



Monday 24th February 2020

This week in Reception

Welcome back! We will be continuing our 'Celebrations' topic and linking it to Spring.

Phonics Phonic focus for this week

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English and Topic

We will be making pancakes and are writing focus will be writing instructions.



Maths

This week we will be looking at coins and adding up small amounts up to 10p in different ways and then 20p.

What can you do at home?

1. Please practise writing cvc words (eg. Jug, cat), ccvc words (eg. flag) and cvcc (tent, fish) words with three or four sounds. Then practise reading and writing words with digraphs in them. (chip, fish, rain, tree)
2. Practise reading 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. Please practise writing the phase 2/3 tricky words.
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 once we have allocated a new reading book. Ideally your child should be reading with you five times a week.
4. We will send home an extra reading book for the holidays.
5. Keep practising name writing using the school script and other letters, in particular 'b' and 'p' as we will be focusing on these letters in class.
6. Practise recognising coins and add up small amounts up to 10p in different ways and then 20p.
7. Practise writing **a rhyming string**- cat- fat- rat. Give your child a starting word and ask them to write that word and then a list of ones that rhyme.



Action points

- ★Show & Tell will be on Friday 28th for group 2. The theme is our favourite meal/ foods. Your child could draw a picture, take a photo, make a collage on a paper plate etc.
- ★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.
- ★Please collect cardboard boxes, paper tubes, corks, yogurt pots and bottle lids. To help us with storage, please make sure boxes are sent in flat packed.

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

Reception Team