



# Reception Newsletter



3<sup>rd</sup> November 2019

## A look ahead to Autumn Term 2

Welcome Back!

We hope you all had a great week. As we start the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of the Autumn term, the topic is 'Out of this World'. Within this topic we will talk about Children in Need. Towards the end of the term we will look at toys and Christmas. At the beginning of each topic, a knowledge organiser will be sent out which gives key information about what the children will be taught and key vocabulary and definitions that the children will learn throughout the topic.

### Bedtime Story Bag

To promote reading and making reading an enjoyable experience as possible for children, each week a child from each Reception class will be chosen to take home the bedtime story bag. This bag contains a book, the class soft toy and a sachet of hot chocolate.

Your child can enjoy and share the book at home and return it the following week. Their reading experience could also be shared on Tapestry too.



### National Nursery Rhyme Week

The children will be taking part in National Nursery Rhyme Week (18<sup>th</sup> November – 22<sup>nd</sup> November). The children will learn a new nursery rhyme each day and will complete activities associated with the songs. A letter will be sent out on 18<sup>th</sup> November providing you with more information about the songs they will be taught and a song sheet.

### Home Learning Packs

Home learning packs will be available for you to borrow. There are a variety of packs containing activities for you to do with your child at home. The packs have an activity card inside which gives you ideas of the activities that can be completed with each pack. The activities range from maths games, phonic games, bean bag activities.

The packs will be available to borrow from home time tomorrow. Please sign out the pack you are borrowing. Packs can be changed either in the morning or at home time.

If your child completes activities from the home learning packs please share a photo or video on Tapestry.



**Individual photographs** – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November.

**P.E kits** – Please ensure your child has their P.E kit in school on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November**, ready for their P.E lessons on Friday.

**Non-school uniform day** – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November.

**Trip to the library** – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November. If your child has a library card please ensure they bring it to school on this day.

**Sibling photographs** – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November.

**Plant a daffodil day** – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November

**Read Write Inc parent workshop** – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November at 2:00pm-3:00pm. If you would like to attend the workshop please complete the slip attached to the letter.

Please do not hesitate to ask a member of staff if you need anything or have a question.

Thank you for your continued support.

Miss Sandhu and  
Miss Brown