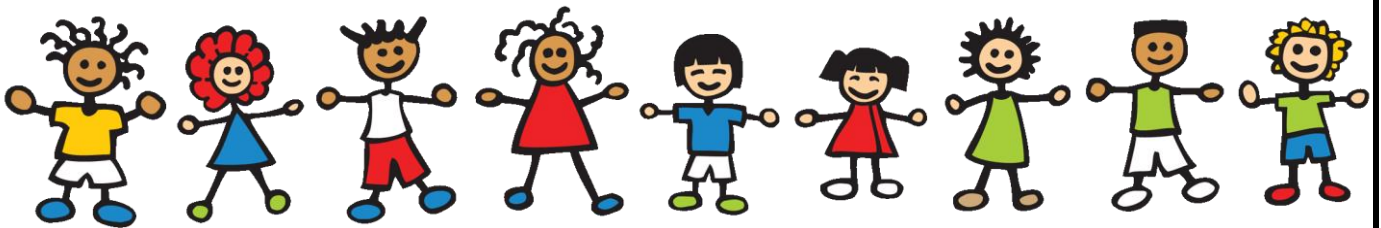


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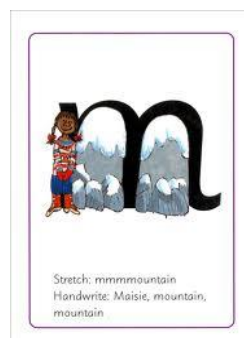
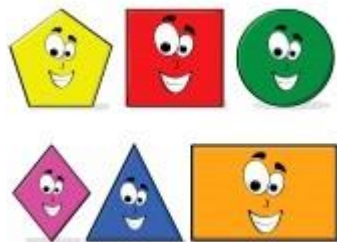
Thank you for helping us to enjoy a great start to Reception. All the children have settled in well and we are really proud of them. What a lot of smiling faces we have seen in the morning and going home again at the end of the day!

Maths

In Reception we follow the 'Maths Mastery' approach to maths. We will begin by looking at numbers to 10, studying each number in depth and practising skills in counting, ordering, comparing, reading and writing numbers. We will also make links with pattern and shape.

Literacy

In phonics we use the 'Read, Write, Inc' scheme. In the coming weeks, ask your child what letter sound they have learnt and who 'Maisie Mountain Mountain' is! Your child will soon be bringing a sound and word book home, and a reading book. Look out for these in book bags and please bring them into school every day. Keep your eyes on Tapestry where we will post videos showing you how to support your child in Phonics. We will also be learning a nursery rhyme of the week.



Understanding of the World

We will be spending time finding out what the children's interests are and will be learning all about ourselves and our families. You can help your child by talking to them about who lives with them in your house. The children will be able to re-live their own experiences of their home life through our role play areas. As the term progresses, we will be looking at the signs of Autumn and maintaining and observing our wildlife area.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be exploring all the creative areas and the children will have the opportunity to use different media, including painting, cutting and sticking, construction and playdough. The children will be looking carefully at themselves and painting their self-portraits.



Homework

The children will bring their sound and word book and their reading book home every day. Please try to spend 5 – 10 minutes each day looking at these with your child and write a comment in their reading record book.

Please ensure that your child attends school every day and is on time. It is extremely important for your child's learning.

Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather every day, as we will be spending lots of learning time outside.

Thank you for your support. Here's to a great start to 'Big School'!

The Reception Staff Team:

Teachers: Cherry Class - Ms Wilson, Mrs Marsh

Apple Class - Mrs Pearson

Cover teacher in both classes - Mrs Lamming

Support Staff: Miss Durkin, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Milner, Mrs Butt,

Mrs Ollen, Miss Silva.