



**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

### **This week in Reception**

We will be continuing our Farm animal topic and we will be going on a short local learning walk in small groups to support this.

### **Phonics** **Phonic focus for this week**

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This week we will continue phase 4, reading and spelling CVCC words and high frequency words. We will learn the tricky words 'do', 'when', 'out' and 'what'.

### **English and Topic**

We will be writing about 'What we see on the farm'. The children will be encouraged to write more than one sentence independently using school writing, clear finger spaces and full stops. We will also be focusing on using each line fully and discussing where a capital letter and full stop belongs.



### **Maths**

This week will be recapping addition and subtraction, writing number sentences and using a number line to count on and back.

### **What can you do at home?**

1. Please practise reading and writing the high frequency words.
2. Practise reading and writing phase 3 digraphs and trigraphs.
3. Please listen to/read with your child daily – this includes both reading books and Bugclub books. Please keep books in their book bags each day as we use these books to read with them at school.
4. Practise adding and taking away using objects or a number line up to 10/20 or beyond.
5. On MiniMash, please have your child complete a 'Numbers and counting' activity. There is the option of a fun ladybird doubling activity, a 2race addition to 10 and an animal counting quiz to choose from.
6. Share information books and practise finding information. Can your child use the contents page?
7. Practise sentence writing. Find a picture of anything that interests your child in a magazine or on the internet and ask your child to write about it. Try to do this 2 or 3 times a week.



### **Action points**

- ★We will be going on a local learning walk in small groups throughout the week. Please ensure that you send your child in with a rain coat in the event that it does rain.
- ★Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle in school every day.
- ★Please collect old newspaper for our creative table. We have plenty of everything else for the time being. Thank you.
- ★PE will be held on Monday afternoon, if it is raining this will be held in the hall.

If you have any concerns please feel free to come and chat to one of us.

*Reception Team.*