

# Welcome to Reception

R1 Somalia Class

R2 Ghana Class

R3 Nigeria Class

Rushey Green Primary School



# The team:

Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistant
R1	Jules	Kala, Carolina
R2	Ms Asamoah	Mrs Rodney, Mrs Morgan
R3	Ms Stewart	Ms Lampty, Chris



# Calm School Code:



# Recognition Boards, Zones of Regulation and Star of the Week

- Praising the good behaviour
- Verbalising the behaviour that we expect to see
- Star of the week



# Home learning:

- On Friday all children will be given a letter formation sheet. The sheet will show the children how to form their letters correctly. Please practice writing the letters with your child every night for 5-10 minutes. Your child may use their interest book that we sent home last week to write in if you do not have access to any paper.
- Every second week we will be sending home a 'Home Learning Challenge' sheet. Please complete the activities on the sheet and again if you wish to record any of your child's learning you may use their interest book.





# Reading:

- Changing of books – Books can be changed every day. Children will need to find their library card and put it in their book folder with their new book. Teachers will then record what book your child has borrowed.
- Read to your child every day.
- Ask them questions about the book you have read.
- See if they can spot any high frequency words or words beginning with a certain letter within the text.

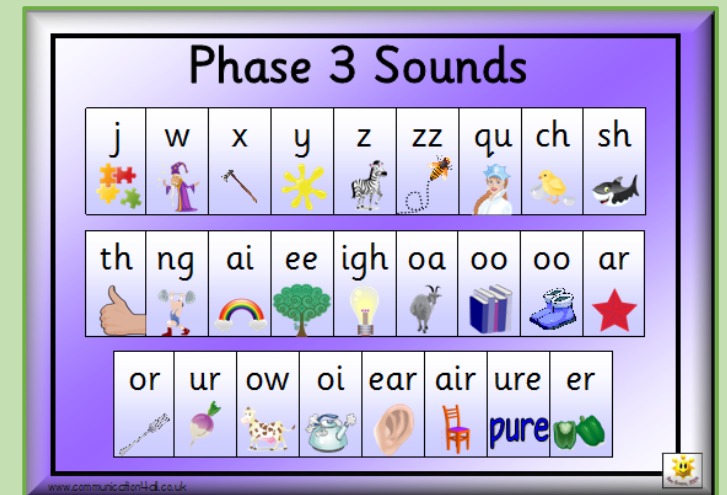
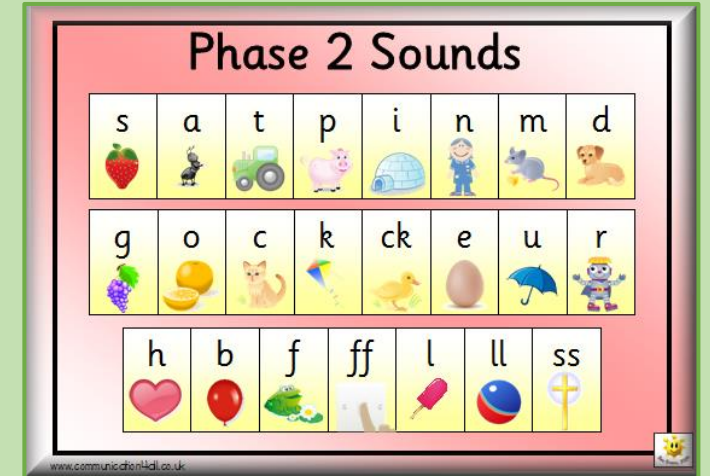


# High frequency words

- Children will be given a high frequency word sheet on Friday. Please practice reading the words and sentences with your child. Once they are confident at reading the words we will then move them onto the next sheet.

