Reception

Reminders



<u>Water Bottles</u> Please ensure that your child brings in their empty water bottle everyday. We fill these in the

morning to reduce the risk of damage to books and letters in their book bags.

<u>PE Kit</u>

PE this term is on Monday. Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school and that all items are clearly labelled.

<u>Library</u>

Library day is on Friday. Please ensure that library books are returned each week.

Parents Evening

There will be a Parents' Evening scheduled this term to discuss progress and targets.

Our Topic

If you would like to find out more about our Spring topics please visit the Reception page on the school website.

Spring Term News

Welcome back! I hope you had a lovely holiday and are ready for another busy but fun term in Reception.

As always if you have any concerns or would like to discuss anything further please do not hesitate to get in touch with us. Thank you, **Miss Franklin**



How you can help your child learning this term...

- Encourage your child to practise recognising, reading and writing their name regularly.
- Encourage your child to practise recognising, reading and writing numbers to 20. e.g. On the walk home from school look at the house numbers and numbers on car number plates.
- Read with you child every day.
- Play board games/ card games with your child encouraging turn taking, counting and letter recognition.
- Spend some time with your child doing creative things such as Baking (talk about weighing ingredients "how much..."), Art activities (looking at colours and textures)
- Encourage your child to dress and undress themselves each day.
- Help your children to learn how to fasten their own coat this is essential with the weather getting increasingly colder.
- Support your child with their homework.

Home Learning

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Each **Friday** your child will be given a home learning task. This is to be returned the following **Wednesday**.

Reading

Reading is the key to all learning and your child will read with us in school on a **daily basis** during the Read, Write, Inc. lessons and one to one reading time. Reading books will be changed on a **Monday**. It is important that you listen to your child read and your child develops a love of reading. Don't forget to use the support material in the reading diary. and sign their reading records.

Maths

This term we will be counting everyday forwards and backwards to 20 and forwards to 100. We will also be finding one more and one less than a given number to 20. We will look at pattern and making charts. We will be looking at different aspects of shape, space and measure.