!

**Kirstie** 



# New Certificate

We are pleased to introduce a new Mental Health and Wellbeing Award This week the certificate goes to

#### Ayyan in Tigers



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