

CLASSROOM NEWS

This term in Reception, we will be learning about:

Reading – We will be encouraging the children to read simple sentences.

Read back what they have written themselves
Retell stories that have been read to them using new and recently introduced vocabulary

Writing – Write letters, most correctly formed.

Write simple sentences, labels and captions using the phonics they have learned, that can be read by others.
Use capital letters and full stops.

Maths – Counting, by rote, to 20 and beyond

Sharing and grouping set in to equal and unequal groups
Repeating, continuing and creating patterns
Developing spatial awareness and understanding maps
Making connections between and deepening our understanding of all the maths we have learned this year.

RE –

HONESTY

What places are special? And why?

HOPE

Why is the word God so important to Christians?

Topic 1 – Down in the Garden

Through this topic we will be learning about what plants need to help them grow, what we might find in our local environment, Minibeasts and their habitats.

Topic 2 – We are all heroes

Through this topic we will be looking closely at the lives of superheroes, real life heroes and at ourselves as heroes and what we are good at.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 6th May – Bank holiday – school closed

WB: 20th May – Sports Day – day and time to be confirmed

Friday 24th May – School closes for half term (1 week)

Monday 1st July – rearranged trip to Hedgehogs Woodland Adventures

Wednesday 3rd July – Transition Day

Friday 5th July – Summer Fair

Tuesday 16th July – Reception Graduation

Friday 19th July – School closes for the Summer holidays

HOMework



Read and practise your reading book, sound blending book or the letter sounds you have been sent home.

Share Library books with an adult at home and talk about the story and characters
Complete your homework from your homework book each week

REMINDERS

Children need to enter school through the Reception doors for Classes 1 and 2 and be collected from the same doors at home time.

Please make sure that your child has their **reading record and book bag in school every day.**

Our PE day is Wednesdays 17th April - 22nd May (Summer 1)

and then Thursdays from 6th June – 18th July (Summer 2)

However, PE kits need to come into school at the beginning of each half term and go home for washing at the end of each half term/term.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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