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Sunflower Newsletter

Last week after watching weather reports, the children became weather reporters. They made their own weather symbols, drew maps of the UK and then presented the weather to their friends. We hope that they gave you a taste of their weather reporting when they brought the weather maps home!

Maths– Growing 6,7,8

This week is all about measure. The children will learn how to use non-standard units of measure (eg. cubes) to measure length. They will compare items to towers of cubes saying if they are longer or shorter and learn how to put them in length order. At home you can do the same- gather some items together and put them in order from shortest to tallest by encouraging your child to compare one item with the other. They might like to do this with people in the house too!

Topic- Winter

This week we are going to be learning more about what animals do in the winter. We will be taking part in the RSPB's big school bird watch and although the birds haven't been keen on our bird feeders, we hope to entice a few in to the garden to count them!

Consent forms for reading research

As part of her degree in Early Childhood Studies, a university student from Canterbury University will be in school on Tuesday to research children's perspectives on reading. A consent form with details about the research study was sent home on Thursday. Please do sign the form and return it on Tuesday morning.

We hope that you all have a lovely half term next week. Remember it is staff Inset on Monday 20th February- children return to school on Tuesday February 21st.

Thank you for your continued support.