



Reception Newsletter - April 2024

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 Supersonic 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

Reading books are still being audited so thank you for your patience with this. Please keep reading other books from home and your Top 50 books. It really does help with your child's

The MORE that you
READ, the more things
you will **KNOW.**
The MORE that you
Learn, the more places
you'll **GO.**

Dr. Seuss ReadingMatters

A little reminder that we are a nut free school as we have children and staff members with nut allergies. Please check that your child's lunchbox is nut free.

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!

If you have borrowed some spare clothes from school, please return as we are running low on pants, socks, tights and trousers.

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 Reception team