



**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

### **This week in Reception**

This week is extra busy as we will be starting our learning about Farm Animals with a trip to Odds Farm.

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

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This week we will re-cap all sounds and tricky words. We will be reading and spelling CVC + words with taught digraphs.

### **English and Topic**

We will be writing a recount of our trip to Odds Farm. The children will be encouraged to write more than one sentence using school writing, clear finger spaces and full stops.



### **Maths**

This week we will be practising number bonds to 5/10 and rotating and moving shapes to develop our understanding.

### **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 on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May and group 3 will be on **Thursday** 23<sup>rd</sup> May. The theme is my favourite animal. We would like your child to draw or paint a picture, take a photo or make a model of their favourite animal and for your child to write 2 or 3 facts about their favourite animal. (Remembering to use capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.).
- ★ Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle in school every day.

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

*Reception Team.*