



Welcome to our EYFS Unit

Reception Curriculum

"Together, may we give your children the roots to grow and the wings to fly."

Meet the Team!



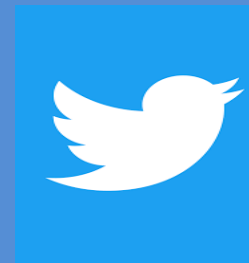
We have been having so much fun...



Communication



- Parents as partners- most influential people in children's lives.
- Website - <https://www.st-annesrc.lancs.sch.uk/>
- Long Term Overview of Topics
- Termly 'Knowledge Organiser' posted with information about upcoming topics and activities to support at home.
- Documents to support at home e.g. letter formation
- Newsletters and calendar for upcoming events and information
- Twitter- our EYFS page @stannesfs



Baseline

- Over the last couple of week we have been getting to know your children and their level of learning and development.
- Statutory Government Baseline
- Starting point – plan for next steps

Early Learning Goals

- In the final term of the Reception Year the EYFS Profile will be completed for each child.
- Each child's level of development is assessed against the ELG's.
- Children are assessed as meeting or not yet meeting the expected level of development.
- The exceeding statement has now been removed.

Phonics



- Daily Phonics Lessons
- New scheme - Bug Club
- Letter Formation- Lowercase letters
- Children are assessed on a termly basis, and may have interventions depending on their knowledge and skills of blending and segmenting.
- Important – to use the pure sounds with the children at home.
- <https://youtu.be/0dCRWLLNXPo>

Individual/Guided Reading at St Anne's School

- Initially, your child will read on a one to one basis on a book based on the sounds they have been previously taught and know.
- During the sessions the children learn how to talk about a book, make predictions and comment on characters and plot.
- The reading books are fiction and non-fiction.
- In the summer term children will begin to complete small group guided reading sessions.

Home Reading

- Children will be allocated Books online each Monday (Class 2) and Tuesday (Class 1).
- We will inform you of your child's progress at parents evening, but if your child needs extra help we will work closely with you to support their progress.
- Demonstration of bug club. Usernames and Passwords are included in packs.

St Anne's Reading Award

- Children are rewarded for their home reading throughout the year, but need your help to get their points, so please don't forget to read each week and complete the bug club challenge at the end of the book!
- Children receive prizes and can create their own world on bug club.
- When your child reads 15 books, they will also receive a bronze certificate.
- When your child reads 30 books, they will receive a silver certificate and a St Anne's bookmark.
- When your child reads 45 books, they will receive a gold certificate and a reading book.

Mathematics

- Follow White Rose Scheme
- Practical activities – concrete/pictorial – abstract



What can you do?

- Count with your children
- When children count a group of objects, ask them the question 'How many?'. Encourage them to use the counting techniques we will be teaching them in school e.g. touch count, putting in a line etc.
- Discuss mathematical vocabulary such as: big, small, heavy and light.

Weekly Homework

We will use Class Charts to inform you of homework (Login Details in pack). You will also be directed to Education City for Phonics and Mathematics homework activities (Logins to follow).

The homework will be linked to what is covered during the week and will be set on Friday for completion by the following Friday.

Daily reading on bug club



General

- Positive Behaviour management system – bucket filler.
- All children need a book bag each day.
- Water bottles not to be placed in bags. No juice- Water only
- Waterproof clothes for outdoor play – practice getting changed at home so they can do this independently.
- Names in clothes and on water bottles
- Colouring book for wet weather.
- Donations of spare clothes and underwear.
- Snack money £14 a term in a named envelope.
- PE lessons Wednesday and Friday: Come to school in PE kit and jumper/cardigan. Please no hooped earrings and either remove or cover studded earrings with plaster.

Thank you for listening

- Please take your child's pack which includes:
 - Bug Club Phonics Logins
 - Class Charts and Education City Logins
 - Letter formation packs
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- Please feel free to speak to us if you have any questions.