

Understanding the World:

All About Me

Creating a family portrait
Completing a special tour of the school and
the outdoor classroom and spaces
Name and label basic body parts
Weekly forest school sessions

Expressive Arts and Design

Painting a self portrait
Building a new home for Hops and Tom using
our balancing block skills
Role playing in the home corner
Free painting and skill building

Personal, Social and Emotional

Learning about school rules
Playing friendship games
Learning how to wash hands effectively
Learning how to put on coats
Meeting 'have a go hippo' one of our learning
mascots.
Introducing The Zones of Regulation
Making new friends

Marvellous Me

Texts: The Colour Monster, Hello Friend,
Stanley's Stick

Physical Development

To develop fine motor skills
To practise pre-writing shapes
To develop a pencil grip
To use scissors to cut in a straight line
To run safely with the ability to change
direction to avoid obstacles

Literacy

Writing and recognising names
Introducing early reading skills
Mark making using a range of tools
Exploring rhyme and alliteration
Introducing our Little Wandle scheme
Nursery rhymes and rhyming activities

Maths

Singing number songs
Representing numbers using fingers and numerals
Introducing the concept of subitising
To solve real world mathematical problems with
number up to 5
To recognise numerals in the environment

Welcome to Reception

Gold Class teacher is Mrs Collett and the Learning Support Assistants are Mrs Loftus and Mrs Christmas

Silver Class teacher is Mrs Cook and Mrs Atre and the Learning Support Assistant is Mrs Jones and Mrs Christmas

Gold Class PE day is **Wednesday**. Silver Class PE day is **Friday**.

Forest School is on a **Thursday** afternoon. Please make sure that your child has named wellington boots to be kept in school.

Your child will need to bring their water bottle and book bag to school EVERYDAY.

Introduction to reading - We invite you to join us in a Phonics workshop for parents on Friday 11th October 9.15-10am.

The sessions will take place in the school hall after the Harvest Festival Collective Worship.

Reading and phonics are a vital part of our learning in Reception. As this is the start of your child's reading journey, we feel it is essential that we build solid foundations together. Please join us at the workshop where we will explain how you can support your child at home with reading. A secure home/school partnership ensures the children consolidate what they are learning.

We would very much appreciate your support.

Many Thanks,

The Reception Team

Learning at Home expectations: We ask that you share your child's reading book with them at least 4 times a week (please record this in their reading record book)

Thank you,

Mrs Collett, Mrs Cook and Mrs Atre

Community † Love † Perseverance

Our Golden Promises

