

### Reading at home:

Reading folders need to be returned on **Tuesday** and new ones sent home on **Thursday**.



### PE Kit



We will have **P.E.** on **Tuesday**. Please make sure your child has an appropriate P.E. kit (jogging bottoms, t-shirt and suitable footwear). Please could you make sure that all the children's uniform and P.E. kit are labelled.

### Clothes

As the weather warms up and the sun comes out your child will need a **sun hat** or **cap** for this summer term. Please send your child to school with **sunscreen** on too. Even though your child will wear an **apron** for creative and water activities. Please be reminded that your child's clothes may get messy during the school day.

Please leave a **change of clothes** for your child at school in case of any accidents, or if they wet their clothes in the water tray.

Please **remember** to label your child's jumpers, cardigans, jackets, coats and hats.

### Punctuality

It is really important that children get into good time keeping habits from an early age. If your child is late, they miss out on the start of lessons at 9.00 which can affect their learning.

### Reminder

Please ensure that you inform either a member of the Reception Class staff or the Office if a familiar person will not be collecting your child.



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## Class newsletter Summer Term 2016

### Reception

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This term our school topic is **Food**.



### Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED):

This term we will learn:

- To play cooperatively, taking turns with others.
- To discuss the effects of different behaviours.
- How to care for living things in the environment, such as growing plants and mini beasts.



### Communication and Language (CL):

This term we will learn:

- To answer 'how' and 'why' questions about our experiences and in response to stories or events.
- To extend our vocabulary about our class topic Food.
- To read information books, stories, songs and poems.
- To use talk to co-operate and contribute to play with others.



### Physical Development (PD):

This term we will continue:

- To use a pencil and hold it effectively to form recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed.
- To know the importance of physical exercise and the benefits of a healthy diet.
- To use a range of tools and equipment safely.



### Mathematics (M):

This term we will learn:

- To count out given amounts up to 10p using 1p/2p/5p coins.
- To solve problems including halving, doubling and sharing.
- To explore the properties of everyday objects and shapes and use mathematical language to describe them.
- To count on and back from given numbers to 20.

### Understanding the World (UW):

This term we will investigate and explore the following questions:

- Is there enough food in the world for everyone?
- How does food get to your plate?
- How do we classify food?
- What is a balanced diet?



We will also learn about different cultures and beliefs focusing on the importance of food in religious and non-religious celebrations.

### Literacy (L):

This term we will learn:

- To read and write some irregular common words.
- To write simple sentences which can be read by ourselves and others.
- To develop our awareness of rhythm and alliteration through rhymes, poems, and songs.



### Expressive Art and Design (EAD):

This term we will learn:

- To represent our own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology, art, music, dance, role play and stories.
- To explore and investigate natural and man-made materials. We will be combining different materials to create art work.
- To act out imaginary roles using voices to imitate imaginary characters.

### Homework

Homework is given out every **Thursday**. Please support and encourage your child with their homework. Homework needs to be returned to school by the following **Tuesday**. If you have any questions about homework please speak to the class teacher.