



Spring 2 Term

Reception News

Reminders

Please remember PE is on a Friday for Reception. Your child needs to come to school in their PE kit **every Friday**.

Please could you return any home reading books and library books to school as soon as possible. This will mean that your child will be given a new book.

Please remember to put your child's name in **all** items of clothing. If anything goes missing it can quickly be returned.

This term we are learning...

Across school we will be focusing on the topic of 'Carry My Story'. We are excited to hear about any stories that your child might want to share about their family and finding out what and who are important to them. Look out for your child's 'All About Me' sheet coming home, we are looking forward to sharing these in class with all of our friends!

Phonics

In phonics, the children will continue to learn the new sounds and will be encouraged to sound out new words with these sounds in them. They will then be encouraged to write these down, remembering all the sounds and forming all the letters correctly. The children will be encouraged to use the new phonics sounds, and any that they already know, when reading and writing.

Literacy

In literacy we will be using the 'Carry My Story' topic to encourage the children to write about themselves. They will be writing words and captions about themselves and their families. We will continue practising handwriting daily with the children, making sure they are forming all their letters correctly. Please continue to practise these formations at home.

Maths

In maths, we will continue to support the children in finding out all about numbers. We will be comparing numbers, thinking of how we can make different ways of making 10 and counting forwards and backwards. We will be using ten frames to help support your child with their counting and recognising different amounts. We will be re-capping the names and properties of 2D shapes and introducing the names and properties of some 3D shapes.