

Reading

Please listen to your child read as often as you can, ideally 3/4 times per week. Please ensure you write a comment in their reading record each time. Your child's books and reading record should be in school each day.

Your child will have 2 books. They will be able to choose their own reading for pleasure book which can be changed as often as they like. Their second book will be changed once per week and this will be a book we have focused on during our shared reading sessions in class, which is part of our Little Wandle Phonics scheme.

In the front of your child's reading record are a set of tricky words – words that cannot be sounded out. Please support your child to practise these words as often as possible.



Please ensure all of your child's clothing is clearly labelled with their name, to avoid lost items.



Reception Summer 2024 Newsletter

We hope you have all had a wonderful Easter break with your families and friends. This term is going to be a very busy one!

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Freeney, Miss Tattersall, Miss Johnson, Mrs Wroe, Mrs Houghton, Miss Harrison and Mrs Kay

As part of our work on life cycles, we have some exciting experiences planned. We are currently incubating eggs and the children are very excited to see what will hatch. Keep an eye on twitter for updates.

Next half term the children will get to meet some farm animals first hand when they visit school, more details to follow.

Riveting Reads

Riveting Reads sessions are a wonderful opportunity for parents and carers to come into Reception, share a lovely book with the children, and complete some activities that complement the book. The children each get their own copy of the book to add to their library at home.

Keep a look out for the dates and times of the sessions.

Some of the books we will be sharing include:

- *Bug Hotel
- *Sam Plants a Sunflower
- *The Naughty Bus

This term our topics will be:

*Minibeasts



*Growing/Life Cycles

*Pirates



*Transport



*Under the sea

*Seaside/Holidays



Homework

Homework is given out every **Friday** and is due in the following **Wednesday**.

Birthdays

If it is your child's birthday and you wish to send in sweets or treats, please make sure they are individually wrapped and no lollipops. Please ensure they do not contain nuts/traces of nuts.

Please ensure your child has their school bag in school each day. Ideally their bag should be able to fit their reading book/record and homework folder. Any problems please do let a member of the Reception team know.