

Welcome to Reception – Notices

P.E days this year will be Tuesday and Friday for class 1, and Thursday and Friday for class 2. Please bring your child into school in their PE kits on those days.

- Correct uniform, which is fully labelled, should be worn - **no earrings or other jewellery, please.**

Please also make sure your child brings a **coat** into school every day (with their name on it). We spend a lot of time outside in Reception.

No toys are to be brought into school. Thank you.

Additional notices

- Reading books are changed on a Wednesday. They will be kept in school on this day to be changed after school.
- Please read with your child at home at least 3 times per week and sign their diaries 3 times to show they have read. Parents will be asked to come in after school to read if they are not reading 3 times at home.

- School starts at **8:40am** and ends at **3:20pm**.

Snack money is £1 weekly for a drink or £2 weekly for a drink and a snack (*Please put snack money in an envelope with your child's name on and send into school on Monday morning*).

Reception

2023-2024

Summer Term

Class teachers - Miss Reay

Teaching Assistants – Mrs Wright, Miss Hart & Miss Hewitson

Maths

This term we will be looking at sharing and grouping, where we will learn to share between a number. Then we will be looking at odd and even numbers and extending our number knowledge up to 20.

We will also be learning how to half shapes and quantities, solve subtraction sums, understand weight and capacity, name 3d shapes and spatial reasoning.

English

Through our Read Write Inc lessons we will continue to learn new sounds and read and write words and sentences. We will also continue to develop our handwriting skills, learning letter formation rhymes to help us form our letters correctly.

We will be writing short captions using known letter sound correspondences and write simple sentences with some tricky words and known letter sound correspondences.

Plants

Topic

In Summer term 1, we are learning about plants, learning what they need to grow and naming the different parts. We will also be naming a variety of common flowers. We will also be looking at the life cycle of a chick and tadpole. Then we move on to naming common minibeasts and learning some key facts about them.

In Summer term 2 we will be learning about the world around us. We will be looking closely at maps and our local area, learning what maps are used for and where we live. We will also be learning about the King and where he lives. Then we will be looking at pirates, linking to the previous map work. We will be learning how to use a Beebot (robot) to move around a mat.

RE

This year in Reception, we are creating our own RE curriculum. We will be looking at 'To the Ends of the Earth', as well as a different religion.

RSHE

This term we will be looking at health and prevention, money and enterprise and physical health.

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Art & design

This term we will be looking at observational drawing of flowers, looking at the artist Georgia O' Keefe.

We will also be making butterflies out of plasticine and looking at the natural work of Andy Goldsworthy.

We will also be looking at the composition of songs in music.

P.E.

This term we will be looking at consolidating our multi skills. We will also be learning athletics, ready for sports day.

D.T.

We will be learning how to join materials together using split pins (making chicks).