



Reception class NEWSLETTER 25.03.2024 Easter

Dear Parents/Carers

This week we will be learning about Easter and why Christians celebrate Easter. We will be reading the Easter story in the Bible and listening to many Easter themed stories, for example, We are going on an Easter egg hunt...

Reception Stay & Learn session

Dates for your diary

We look forward to seeing you again for our second session in **April/ May**.

Stay and Learn	Class YRB Mrs Quarmby	Class YRG Miss Aikin
Session 2 Summer term 1	Thursday 2 nd May 2024 9-10am	Tuesday 30 th April 2024 9-10am

Phonics

Ways you can help at home:

Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds Reception Phonics Home Learning

Phase 3 - Spring 2 Week 5

Focus - Longer words / Words ending in -s (s/z) -es



Please support your child to practise and reinforce the phonemes and graphemes we are learning in school. More information and support can be found on the Little Wandle website - <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -

ai	ee	ur	ow
igh	oa	oi	ear
oo	oo	air	er
ar	or		

We will be reading and writing words. Can you spot segment and blend these words and spot this week's phonemes?

lightning	mammoth	earring	poison
queens	chains	chairs	cars
boots	surfs	cooks	cheeps
torches	boxes	fizzes	fishes

We will be reading sentences. Can you spot any tricky words? Can you segment and blend the words and look out for this week's phonemes?

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The cooks pop the popcorn and pop it into the boxes!

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they all by my are sure pure

MATHS

In **Maths**, we will learn to recognise and name **3D shapes** and we will look for 2D shapes used to make the 3D shape.

Can you find any 3D shapes at home and name them?

Go on a 3D shape hunt and see any many you can name.

Can the children use the correct vocabulary?

2D shapes, flat, square, rectangle, triangle, circle.

3D shapes, solid, cube, cuboid, sphere, cylinder, pyramid, cone.

Birthdays this week:

We would like to wish,

Abdulazeem

a very happy birthday!

Have a wonderful time celebrating this week.

And

Ava-Grace

Alphonsus

Harrison

a very happy birthday! They will celebrate their birthdays over the Easter break.

Have a wonderful time.



Healthy Snacks -

As part of our learning, we have been talking about healthy options and choosing healthy snacks and drinks throughout the day.

It is lovely to see more children choosing to bringing water in their water bottles and choosing a healthy snack. Well done ☺ This is wonderful!

Some children are bringing a range of snacks to eat snack time, but we only have 15 minutes for our snack time and unfortunately, they don't always have time to

Happy Easter

We would like to wish our wonderful Reception children and their families a wonderful Easter break next week.





finish them all. We recommend one snack due to time. This may be a school snack (if paid via parent pay) or a healthy snack from home. The children also have free fruit available on the snack table throughout the day. We thank you for your support.

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 a light in the night	igh	 long thin boat	oa	 look over a hill	oi	 grin to hear	ear
 moon in the night	oo	 boat in a lake	oo	 look in the air	air	 a frog in the air	er
 cat in the hat	ar	 there with a horn	or				

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