

This term in Reception

A Warm Welcome from Reception

Welcome to the Autumn Term in Reception!

We are excited to get started on a brilliant year of learning, exploring and growing.

Thank you for all you do at home – working together makes a huge difference.

Here's a simple guide to what we're learning and how you can support your child.



This term's Learning Highlights



✚ **Maths:** We will focus on embedding core skills, such as number recognition, number order and counting using 1:1 correspondence.

📖 **Reading:** We will be learning our Set 1 RWI sounds and oral blending. Our authors of the term are Jill Murphy and Jeanne Willis.

✡ **RE:** Why God is so important to Christians and the nativity.

👤 **Topic:**

All about me – We will tell our peers all about our families and share how we have changed over time.

Seasons – We will think about any seasonal changes and explore the grounds to find evidence of the transitions to Autumn and Winter.

❤ **PSHE:** Our emotions



Weekly Routines and What to Expect

-  **Monday:** Reading record and reading books within the home learning pack
- Tuesday:** Reading record and reading books within the home learning pack
- Wednesday:** Reading record and reading books within the home learning pack
- Thursday:** Reading record and reading books within the home learning pack
- Friday:** Reading record and reading books within the home learning pack and library book within the library book bag

 **PE Days:** Every Tuesday

 **Water Bottles:** Please send a named water bottle every day

Snacks: Please send a healthy snack every day

Please ensure all water bottles, snack boxes, lunch boxes, clothing and PE kits are clearly labelled.

HOW YOU CAN HELP AT HOME

(in under 10 minutes a day)

Reading Together

- Aim for 5–10 minutes daily reading
- Ask questions: "What happened?" "Why do you think that?"
- Jot a quick note in the reading record

• Maths Confidence

- Quickfire number recognition
- Counting and number ordering

Writing at Home

- Simple, fun activities to develop fine motor skills and build hand strength, such as threading, playing with playdough, tweezer activities, and scissor practice.
- Play: Lots of colouring and drawing with the correct pencil grip!



 **Need Anything?**

Please message via the school office or wait until all the children have been sent to their parents/guardians at the end of the day.