

Parents' Guide to the Curriculum

Reception
Spring 2
Growth

Notices For This Half Term

- **Book Week:** 27th February–3rd March
- **Celebration of Learning:** 9th March
- **Parent Consultations:** 13th March
- **Last Day of Term:** 31st March
- **Easter Break:** Monday 3rd April– Friday 14th April

How Parents Can Help

- Please login onto the Google Classroom and support your child to complete the home learning suggested by the class teacher
- Please read to your child every day and comment in their reading record.



MATHEMATICS

- ❖ Explore the composition of numbers to 8.
- ❖ Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–8
- ❖ Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including odds and evens.



COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE

- ❖ Use longer sentences of four to six words.
- ❖ Express a point of view using words as well as actions.



PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- ❖ Identify and moderate own feelings socially and emotionally.
- ❖ Think about the perspectives of others.
- ❖ Manage their own needs.

Focus stories

- ❖ **Jack and the beanstalk**
- ❖ **Non fiction books about animals**

Read together

- ❖ **Superworm**
- ❖ **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
- ❖ **The Tiny Seed**
- ❖ **From Caterpillar to Butterfly**



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- ❖ Develop overall body–strength, balance, co-ordination and agility.
- ❖ Further develop and refine a range of ball skills including: throwing, catching, kicking, passing, batting, and aiming.
- ❖ Develop confidence, competence, precision and accuracy when engaging in activities that involve a ball.

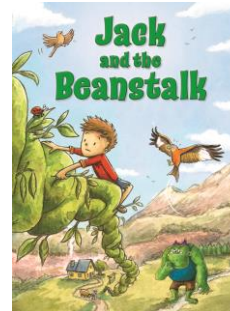


LITERACY

- ❖ Demonstrate understanding of what has been read by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary.
- ❖ Write short sentences with words using a capital letter and a full stop.

PHONICS

- ❖ Reviewing j/v/y/w/v/x/z
- ❖ Learn *sh, th, ch, qu, ng, nk*
- ❖ Learn to read and write CCVC (*splash, frog*) and CVCC (*hunt, fast*), words.
- ❖ Start reading the red ditty books which will be sent home.



WORLD BOOK DAY NON-FICTION BOOKS

Animals

Extinct and endangered animals
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ogLFEqIXORM>