



## **Reception News**

### **Welcome everyone!**

Well done everyone for a fantastic first week in Reception! It has been an absolute pleasure to see so many smiley faces each day! The children have settled into school life wonderfully and already have a great understanding of our class rules “Kind hands, kind feet and kind mouths.”

This week we have been working hard to establish routines and build bonds with the children. Everyone has made lots of new friends—please look out for pictures on Tapestry over the weekend so that you can check out the lovely activities your child has been involved in.

*Remember to please check with your child's teacher if you have any issues setting up ClassCharts or Tapestry—both of these apps are vital during your child's time in reception.*

### **Challenges!**

Today your child will have come home with a reading record and reading book. We strongly encourage you to share your child's reading book with them each day and record this in their reading record.

Attached to your child's reading record is their BugClub login—soon we will be adding games and ebooks to your child's account to access at home.

Below is the Bug Club link to the sounds and actions we will be learning this term

<https://mediaplayer.pearsoncmg.com/assets/bcpafsp2>

### **Weekly Routines**

**PE (Monday—starting 25/9/23)** Please make sure your child has a **labelled PE kit** in school which can be kept on their peg and please remove all jewellery.

**Reading books**—reading books will be changed weekly.

**Library books**—Next week we will begin our library circle times where your child will bring home a book to share. These will be changed every Friday. Please make sure your child returns their book each week in order to choose a new one.

**Water bottles**—Please make sure your child has a named water bottle with them in school every day as it is thirsty work in Reception!

### **Certificate winners**

Next week we will be giving out daily ‘star of the day’ notes to children—please look out for these.

We also have very special weekly certificates from the head teacher! If your child is chosen for one of these their name will appear on the newsletter.

REMINDER: From Monday the children will be in reception full time from 8.45—3.15.

Have a lovely weekend. We look forward to seeing you next week!