## Peek at the Week 08.03.24

What a wonderfully busy week we have had! Today was World Book Day at Priory, and Reception had an absolute ball! Our theme at school was Great Adventures, and we focused on "We're Going on a Bear Hunt" - a firm favourite with the children!

We started the day with an outdoor adventure, stopping off at different activities inspired by the book. As we moved around each station, we tested out our balance and agility on an obstacle course. First, we had to rescue some bears who were stuck in the sticky, squelchy mud, and give them a good clean with some soapy bubbles.

Next we got nice and comfy at the teddy bears picnic, where we picked a book from the hamper and listened as it was read to us. We really enjoyed acting out the different stories!

We used some giant bear stamps to create paw prints, and imagined how big the bear would have been! We experimented with sponges of different size and texture, and enjoyed layering the paint to create patterns.

At the construction area, we had to build a dark, gloomy cave for our bear to hide out in! This was the perfect opportunity to put our team working skills to use.

In the afternoon, we were shocked to receive a letter from the school office! The brown bear had written to tell us he was sorry for scaring the family, and he just wanted to be friends. He explained 6 of his friends were hiding outside and could we try to find them all? We had a brilliant time searching all around to try and locate the bears.

Finally, thank you to all parents who attended Parents' Evening this week, it was lovely to speak to everyone and share the progress your children have made!

## Reception song of the week:

<u>World book day song</u>

Well done to our Reception Children of the Week: R Mead: Esha R Russo: King

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