

Reading

Please listen to your child read as often as you can, ideally 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 2025 Newsletter

We hope you 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 Cunliffe, Miss Tattersall, Mrs Wroe, Mrs Houghton, Miss Boardman and Mrs Saqlain

Maths

In the Summer term, your child will be learning the following topics:

- *Numbers to 20 and beyond.
- *Addition and subtraction.
- *2D and 3D shapes.
- *Sharing, grouping and doubling.
- *Odd and even numbers.
- *Patterns.
- *Positional language and mapping.

Phonics

In the Summer term, your child will be learning Phase 4 and continuing to practise Phase 2 and 3 sounds. You could have a go at some of the games on Phonics Play or Phonics Bloom.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/3/dragons-den>
<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/uk/game/list/phonics-games-phase-4>

Riveting Reads

Riveting Reads sessions are a wonderful opportunity for parents and carers to come into Reception and 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 upcoming sessions.

This term our topics will be:

*Minibeasts



*Growing/Life Cycles

*Pirates

*Space



*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.

Things to remember everyday

- Water bottle (labelled)
- Bridgewater school bag
- Reading record and reading books
- Sun hat on sunny days.

If you would like to provide sun-cream please clearly label with your child's name.