



Monday 22nd June

This week in Reception

This week we will be learning about rainforests and the animals that live there. We will be thinking about the following questions - Are all the minibeasts the same or different? What other animals live there and where are the rainforests?

Phonics **Phonic focus for this week**
ee ur ow
wh y au

This week we will continue working on cvc+ combinations including polysyllabic words such as sandpit, lunchbox.

English and Topic

This week the children will be completing different independent writing activities linked to the Rainforest.



Maths

This week we will continue the White Rose unit 'Visualise, Build and Map'. This unit covers patterns and positional vocabulary. We will also re-cap addition, subtraction and number bonds.

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 3 Friday 26th June** - 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.

★**Class Assembly-** Please practise your child's words with them, speaking in a loud, clear voice. **The assembly is on Thursday 25th June, 9am at St Stephen and St Agnes Church.**

★**Swimming** –Please make sure your child has their swimming costume on under their uniform and they have their swimming bag with a towel, swim hat and underwear. Please don't send flip flops or crocs as they don't need these.

★Please ensure that your child has a named water bottle and a sunhat in school every day.

★Please remember to bring library books on Tuesday.

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