

# **Owls and Hedgehogs Reception Class**

Autumn 1 Overview Mrs Elliott and Miss Smith





The children will be introduced to Read Write Inc phonics. Fred the frog will help the children to read and write the initial sounds. Phonics lessons will be daily and children will be give lots of opportunities to hear 'Fred talk'. For example:

a-t at, m-a-t mat, s-a-t sat.



## School Uniform

The children must come to school each day in their full school uniform and black school shoes. Please make sure all items of clothing are named. Earrings must be studs only.

### Maths

Maths is taught every day in a variety of fun ways. The children come together for daily maths time where we count, practise number recognition and our 1:1 counting skills.



The children also explore maths in the provision as well as joining in with number songs, games and puzzles.

#### **Healthy Snack**

We teach the children the importance of healthy eating. Each day your child will be given a healthy snack and milk. Please send your child to school with a named water bottle filled with water.

#### Theme

This half term our theme will be 'Home Sweet Home'. Our key texts are:

- Five Minutes Peace
- Ruby's Worry
- Goldilocks and the Three Bears
- The Three Little Pigs
- The Enormous Turnip



**Outdoor Provision** 

Outdoor provision will always

be available for the children.

There will be a wide selection

of activities available such as

bikes, sand, water, large

construction and an exciting

outdoor reading area.

## Singing and Nursery Rhymes

Each day the children will join in with singing songs and nursery rhymes.

Our focus songs will include:

- There Was an Old Lady
- Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes
- Here We Go Round the Mulberry Bush
- If You're Happy and You Know It
- Brush Your Teeth
- Incy Wincy Spider
- I Jump Out Of Bed in the Morning

## P.E

Reception's PE day is Tuesday. Please send your child to school on Tuesday's with their PE kit in a bag. PE kit - white t-shirt, black/navy shorts or legging and PE pumps.