

Reception

This half term the children will be learning through the topic of nursery rhymes.



There will be a short meeting about the Early Years Curriculum on **Tuesday October 8th at 2:50pm** in the school hall. It will finish in time for you to collect your children at the end of the school day.

You are welcome to bring younger siblings to this but please bring something to keep them quietly entertained! (Please note that pushchairs need to be left outside),

We always welcome donations of junk from home for modelling. (e.g small boxes, cereal, egg boxes, kitchen roll tubes) Be warned though, these soon make their way back home with bits of cellotape, dangly bits and sequins on! Sorry!

Mr Thackray, our site manager, has asked us to remind parents that the school car park is for staff use only. Thank you.



And finally... we feel that the children are settling really well. Thank you so much for your support in helping your child to become more independent. As soon as your child wishes to say goodbye outside and come into the cloakroom by themselves, they're welcome to.

Newsletter

Phonics

Your child will soon bring a folder home containing information for the sound we have learnt in class that day. Please look through these with your child and practise reading the letters.

Help your child to spot the letters in words around you (shops, food packets, newspapers etc) as this will help them with their early reading skills.

Please keep the sound folder in your child's book bag every day.

Tuesday 22nd and Thursday 24th October are our parents' evenings. More details to follow. But don't forget that although we may look frazzled at the end of the day, you are always welcome to pop in after school to chat.

Book Bags

Soon we will be giving your child their first reading books. We ask that you do not put water bottles inside book bags as we have had many books ruined by leakages in the past!

(Please note for PE, we **do not** need outdoor track suit and trainers in Reception, as we always use the school hall)