

Welcome to Reception Class.

We are very excited to welcome you and your child to Reception Class.

This term we will begin to use "free-flow" all day. This is where the children will have daily opportunities to work and play both inside and outside the classroom. Please remember that children should come to school dressed in their kit on P.E days which are Mondays and Thursdays. Please ensure that all clothing is clearly labelled. All children also need a pair of wellington boots in school every day labelled with their name.

Underneath there is an overview of all the things we will learn about in each subject area for this half term. If you have any questions about your child's learning, please come and talk to us.

We are looking forward to working with you and your child.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Zaidane and Reception Team

Our topic is
'In The Land
of Make
Believe'

Reception Class



Personal, Social
and Emotional
Development

We will learn about.....

- Reception class routines
- Rules and expectations for behaviour
- Feelings, like being happy, sad, angry and scared
- Sharing
- Friendship



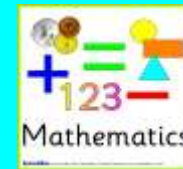
Physical
Development

We will learn how to...

- Get undressed and dressed ready for P.E (please practise at home)
- Ride a bike and scooter safely
- Cut out shapes and along lines with scissors
- Dough gym
- Writedance (early writing skills using shaving foam, wax crayons, paint and chalk)
- Play Team games

In **Literacy** and we will learn how to.....

- Begin phase two letter sounds
- Read reception high frequency words
- Read and discuss simple reading books in small groups
- Recognise our names
- Hold a pencil correctly and begin to correctly form letters and first names independently
- Retell the stories ' Elmer' and 'The Three Little Pigs'
- We will be reading The Rainbow Fish, Busy People, Police, Fire, Doctor and The Jolly Postman.



Mathematics

We will learn how to...

- Count carefully up to 10 and beyond
- Order numbers up to 10 and beyond
- Write those numbers
- Recognise those numbers
- Sort objects into groups and compare



World
Around Us

We will learn about.....

- Ourselves
- Label our body parts
- Learn about our senses
- Learn about similarities and differences between us
- People who help us
- Talk about our family
- Talk about where we live



Creative
Development

We will learn how to

- Paint, colour and use collage materials to make pictures
- Dance and move to music
- Act and pretend using role-play