

Reception Class Newsletter

Term 5 and 6 2024



Welcome back Class R! Thank you all so much for such an incredible time in Class R and for all the well wishes and gifts I received. It was amazing working with you all, the children learnt so much and you should all be very proud of them. I know they will all achieve everything they put their minds to.

I hope you had a wonderful Easter holiday and ate some delicious chocolate. Your new teacher, Mrs Richardson and Mrs Morris are looking forward to the summer term and more wonderful learning.

Please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Richardson if you have any queries or require any further support. She will be always happy to help!

I wish you all the best of luck as your children progress with their school journey.

Emma Owen

We will enjoy learning about...

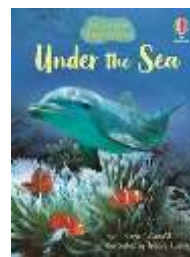
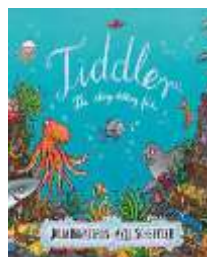
Term 5 – Amazing Animals!

During Term 5 we will be learning all about animals! We will become explorers of our environment, hunting and examining plants and mini beasts. We will read non-fiction books about creepy crawlies and write captions to describe how they are different. We will be investigating their habitats in our garden and in Forest School.



Term 6 – Fun at the Seaside!

In Term 6 we will learn about the seaside. We will be creating some seaside art and explore under the sea. We will celebrate the end of term by having a pirate day where we will sing songs and shanties. We look forward to having a joint Sports Day with the Nursery. Details to follow.



Reading Books

Thank you so much to those of you who have been reading regularly with your child at home – this is absolutely invaluable!!

Reading books will continue to be sent home each **Friday**. Please return the books by the following **Friday** so that we can replace them.



Weather

Although we have our fingers crossed for sunny weather, we will be outside whatever the weather so please ensure your child has the correct clothing. This includes school shoes, a coat (the weather can quickly change, so this needs to be at school every day), a sun hat and sun cream to reapply during the day. Sun cream needs to be applied at home in the morning before school.



How can you help at home?

Continue to read and write tricky words and secure the correct letter formation.

Fantastic websites to use are Topmarks, ICT games and also the Cbeebies website.

Also, you can talk about maths in everyday life and sing maths songs.



Transition to Class One

In order to prepare the children for their transition to Year 1 we have planned a series of events to make this move as smooth as possible. They will visit their new classroom and spend time with the Year 1 teacher, as they go and share their favourite stories. During 'Meet the Teacher Day' the children will spend a whole morning with their new teacher. At the end of the year I will meet with the Year 1 teacher to pass on information about each child.

