

Spring Term 2024

EYFS Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

It is lovely to welcome you all back after the winter break. We extend a warm welcome to our new Nursery starters who have joined us this term; the children have made them most welcome and they are settling in very well. Please see below to find out all about the new learning and opportunities that we have planned for our exciting Spring Term ahead. The EYFS Team

This terms topic overview...

- Winter (Our season focus)
- Transport (Exploring land, water and air travel)
- Chinese New Year
- Map work (Exploring what maps are and our local area)

Reading Challenge

Please make sure you read with your child at least 5 times a week and write in their reading diary each time.

Children that have read 5 times will then be in with a chance of winning a book.

Please ensure reading diaries and books are in school **every day** to ensure we are able to read with your child in school.



Please ensure your child brings a weather appropriate coat and school bag each day. Also can you please make sure that **everything** is labelled with your child's name...even shoes!

Snack Money

We request a voluntary contribution of £2 week for snack in EYFS. Snack money should be put in a named envelope each week. There is also an option to pay termly, please contact the office if you have any questions.



Physical Development

This term **Reception** will start PE lessons. Please send your child into school with a P.E kit that can be kept in school for the term. Your child's P.E kit should consist of; **plain black leggings, shorts or joggers, a plain white t-shirt** They will also need **plain white or black trainers, no laces** please as your child will need to put these on themselves. To develop independence your child will need to undress and dress themselves ready for P.E, please practise this with your child if needed. Please ensure all P.E kit is **named**.



Books

Here are some of the lovely books we will be sharing this term:

- We're going on a bear hunt
- Journey home from Grandpa's house
- We catch the bus
- You can't take an elephant on the bus
- We're going on a bear hunt
- Non-fiction transport books
- Super submarine book collection.

Our School Twitter page

We have a school twitter page which we update regularly. You can see all the exiting things we have been getting up to in school and how hard the children are all working. Please give us a follow to keep updated!



Maths

In maths this term we will be focusing on,

- Doubles
- Odd and even number shapes
- Cardinality and ordinality of counting sequence
- Order numbers
- Count beyond 20
- Repeated patterns
- Length and height
- Time
- Compare mass
- Capacity

Can you help?

- We love junk modelling and this term will be a great opportunity to make lots of different types of vehicles, please could you save your "junk", cardboard boxes, egg boxes, bottles, bottle lids, plastic and cardboard trays and send it into school to help us to get creative!

