

Expressive Art & Design

Reception will be using their drawing and mark making skills to explore line and shape.

Reception will be learning nursery rhymes. We will be performing songs and moving in time to the music.

Physical Development

Reception will be developing their gross motor skills through jumping, skipping and climbing outdoors to be ready to develop their fine motor skills in preparation for learning how to write,

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Reception will be talking about the Christian belief that God made everyone of us different and we are unique and loved.

PE Days

P.E. is every Friday. Reception do not need to wear PE kits just their everyday uniform.

Homework

After October half term, book bags will be sent out on a Thursday and should be returned on a Tuesday. Your child will be given a reading book. Please read this book with your child at least twice during the week. Reading records should have a signature or a comment from parents/carers each week so we know you have read with your child and can change their book. Blank level questions will be included for you to use with your child when reading, as they are very useful for helping children to develop their comprehension and language skills. Children will also be given homework in their book bags later on in the autumn term.

Useful Websites

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

<https://www.phonicsbloom.com/>

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/school-radio/nursery-rhymes-songs-index/zhwdgwx>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?Subject=16&AgeGroup=1>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/b08bzfnh/numberblocks>

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