



**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2025**

### **This week in Reception**

This week we will continue learning about spring and growing. We will focus on the story The Enormous Turnip while continuing some of our Jack and the Beanstalk learning.

**Phonics** This week we will introduce the new trigraph 'air'. We will learn the tricky words 'by', 'little' and 'what'.  
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### **English and Topic**

We will be focusing on independent writing about The Enormous Turnip.



### **Maths**

This week we will explore 3D shape. We will be naming shapes, sorting them and describing them.

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

1. Please practise writing cvc words (eg. Jug, cat ) and ccvc words (eg. ship, thin). All these words have three sounds. Also practise writing words with four sounds eg. hand, lamp, tent.
2. Practise reading and writing the tricky words we have covered. Mini flashcards are at the back of your child's sound book and you can look for the tricky words in books.
3. Practise finding doubles to double 5/10
4. 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.
5. Keep practising adding and subtracting within 10- add/ subtract different objects around the home and write a number sentence to go with it.
6. How many 3d shapes can you see around your home or outside when you are walking around?



### **Action points**

★**Show and tell will be on Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March for group 3.** The new theme is Spring and Growing. Your child could go on a spring walk or look for signs of spring in your garden. S/he could draw pictures, take photos, make a spring collage or bring in a plant /flowers to talk about with the class. There will be no show and tell on the last Friday of term.

★Please check all PE clothes and school uniform is named, especially hats, gloves and scarves.

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

★**Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March all parents are invited to a presentation/ workshop about the end of year expectations and ways to help your child achieve them.**

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

*Reception Team*