

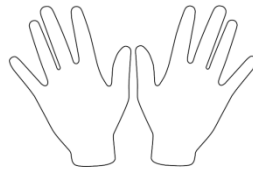
## In Reception this week...



### Focus of the Week

We have been thinking about kindness and the people that support us and help us. This is due to Children's Mental Health Awareness Week and Random Acts of Kindness Week. We have made our own support balloons, drawing and writing the names of people who help us and support us. We have also been sharing ideas of how we can show kindness to one another.

### *With my Own Two Hands*



*I can change the world  
With my own two hands.  
Make a better place  
With my own two hands.  
Make a kinder place  
With my own two hands.*

In Maths, we have been continuing our work with capacity. Well done to those who have had a go at the capacity challenges. It has been great to see pictures of different potions made and fantastic measuring!

In our English lessons, we have been learning all about therapy dogs and we've watched a video about a dog called Fraser. Fraser is a therapy dog who visits schools, hospitals and helps provide comfort and support to children and adults. We've been writing sentences all about what therapy dogs do.

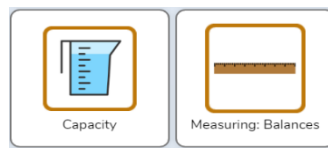
We have completed our DQ topic learning a pirate song and with a special message from Pirate Pete. We went on a special treasure hunt where we found gems, stones and gold chocolate coins! We have shared our favourite moments of the topic and what we now know and the life of pirate!

Here's a link to the song we've been singing!

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/nursery-rhymes-when-i-was-one-i-sucked-my-thumb/zhbyt39>

Please refer to the email for some reading and writing tasks for homework.

There are also two tasks on purple mash.



It has been lovely to chat with you person this week and share the progress your child has made. As always, many thanks for your ongoing support.

Wishing you all a lovely half term holiday.

The Reception Team