

#### Reception Newsletter - May 2023

It is hard to believe we are in the final term of the children's Reception Year - time has certainly flown!

Our topics this term are 'On the Farm' and 'Are We Nearly There Yet?" In the first half term we will be learning about animals, farms, healthy foods, seasonal changes and life cycles. Next half term we will be learning about different countries around the world and transport.

# Phonics (http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/ phase-3-games.html)

We are now teaching Phase 3 in Story Time Phonics. Children will keep revising all the sounds covered so far. Please keep helping your child learn their tricky words which are on the bookmarks in their reading packet. These are words that cannot be sounded out (he, she, we, me, be, was, you, they, all, are, my, her)



## Reading books

Please remember to read your reading book and Top 50 book as much as possible. It really does help with your child's progress. If you could write a short comment in their white books to let us know how they are getting on it would be really helpful.

Remember, there are lots of books waiting for you on Bug Club. Your login can be found in the front of your



### Clothing.

As always can you please remember to label all clothing.

As the warmer weather is here, children are taking off jumpers and cardigans. They are asked to keep them in their drawers- but often they get forgotten on the way!

Please put on sun cream too before school.

#### Fruit and Milk

We have a snack time each day where the children are provided with fruit and milk and/or water. Your child can also access their water bottle throughout the school day.

Also, it would be very helpful if you would cut grapes in half if sent in lunchboxes. Many thanks.



If you have any questions or concerns, please ask a member of the team.

Mrs Gordon and Mrs Bhakta