

Reception Topic Letter Summer 2024



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Important reminders



As the weather gets warmer, please apply sun cream to your child at home.

Please also ensure that your child has a named sun hat and wears sensible shoes to school e.g. no open toe shoes.

In maths we will be learning to: recognise odd and even numbers, positional language, problem solving involving addition and subtraction and pattern.

Key vocabulary for maths: more/less, odd/even, share/equal/same, add/plus, subtract/take-away/minus, pattern/repeating pattern. Under/over, through, forwards, backwards, next to, behind, in front.

In literacy we will be learning to: read and spell Red Words, spell and write sentences independently, including starting sentences with a capital letter and ending them with a full stop. We are building up to writing a short paragraph and forming letters correctly.

Key vocabulary for literacy: capital letter, full stop, sentence.

In other areas of the curriculum we will be learning about: working as part of a team in PE. Exploring at different modes of transport; old and new. We may even go beyond the stratosphere into space! Later in the half term the children will be imagining a special journey and decide how they will get there and what they will see on the way to their destination.

Key vocabulary: Vehicle, travel, journey, transport, visit, team, the past/long ago, today, yesterday, old/new.

Activities you could do to support our topic at home:

Visit the Transport Museum, Science Museum, Greenwich Museum and/or Planetarium and go to the interactive children areas. Research different vehicles. Look at information books and visit a library.