

Literacy

Our text this half term will be Juniper Jupiter and we will be looking at fictional and real-life superheroes. The children will begin to learn to recognise and write letters of the alphabet.

Curriculum

During this half term, Reception class will be having PE on a Friday afternoon so please ensure your child has their PE kit in school on this day. The children will also have an additional session of Art with Ms Martin on a Tuesday afternoon.

Outdoor Learning

Outdoor learning is a huge part of Reception, so please ensure your child has appropriate clothing and footwear for the outdoors all year round. We are beginning to develop our own Forest School area which will increase our ability to participate in outdoor learning.

Phonics

Phonics will be delivered in short sessions daily that will focus on a new sound each day. The children will practice reading and writing the sound, and learning words that contain the new sound. Previously taught sounds will also be consolidated each lesson.

Reception

Willow Class

**Miss Kennedy, Ms Martin, Mrs Wright
and Mrs Bougen**

Autumn 1 2020 - 2021

Mathematics

We will be focussing on a number of the week this half term and will learn everything about that number during the week, such as shapes, weight, writing it and recognising it. This will involve lots of practical activities for the children to take part in.

Home Learning

The class page of the school website will contain links to helpful websites for you to access at home. Please ensure you are reading with your child each night. If you feel you require some additional support with home learning, please speak to a member of the classroom team.

Reading

Please aim to read with your child each night for 10 minutes, and make a note on this in their reading record so staff know that the children have been read with. Once you have read a book with your child, you will receive a new book. Reading books are changed on a Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Thank you!