

# Reception Newsletter

Miss Hymers and Miss Hind are so excited for the Summer term. We have lots of lovely activities planned which we cannot wait to share with you. We would love to see you as much possible so please try and get into school every single day.

## The Learning Journey continues...

The children had such an incredible Spring term full of traditional tales and Easter fun. We are going to continue to our PE sessions, starting with football. Can we please ask that you bring in a PE kit for your child every **Monday**. This includes a pair of black PE shorts and a blue polo shirt. In order to support your child can we please ask that you start giving your children opportunities to dress themselves at home.



## What the children will be learning...

The children will be sharing lots of stories about growing and planting. We will continue our learning about seasonal change and see how our local environment has changed moving into Spring time. We will be beginning to identify odd and even numbers and number bonds to 5 and 10. This is definitely something that we can practise at home! We have become super stars at identifying some 2D shapes so Mrs Fleming is going to challenge us to some 3D shapes this next half term. In phonics we will begin to reading some words with 4 sounds and consolidating reading whole sentences independently.



## How can you help your child?

Please give your child as many opportunities as you can to write. Whether that be a shopping list, a letter or a birthday card, we would love to see evidence of this. It would be great if you could spend some time with your child practising their number bonds to 5. How about getting 5 objects and sorting them into 2 groups, perhaps by colour and talking about there is still 5 altogether. Please ask Miss Hymers for any support you can be doing at home. When reading stories at home, please ask your children questions. How is the character feeling? What do you think might happen next? This will enhance those comprehension skills moving into Key Stage 1. Please can we ask that you access activities which are being set each weekend on Seesaw. If for whatever reason you are unable to get onto Seesaw, please speak to Miss Hymers.

## Useful Information



In the cloakroom there is a parent information board with lots of information about reading, safeguarding and other info. We will update it on events that are happening or things you need to know about.

If you have any worries or concerns, please speak to myself or Miss Hind.

<b>Monday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Return both library book and guided reading book with record</li> <li>• PE kit – black shorts and blue polo top</li> </ul>
<b>Tuesday</b>	
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<b>Thursday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Library book to be chosen and taken home</li> </ul>
<b>Friday</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Guided reading book and record to go home             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20p for toast</li> </ul> </li> </ul>