



Monday 3rd November 2025

Welcome back!

This week in Reception

This week we will be learning about Autumn, focusing on Bonfire Night.

Phonics
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Phonic focus for this week

This week we will introduce the sounds 'e', 'u' and 'r'. We will use Monster Phonic actions and songs to help support the learning. We will introduce the tricky words 'to' and 'into'.

Maths

We will be learning to find one less than a given number alongside our White Rose learning.



What can you do at home?

1. Please help your child practise the sounds and tricky words and make sure the sound book is in their book bag the following Thursday so the new sounds can be stuck in.
2. **Please read the home reading book regularly, and write a comment in the reading diary each time. An adult will hear your child read once a week and they will be given a new book – please keep your child's reading pack in their book bags every day.**
3. Look for the word 'the' and 'I' in different books.
4. Practise counting and reading numbers to 10/20 or beyond. Can your child say which number is one more/ one less than a given number?
5. Keep practising name writing using the school script.
6. Please encourage your child to dress/undress themselves as this will really help when getting changed for PE. Also, practise doing up zips and putting on gloves and mittens, ready for the colder weather.



Action points

★Show & Tell: **Group 3 will be showing on Friday 7th November** and the theme is 'Autumn'. The children can bring in autumn objects collected from a walk, photos of them out finding autumn objects or they can make an autumn picture using autumn objects. It is up to you, you can be as creative as you like. Bikes will be group 3, weather permitting. The next show and tell theme is '2D shapes'. The children could go on a shape hunt and take photos, make a shape mobile or draw a shape picture. Be as creative as you like. The children need to be able to name the shapes- square, rectangle, circle, triangle etc- and describe them, (number of sides and corners.) **Group 1 will be on Friday 14th November, Group 2 – November 21st and Group 3 –28th November.**

★We visit the Library every Tuesday. Please return the book the following Tuesday so your child can choose a new one.

★Our PE day has changed. This term it will be on Mondays.

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

Reception Team

