

## John Ray Infant School

"learning together, aiming high, proud to be ourselves"

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Another incredibly busy week at John Ray Infant.

All year groups have been producing some fabulous writing. EYFS have been composing their own sentences about 'Goldilocks and the three bears'. I am so impressed that many of them are segmenting words to spell them independently. Year One have been totally inspired by their topic on 'Space'. Their facts about the planets have demonstrated how much progress they have all made. I have taken a real interest in Year Two's writing on 'How to look after a dog'. Having two of my own I was so pleased to see how much they loved writing their guides with accompanying diagrams!

Next Tuesday Mrs Darvill, Mrs Lee and myself are looking forward to seeing some of you for a 'tea and chat session'. We will be starting each session with a very short informative talk. The first one is going to be based on the 'Zones of Regulation' and how we are trying to help children identify their own emotions and self regulate. I know I have had conversations with many of you about this when talking about behaviour. It may be a useful tool to try in the home also. This is open to anyone, please wait outside the front office on Tuesday and I promise to bring biscuits.

Next week is 'Children's Mental Health Week' and on Friday everyone is welcome to come to school in their pyjamas. There will be a pot in each class for a donation towards the charity 'place2be' if you wish.

I hope you all have a great weekend,

Headteacher

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