

# Reception Autumn Term

## START AND FINISH TIMES

Children can be dropped off from 8.30am - 8:50am ready to start learning at 8.55am. They can be collected from 2.45pm - 3.00pm to help stagger drop off and collections.



### Autumn Term Curriculum

**Phonics:** We are following the RWI scheme of work where children learn a different sound a day. We are encouraging the children to hear the initial sound in words followed be additional sounds when they are ready. Please have a look at the RWI website for more information on the scheme.

Maths: This term we are focusing on shape and measure. We will be learning positional language as well as discovering, height, length, weight and capacity.

Project Learning: Our topic this term is Back to Nature. We learn through play by exploring our ideas and thinking during project learning. Projects develop with children's interests, thoughts and questions. This half term, we are exploring children's relationships with their natural world in our 'Back to Nature' project. We have 4 areas of learning for the children to discover, Outside, Art Studio, Construction and Piazza. Outside the children will be exploring growing and planting different fruits, vegetables and flowers. In the art studio, children can represent their ideas and thinking through art. In construction the children can explore building trees and discover using the blocks to create natural objects. In the Piazza area children can access snack for themselves and develop important skills such as cleaning and tidying for themselves.

#### UNIFORM

Please ensure your child wears their uniform jumper and polo shirt / PE t-shirt and joggers / leggings with their trainers as we are unable to change for PE / Outdoor Learning activities at the moment.

## Reading Books

Reading books and diaries will be sent out on a Friday and must be returned to school the following Wednesday. Please record when you read with your child in the diary

# Tapestry

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