



Welcome to Reception



6th October 2023

This week

We have started to learn about how to take care of our bodies. We've been talking about eating and drinking healthily and the importance of exercise. The children built an obstacle course in the outside area and have been challenging themselves to move around, up and over the equipment.

Phonics

This week we have been learning the sounds i,n,m,d.

As your child learns the sounds, they will be given a reading book with words and will move up a book level each time they acquire more sounds from the next group. Any questions, please just ask!

Parents Evening

If you haven't signed up for an appointment with your class teacher for parents evening on Tuesday 17th or Wednesday 18th October then please do so. This is just a 10 minute chat to talk about how your child has settled in school.

Premier Enrichment Days

Premier Sports provide a day of sports activities for the school every half term. The activities include, archery, hockey, dance and gymnastics to name just a few. Reception children are taught these sports for about half an hour. On these days, children are to come to school in their PE kits. **Friday 13th** will be the first session.

Photos

Next Wednesday 11th October a photographer will be coming into school to take individual and sibling photographs of the children. You will be pleased to know that Reception photos are taken early in the morning before children have a chance to get messy!

Maths

In maths we have been comparing amounts and using the sentence stems;

This group has more.

This group has fewer.

Dates for the Diary

13th October – Premier Enrichment Day (please come in PE kit)

20th October – Fun run

Tuesday 17th & Wednesday 18th Oct Parents evening

Friday 20th Oct – finish for half term

Monday 30th Oct - back to school