

Reception Spring 2 Newsletter

We can't quite believe we are already in Spring Term 2! The children are all making so much progress and are all so happy in school, it is a pleasure to see every day.

This half term we will have our Parents Evenings. If there is anything you wish to talk about in the meantime please come and speak to a member of the team before or after school. We hope to see you all face-to-face this time but we will monitor the situation and confirm this closer to the time.



This half term we look forward to spending lots of time outdoors! Please gage the weather and dress children in appropriate clothing/hats/cream.

Big Idea

This Half Term we are very excited to embark on a Big Idea that will allow us to go on a journey to learning about some of the many different religions and beliefs that surround us. We see great importance in acceptance and being educated on others beliefs is part of this. If you would like to share your religious beliefs with the cohort please speak to a member of the team.

Maths

This half term we will be re-capping 2d and 3d shapes and looking at their properties. We will also be looking at the composition of 9 and 10 and looking at numerical patterns of bigger numbers.

Literacy

In Literacy we will be developing our segmenting skills and concentrating on remembering capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. We will be using a talk for writing approach to inspire children to want to write.

Phonics

In Phonics we will be revising all phase 3 digraphs and applying our blending skills to reading longer words.

Handwriting

This half term we will be practising the one armed robot letters – r, b, n, h, m, k, p.

Reading

Thank you very much for all of your brilliant efforts with reading with your children at home, it really does make a difference. We will continue to send home books matched to the children's phonic stage meaning that they can continue to show off their skills at home. Please remember to send these in daily with their yellow reading records.

Trips and Visits

This half term we are planning to visit 1 or 2 places linked to our Big Idea. We will let you know dates as soon as we confirm. We are also hoping to have some Big Idea visits

Library

Please remember to send library books back on a Thursday.

