



Reception Newsletter

Autumn 2

Welcome

Hello and welcome to Reception Class Autumn 2 newsletter. Mrs Lord-Jones and Mrs Davis will be our teaching assistants this term. Mrs Lord-Jones will continue to teach the class on Thursday afternoons. We all look forward to working with the children, parents/ carers, and appreciate your continued support again this half term.

Important dates

03.11.25—INSET Day
04.11.25—Train Ride trip
06.11.25—Art competition in the school hall
10.11.25—Individual and sibling photos
14.11.25—Children in Need—non-uniform
13.14.11.25—Whole school art gallery 2.45pm - 3.15pm
11.12.25—Christmas Jumper Day
11.12.25—Christmas Fair
15.12.25—EYFS party— PM
17.12.25—Christmas dinner day
19.12.25—Finish for Christmas at 1:30pm

Curriculum

Our author of the half term is June Crebbin and our text is The Train Ride
In Geography we will be learning how to draw information from a simple map linked to our transport topic, trip on a train and the post office.
In History we will be looking at what transport looks like today compared to the past.
In Science we will begin to Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around us during Forest School.
In RE we will be learning all about 'Which stories are special and why?'
In Art we will continue to use our sketchbooks, explore line drawing, tone and colour mixing.
In Music we will make up a simple accompaniment using percussion instruments. We will also sing a tune with 'stepping' and 'leaping' notes and Play a steady beat on percussion instruments.
We will continue to have weekly mental health session through My Happy Mind.

PE



PE will be on **Wednesdays** this term. Children need to come to school in their PE kit. Our Kit consists of black shorts/bottoms, white t-shirt, PE hoodie and black trainers. Also, please remember no earrings on PE days.

Forest School

Forest school will be on **Monday** afternoons. Please can you provide your child with wellingtons and waterproofs . Many thanks.

Homework

Maths



Paper worksheets will be sent home every Monday and Dojo points will be rewarded for children that take part. Children can still continue to log on to Numbots to practice their numeracy skills.

Reading

Children need to read their book to develop fluency. Please bring books back on **Mondays** to be change. Books will be recorded in your child's reading journal, parents/carers can also make notes. This helps us see any areas which your child can be supported through their reading journey. We aim for books to go home on **Wednesdays**. No books will be given the first two weeks due to assessments.

Communication

Please make sure that you are signed up to Class Dojo where you will receive class and whole school updates.
You can see what we are up to on our Instagram page **bradley_green_academy**

