

Monday 10th June

This week in Reception

This week we are continuing our learning about mini-beasts.

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Phonico Phonic focus for this week

This week we will be re-capping ccvcc words like stamp and grunt. We will re-cap the high frequency words- time, house, about, out.

English and Topic

We will be writing some facts about minibeasts to make a class information book.

This week we will be re-capping addition and will also be subtracting using objects and counting back using number lines.

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 and make comments in the reading record. Please keep this in their book bags each day as we regularly check these and update them.
- 4. Practise adding and taking away using objects or a number line up to 10/20 or beyond.
- 5. Practise counting in twos to 20 and number bonds to 5/10.
- 6. Practise doubling numbers up to 10 and halving numbers by sharing objects practically.
- 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

- ★Show and Tell Group 2 will be Friday 14th June and Group 3 Friday 21st June. The theme is to design and make a simple maths game. It could be based on snakes and ladders or a pairs / lotto style game. It is up to you. Your child needs to make the game and practise playing it with you so they can explain the rules to the class, they may want to write them with you. They will have an opportunity to play their game with some friends in class.
- ★Junk materials- Please send in corks, card tubes, and bottle tops from milk cartons, if you have any.
- **★Class Assembly-** Please practise your child's words with them, speaking in a loud, clear voice. The assembly is on Tuesday 18th June, 9am at St Stephen and St Agnes Church.
- ★Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle in school every day.
- ★Please remember to bring library books on Tuesday.
- ★Reception will be having some swimming lessons starting on Wednesday 19th June, please make sure you have received the letter and sent the form back. If you are able to help with walking and changing please sign up on the sheet outside the reception classroom.
- **★Morning arrangements-** Well done to those who have been very independent coming in on their own this week. We would like everyone to try this from Monday 17th June. If your child is upset or you have an urgent message you can, of course, bring them to the door.

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

