



Autumn 1 Term

Reception News

Upcoming Events

During the half term the children will be practicing to write their name. When they can write their full name they will receive a prize! You can help by helping your child to write their name at home. If you need support with this please speak to your child's teacher.

Reminders

Please be reminded that all items of clothing must be labelled with your child's name. This helps your child recognise their name when they are getting changed into their PE clothes.

Please be reminded that all reading books must stay in your child's book bag at all time.

This term we are learning...

This term in Reception we will be learning all about your child and helping your child settle into their new environment with their new teachers. In our first week at school, we will be getting to know your child through planned activities such as; drawing portraits, name writing, family pictures, singing number songs and general circle times about your child's interests.

Phonics

In phonics the children will be focusing on learning phase 2 sounds these include, S A T P I N letters. The children will be encouraged to recognise these letters and begin to recognise familiar objects that begin with these letters. We will then be focusing on writing simple words with these letters in, as well as lots of name writing practice!

Literacy

In Literacy we will be focusing on writing simple words such as cat, mat, peg, tin, sun etc, as well as practising our first and last name. We will also begin to write tricky words such as: I, go, no, to, into and the. The children will be encouraged to use their new phonic knowledge to write new words and simple phrases such as, the dog sat on the mat. .

Maths

During this half term the children will be joining in with number rhymes, number games and begin to practice counting in sequence, counting objects and also recognising shapes and talking about their properties.

