

3/11/2020 Reception Newsletter



Welcome Back!

We hope you all had a lovely half term! It's so nice to see the children back at school this week. They have all come back smiling and ready to learn. This week we are beginning our topic work on Space and have started by looking at the book "Whatever Next" by Jill Murp

Forest School

This week we will begin our block of Forest School sessions. This will take place on Wednesday's, which is also our PE day, so children should come to school wearing black leggings or jogging bottoms, their PE shirt and their red school jumper. Waterproof and wellies will be provided but it would also be a good idea for children to bring a warm hat.

Reminders

Children should only be bringing their reading folder/book bag, a coat and packed lunch (if required) to school each day. Please do not bring back packs.

Water Bottles – Children do not need to bring water bottles to school as they each have a named one in the classroom.

Spare Clothes – please provide a set of spare clothes in a labelled drawstring bag to be kept in school

Tapestry Learning Journals

A big thank you to all of you that have activated their Tapestry Learning account. We just have a few families who have yet to do so. This is so important as in the event of having to move to online learning this will be our learning platform for Reception. If you are having trouble with your activation, please let us know

Half Term Coat Challenge!

Thank you to all the families that have engaged with this. We've really enjoyed watching the videos and it's great to see the children developing their independent skills. It looks as if many of you have practised this with your child so please get those videos uploaded. A 'how to guide' is attached. We will be giving certificates to all those children that have posted a video / photo on Friday, so there's still time!

Home School Learning Books

Don't forget to write in these when you have completed a reading activity with your child at home i.e – read their school reading book or practised the green sound book. Please write in any colour pen except pink as this is the colour we use for monitoring purposes.