



Reception Newsletter



Our learning next week...

In Phonics we will be...

- Sounds: **u** and **r**
- Letter formations: **u** and **r**
- Sorting **u** and **r** objects and letters
- Blending words: **sun, rug, mug, rat, rot**

Literacy – The Three Little Pigs

In Maths we will be...

- Subitising
- Finding 4
- Exploring the different ways to make the number 4
- Using number cubes and part-whole models to show the number 4

Understanding the World

The Natural World – Science Experiment: Creating structures and seeing if we can 'huff and puff' them down like the Big Bad Wolf.

RE

Prophecy and Promise: Jesus was born in a stable and laid in a manger.

In RE this week, we learnt about how Mary and Joseph travelled to Bethlehem on a donkey. Could you take time to talk to your child about this journey. Next week we will be learning that Jesus was born in a stable, surrounded by the animals.

If you are having a 'clear out' of animal teddies, they would be gratefully received alongside any babies! Thank you!

Outdoor Area

We are looking to improve our outdoor provision and we are on the hunt for some natural resources. If you happen to have any:

- Tyres
- Logs
- Guttering
- Piping
- Conkers
- Plastic crates
- Smooth wooden pallets
- Plastic crates

Or any additional natural resources, we would be so grateful! Thank you all for your continued support.

Reading Books and Diaries

Please ensure that these are in school every day so that we can continue to read with the children. Thank you!

Christmas Nativity - Reminder

We are delighted to announce that this year, EYFS and Year 2 will be performing their Christmas Nativity together at St Anne's Church! There will be two performances that will take place on Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th December at 2pm. Each family is guaranteed a total of two tickets which can both be for one day or split between the two performances. If we have any space left over, we may be able to issue additional tickets depending on the demand for each day and the capacity of the church. We will be in touch regarding roles and costumes nearer the time. The school will endeavour to provide as many costumes as possible but might need your help with some items of clothing. We do not expect any family to buy anything new for their child's costume.

Please follow this link to fill out the form:

<https://forms.office.com/e/vqHJhiZWTW?origin=lprLink>



Dates for Your Diaries

<u>Traditional Tales Day</u>	On Thursday 23rd November, we will have a traditional tales themed day. On this day, the children can come into school dressed in traditional tales themed dressing up clothes.
School Closed	Monday 4th December 2023
EYFS and Year 2 Nativity St Anne's Church, Chertsey	Monday 11th December 2023 Tuesday 12th December 2023
Last day of Autumn term	Thursday 21st December 2023

Have a lovely weekend 😊