

We have planned a very exciting half term in Reception.

Literacy – This half term our Literacy learning will be centred around different celebrations such as Bonfire Night, Diwali and Christmas! We will be reading different cultural stories and non-fiction books in order to learn about different people and traditions around the world. In our continuous provision we will continue to provide opportunities for our children to write, read, role play and tell stories that reflect our classroom learning and their own interests!



Maths – This half-term we will be enhancing our understanding of number by learning brand new concepts such as addition and subtraction! We will start to use new language and will be enjoying lots of practical activities in order to develop our number comprehension. We will also be learning to measure different capacities, lengths and measurements as well as introducing the children to 3D shapes. In our continuous provision the children will be able to practice all of their new skills in exciting and practical challenges.



PSHE – We will continue to put the children's social and mental health at the centre of everything we do. The children will have lots of opportunities to express themselves and this half term we will be focusing on identity and will be talking about our home lives and the traditions we have in our families and communities.



COVID information

Thank you for continuing to be vigilant when following our school's COVID procedures.

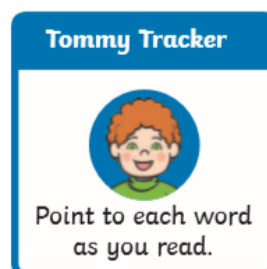
Please remember to isolate for 14 days if your child – or anybody else in your household – experiences any of these symptoms.

- new continuous cough and/or
- high temperature and/or
- a loss of, or change in, normal sense of taste or smell (anosmia)

If your Reception child is showing these symptoms please get them tested and inform school of the results.

Reading Books

Thank you for continuing to read with your children at home! Daily reading is very important to ensure your children make progress. This term we will be focusing on the following simple strategies – please feel free to include these in your home reading.



If you would like to change your child's book mid-week please indicate this in your child's reading record.