

Reception Newsletter

SPRING 2018



Welcome back to a new term in Reception! We hope you've all had a great Christmas and New Year break. A big thank you once again for our lovely Christmas presents and cards!

Curriculum

This half term our topics are:

- Winter
- People Who Help Us
- Chinese New Year Celebrations

We continue to learn new sounds during our phonics sessions. The children are becoming more confident blending and segmenting the sounds we learnt last term. We will start to use more of these sounds in our writing related to each topic.

In Maths we will continue to look at numbers working on subtraction and addition skills. We will focus on counting larger numbers of objects and working on numbers beyond 10. During our maths will also look at measuring the length and weight of different objects. We will also continue work on 2D shapes and look more at 3D shapes this term.

Mother's Day and Easter will form part of our learning this term.

Information

Reading Books

Thank you for your support with reading, the children are starting to blend the sounds quickly to read words. Please can you continue the great work at home along with your comments in their reading records. Reading books will be changed on a **Tuesday** and **Friday** when placed in the box. Please ensure reading books are kept in the school book bags **everyday** as children will be read with in school.

Show and Tell

'Show and Tell' has been a great experience for developing your child's speaking and listening skills along with their confidence. We have enjoyed hearing about their special items. The children have been reminded they can show special items they have brought from home such as certificates, medals, things they have made and WOW moments, etc. 'Show and Tell' will be on a **Friday**.

PE Lessons

Monday and Friday

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please come to speak to us.

Miss Brown, Miss Smithson, Mrs Kelly and Mrs Edwards