

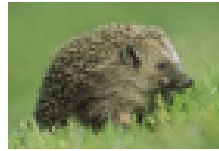


Reception Curriculum Letter

Spring 2024

Friday 23rd February

Build it Up!



Hedgehog Class, Jaguars Class, Kangaroo Class

Curriculum



Next week we will compare our local area with another country. We will talk about the similarities and differences between the two areas.



At home you can..

-draw a map of your house. How many rooms are in your house? What type of home do you live in?

English Communication and Language



Next week we'll create our own books for the story 'Not a Box'. We will write simple sentences using finger spaces, capital letters and full stops. We will encourage our learners to write independently using their phonics knowledge to segment words into sounds.



At home you can..

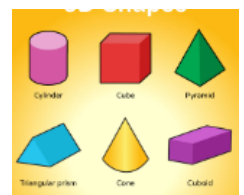
-Practise using capital letters, fullstops and finger spaces when writing

-Practise writing words with the following digraphs: sh, ch, ng, th. For example, shop, shell, chick, chin, ring, wing, moth, thin.

Maths



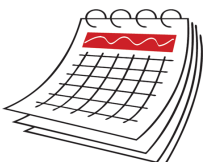
Next week we will be exploring 3D shapes. We will introduce the children to a sphere, cone, cylinder and pyramid. We will be going on a 3D shape hunt and look for these shapes in our environment. We will also be building a home with 3D shapes.



At home you can.....

- spot 3D shapes in your environment
- draw 3D shapes

Dates for the term





1st March 2024- Beddington Buddies Fun Run

All money raised should be paid online via your Parent Pay by **Friday 8th March.**

Monday 4th March- Visit to Holy Trinity Church

Thursday 7th March - World Book Dress Up Day – Whole School

Friday 15th March - Comic Relief – Children are welcome to wear Mufti (own clothes) and bring a donation for the Gift Box which will be donated to Comic Relief on your behalf

	28th March - last day of term
Reminders 	<i>Looking for Recycled Materials</i> -cardboard 

Home Learning

Bug Club e-books

Don't forget to log into Bug Club online. New books have been uploaded today! New books will be uploaded every Friday.

Don't forget to re-read books in your child's library. Re-reading books is great to develop fluency when reading. This encourages children to read by sight instead of sounding out.



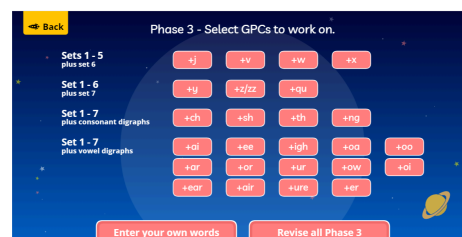
Maths Games

Today your child has received a new Maths game to play at home. This is to promote a love for Maths and to practise key skills in a practical way.

Games are handed out every **Friday**. *Games must be returned on Wednesday*. We cannot give your child a new game unless they return their previous game.

Small Schools Challenge

Your child has received their **small schools pack**. This pack stays at home until July 2024. A challenge will be uploaded on the newsletter every week.



This weeks challenge:

Play Obb and Bob- reading words with our phase 3 grapheme

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/3/picnic-on-pluto>

Thank you, the Reception Team