

Sunshine & Rainbow

NEWSLETTER



20th
March
2026

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 27 th March	End of Term (12pm finish)
Monday 13 th April	Back to School after the Easter holidays

PHONICS ASSESSMENTS

Over the past week, we have assessed all of the children to see how they are doing with remembering the phonic sounds and tricky words taught so far this year. The sounds and tricky words we have assessed can be seen below:

They have all worked so hard and we are so proud of their efforts!

Rocket Phonics Sounds Mat 1

s sun	a apple	t tap	i insect	p pan
n net	m mouse	d dog	g goat	o octopus
k kite	ck duck	e elephant	u umbrella	r rabbit
b bat	f frog	ff cliff	l ladder	ll shell
j jug	v van	w web	x fox	y yellow
				z zebra

Rocket Phonics Sounds Mat 2

zz fizzy	qu queen	ch chick	sh sheep	th thumb
ng ring	ai train	ee bee	igh light	oa boat
				oo book
				oo moon

I the to

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he she we me be was my you
her they all are

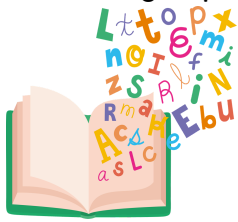
If there are any sounds or tricky words that your child needs a bit more practise with, these will be sent home inside their tricky word folder next week. Please spend some time practising over the Easter holidays. Thank you for your support!

Next week, we will be learning...

LITERACY

Next week, we will be consolidating the sounds that we have learnt so far this year.

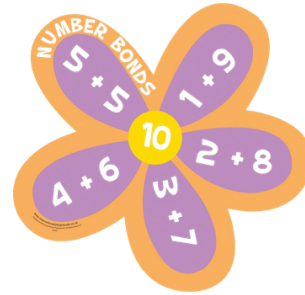
Please spend some time looking at the phonic sounds in your practise booklet. In particular, the digraphs.



MATHS

The children will be:

- Exploring number bonds to 5.
- Beginning to explore number bonds to 10.



PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

We will be exploring our school values and discussing why they are important. The next value we will be learning about is 'Iggy Inclusivity'.

Ralph
Respect



Peter
Perseverance



Iggy
Inclusivity



Kitty
Kindness



Finley
Forgiveness

RE

Desert to Garden

Jesus died on the cross.
Jesus rose and we celebrate.



UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Next week, we will be celebrating and learning all about Easter:

We will be:

- Learning the Easter story.
- Using construction materials to build a Cross.
- Decorating Easter eggs
- Using clay to create crosses
- Using play dough to built hot cross buns.
- Creating Easter cards



Have a lovely weekend!