



Helping at home

Read and recognise numbers in their environment.

Encouraging your child to practice dressing independently.

Encourage your child to tidy their toys away.

Useful Websites

Maths: <http://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/3-5-years/counting>

Dates for your Diary:

Thursday 22 nd September	Parent Workshop Evening: English Key Stage 1: 7:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Tuesday 27 th September	Parent Workshop Evening: English Key Stage 2: 7:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Thursday 6 th October	Harvest service: Church: RB, 1F, 2U, 3BB, 4M, 5FR, 6I
Friday 7 th October	Harvest service: Church: RR, 1R, 2B, 3TB, 4H, 5C, 6P
Tuesday 18 th October	Parents evening 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday 19 st October	Parents evening 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Thursday 20 th October	Year 3 Bible presentation assembly
Friday 21 st October	Staff training day—school closed to pupils
Thursday 10 th November	Parent Workshop Evening: Maths Key Stage 2: 7:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Friday 11 th November	Remembrance day commemorations
Tuesday 15 th November	Parent Workshop Evening: Maths Key Stage 1: 7:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Friday 18 th November	Reception Celebration Assembly
Tuesday 6 th December	Christmas plays: 1:30 p.m: NPM and Reception
Wednesday 7 th December	Christmas plays: 9:30 a.m: NAM and Reception
Thursday 8 th December	Christmas plays: 1:30 p.m: Year 1 and 2
Friday 9 th December	Christmas plays: 1:30 p.m: Year 1 and 2
Tuesday 13 th December	Carol service: Church: Nur, Rec, Year 1
Wednesday 14 th December	Carol service: Church: Year 2, 3 and 4
Thursday 15 th December	Carol service: Church: Year 5 and 6; Christmas lunch KS1 Christmas parties
Friday 16 th December	KS2 Christmas parties... Term ends (1:15 and 1:30 p.m.)



Cooper and Jordan

Where light shines!



Reception Information Booklet Autumn 1

RB: Miss Barnett

RR: Mr Russell

Mrs Turner (HLTA); Mrs Caddick (TA)



Weekly information

Please bring in the following things on the following days:

Monday: Indoor P.E kit

Tuesday: Indoor P.E Kit

Your child's indoor P.E kit should have a blue t-shirt, royal blue shorts and black pumps.

Please remember that your child needs to have a water bottle in school each day with water inside. Make sure the water bottle is clearly labelled.



Communication and Language:

- Talking about themselves, their families & about the different things that interest them eg their favourite toys etc.
- Playing lots of interactive listening games & learning a wide range of songs that we can all sing together.
- Going on an Autumn walk & talking about the changes they can see.

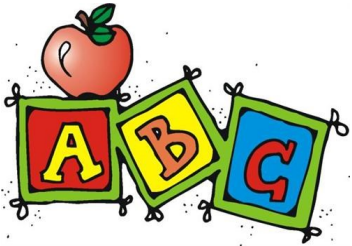


Reception Autumn 1 Half Term

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

- Making lots of new friends as they settle into the Reception setting.
- Settling into routines & learning to become independent in a number of everyday tasks, like taking their own coats off & hanging them up, putting their book bag into their coloured box. etc.

Literacy:



- Beginning to trace/ write their own name.
- Recognising their own name on their coat pegs.
- Sharing Harvest stories.
- Joining in with activities that promote pre-writing skills around the classroom.
- Joining in with actions in books at story time.

Mathematics:

- Joining in with lots of different number songs.
- Playing some fun number games, hunting for shapes & patterns around us.
- Using number skills in a variety of everyday situations, like counting the candles on a cake or how much fruit is in the bowl.



Topics this term:

All About me Harvest



Physical Development:



- Having fun using both small & large equipment, like climbing apparatus, scissors & threading beads, helping to continue developing their stamina & co-ordination amongst many other skills
- Riding cars, bikes & scooters.
- Taking part in PE lesson twice during each week.

Understanding the World:



- Exploring & investigating the environment; inside & out.
- Beginning to find out about their new friends & their interests as we continue to get to know each other.
- Looking at changes in the outside environment.
- Learning about the Harvest festival.
- Talking about how we help other people by sharing food at Harvest.

Expressive Arts and Design:

- Colour mixing Autumn colours.
- Exploring a wide range of creative materials & resources independently.
- Being shown how to use different techniques, like printing, using spatulas to spread glue.
- Painting a picture of themselves adding all the features of their faces.

