



EYFS
Newsletter - SPRING 1
January 2023

Welcome Back!

Welcome back everyone! We hope you all had a lovely break. It has been lovely listening to the children's stories about all of the exciting things that they have been getting up to. They have settled back into school life brilliantly and are enjoying being back with their friends. We have had a very exciting start to the term by conducting an experiment with apples – ask your child to tell you all about it!

We will continue to do Forest School every Wednesday. As we are now experiencing quite cold temperatures could you please ensure that you send in thick gloves, a hat and thick/extra socks every Wednesday. We will send these back home each week.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or queries. You can do this via email, through the school office or in person at the start or end of the day.

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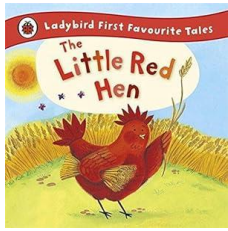
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EYFS Topics

Autumn 1 (04.09.23 – 19.10.23)	Spring 1 (08.01.24 – 09.02.24)	Summer 1 (15.04.24 – 24.05.24)
Me and My World	People Who Help Us	Amazing Animals
Autumn 2 (30.10.23 – 21.12.23)	Spring 2 (19.02.24 – 28.03.24)	Summer 2 (04.06.24 – 19.07.24)
Light up the Sky	Healthy Bodies	On the Move!

Weekly Timetable

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Change Reading Books	Forest School		PE



Our Learning this half term



Our topic for the first half term is '**People Who Help Us**'. Throughout this half term, we will be focussing on:

Literacy: We will continue to develop our literacy skills through phonics, letter formation and writing words and phrases. We will re-tell the story of 'The Little Red Hen' through actions and words using Talk for Writing and then we will write parts of this in our books.

Maths: We will look at 1 more and 1 less, the composition of numbers, counting, mass and capacity and doubling numbers to 4.

PE: We will develop the fundamental skills through a variety of activities including some firefighter training!

Topic: We will explore the different roles of people who help us and even have a few visitors into school to provide the children with exciting and informative opportunities to support their learning.

PSHE: We will explore what makes us individual and why that is so special, how our actions impact on others, understanding and enjoying a sense of belonging and taking risks.

Forest School: We will develop our confidence and independence through free exploration and learn to follow rules and boundaries through a variety of games.





Bug Club

Reading

We will continue to allocate fully decodable eBooks on Bug Club every week which will focus on the sounds that your child has been learning.

We will also continue to add the 'Action for Sounds' videos and games.

These books and activities are essential and should take priority with your home reading as they provide the children a chance to practise and consolidate the sounds they have been taught.

From next week your child will start to bring home physical books that they have chosen. One will be a book in line with their reading ability, however they may contain some words that they need help with, and the other book will be a library book to share with you.

Please continue to complete the Reading Record Book in relation to the Bug Club eBook every week and send into school with the physical books every Tuesday.