# Phonics:

- The children are now taking part in daily phonics lessons
- Please encourage your child to practice writing their letter sounds as well as their name
- Encourage your child to use phonics to have a go at spelling words when writing
- Making mistakes is part of the process
- Please be positive about all mark making
- Praise the effort









# What you can do to help

- **Bedtime stories**
- **Talk** to your child about their day
- Practice forming numbers and letter
- Count at any given opportunity
- Read door numbers, car registrations etc.
- Practice common exception words
- Mark marking



# P.E:

- Children are to wear green or black shorts, leggings or track bottoms and a plain white t-shirt for lessons.
- The children's lessons will take place inside - plimsolls or trainers should be worn.
- Please ensure that **all** items of clothing are named.
- P.E is part of the EYFS curriculum, so children need to bring their PE kit to school every week. (They may leave it in school if you prefer)
- R1's PE lesson is on Monday
- R2's on Thursday
- R3's on Tuesday



# Forest School Sessions

- **For the cold weather:**
  - Hats and gloves
  - Wellington boots (Please bring a named pair into school and we will store them for you)
  - Waterproof clothing (The school has some that we can provide)
  - Coat
- **For hot weather:**
  - Sun hat (preferably one that offers protection to the back of their neck)
  - Sensible sturdy closed toed shoes.
  - Preferably covered legs (no shorts)
  - Wellington boots and waterproof clothing
  - Sun cream protection



# Black History Month

Next week will be the start of Black History Month. We will be learning about the singer Bob Marley and learning the lyrics to his famous song, 'Everythings Gonna Be Alright'

We will also have a visit from a famous author

We will be making fruit salad from the story of 'Handa's surprise' as well as making rice and tasting plantain crisps.

On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> October we would like all children to dress up in their own traditional costume or clothes.





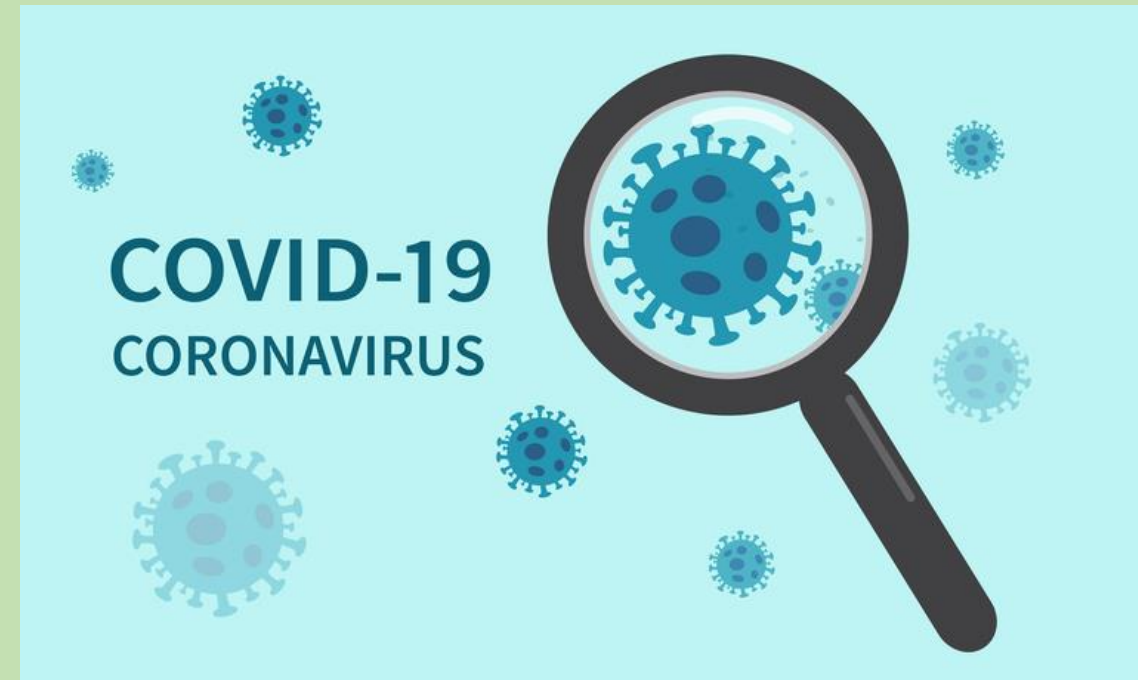
# COVID Safety and Recovery Measures

Washing hands before every transition

Year group bubbles

Staggered lunch times

Mindfulness



# Contact with class teachers

- Class teachers are available after school for day to day discussions
- If you have any other issues then feel free to make an appointment.
- Alternatively, you can send a note in with your child.

[admin@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:admin@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk)



**Each class has their own Twitter account**

**R1 - @RGSomalia\_R1**

**R2 - @RGGhana\_R2**

**R3- @RGNigeria\_R3**

**Thank you for taking the time to come  
and see us today .**

**Are there any questions?**

