

Reception

Summer 1

Dear Parents and Carers,

This handout will provide an overview of what your child will be covering this term, as well as homework expectations and general notices.

Phonics and writing

We are using our sounds to write labels, lists, captions, simple phrases and sentences.

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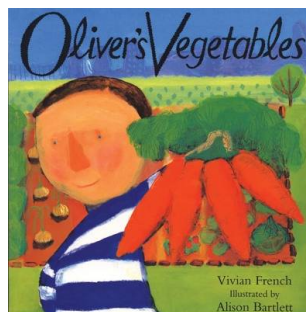
	Phase 4
Week 1	short vowels CVCC
Week 2	short vowels CVCC CCVC
Week 3	short vowels CCVCC CCCVC CCCVCC longer words
Week 4	longer words compound words
Week 5	root words ending in: -ing, -ed /t/, -ed /id/ /ed/ -est

Maths

During this term we will be looking at patterns, 3D shapes, addition, building numbers beyond 10, different representations of numbers 11-20, doubles, sharing and halving.

Themes

As well as continuing with our minibeast topic and having our own caterpillars to look after in class, we will also be looking at plants and flowers, weather and food. We will explore these themes through some exciting texts.



RE

Our topic in RE is 'What makes something special?'

Physical Development

This term we are developing our physical skills through coordination and agility.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be looking at the topic 'Relationships' We will talk about family life, friendships and solving friendship problems.

Reading/Homework

- **Your child's reading folder (containing their reading record and book) needs to be in their book bag every day.** They will have their reading book changed once a week.
- In Early Years and KS1, we expect 3 signatures and one written comment per week in your child's reading record. Please use the KS1 reading comprehension grid (found at the front of your reading record) to support your questioning during reading time.
- Weekly homework is uploaded onto Google Classroom on a Wednesday. It is due back the following Wednesday at 9am.
- Library books are given out/to be returned every Thursday.

Uniform

- Please ensure that all items of your child's uniform are clearly labelled with their name so that they can be easily found if they are lost.
- Water bottles should be brought into class with your child's name on.
- Please make sure that your child is wearing the correct school uniform and following the guidelines for hair accessory colours.

Please make sure that you check Google Classroom regularly to view any important notices throughout the term.

If you require any further information or have additional questions, please contact me via Google Classroom.

Many thanks for your support,

Miss Cochrane