

RA Staff

Mrs Davis

Mrs Ashen (TA)



Reception Spring

**RB Staff**

Miss Flemming (Mon/Tue/Wed)

Mrs Bangare (Thurs/Fri)

Mrs Jackson (TA)

Maths

We are learning about numbers to 10. We are focusing on how each number can be made and using these to explore number sentences. For example, 3 can be made of $2+1$, $1+2$, $0+3$, $3+0$. We are also learning about pairs of objects and patterns.

Amazing Animals

We are learning about animals in different climates. We will be thinking about different countries, the weather and how animals adapt to their surroundings.

Books to Support our Learning

The Emperor's Egg
Owl Babies
Handa's Surprise
On Safari
Minibeasts

Literacy**Writing**

Writing labels.
Writing captions.
Writing longer sentences.
Writing post cards.

Phonics Focus

Using the sounds they know to help them to spell words.

PSED

Relationships
What makes a good friend?
Healthy me
Random acts of Kindness
Looking after pets
Looking After our Planet

Give children strategies for staying calm in the face of frustration. Talk them through why we take turns, wait politely and tidy up.

Understanding the World

Create opportunities to discuss how we care for the natural world around us.
Exploring and investigating different materials. Finding out properties of materials and testing them to see which are the most protective.
Make comments on the weather, culture, clothing, housing.
Change in living things – Changes in the leaves, weather, seasons, Look at the immediate environment, introducing and modelling new vocabulary where appropriate.
Encourage interactions with the outdoors to foster curiosity and give children freedom to touch, smell and hear the natural world around them during hands-on experiences.
Look for children incorporating their understanding of the seasons and weather in play.

Important School Dates

2.2.24: Number Day
12.2.24—16.2.24: Half term break
22.2.24: Parents' Evening
23.2.24: Choir at Young Voices
4.3.24—8.3.24: Y6 Paris trip
7.3.24: World Book Day

Home Learning

Your child will receive a piece of Maths or Literacy home learning every night. Please support your child to complete the tasks and send them back the following day.

Your child may also bring home a reading book inline with their Phonic ability.

Please continue to practice the sounds in the little green Set 1 Sound Book.

Reception Notices

**PE RA – Friday
PE RB - Tuesday**

Please ensure pupils do not bring their own belongings into school (e.g toys). If they get lost or damaged, this can lead to children being very upset.