



Reception Newsletter



Class Assemblies

Please ensure that you are practising the children's words and songs in preparation for our class assembly. The children will need to know these words (especially their lines!) off-by heart ready for the performance. If you have misplaced your child's words, please do get in contact with Miss Gullick or Miss Manners and we would be happy to print a replacement. Thank you!

Our learning after half term...

In Phonics we will be learning...

We will be continuing to understand and recognise **digraphs** (when two letters come together to make one sound) and **trigraphs** (when three letters come together to make one sound)

- Sounds: **air** (chair) **ure** (manure)
- Reading and writing CVC words eg: **hair, chair, stair, sure, cure, pure**
- Writing simple sentences with a capital letter, finger space and full stop eg: **I am sure the chair is red.**

In Maths we will be learning...

This week we will be consolidating our knowledge of odd and even numbers.



Communication and Language

To develop the children's communication, language and vocabulary, each week we introduce two new words related to our topic that can be found in our book of the week. After half term, our first words of the week will be:

country

airport

Please do discuss these at home with your child and encourage them to use them verbally in sentences.

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Lesson objective - The Parish Church is a special place to be.

Literacy and Understanding the World

Our topic for next half term is **Holidays and Transport**.



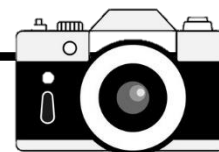
We will be:

- Creating our own passports and boarding passes
- Talking about the places that we have visited and how we travelled there
- Comparing transport in the past and present day
- Our role play areas will be transformed into an airport / beach (with real sand!)

We will also be 'visiting' a country each week! The countries that we will learn about are:

- The Caribbean
- Australia
- Spain
- Italy
- India

If you have lived in one of these countries and would like to come in and talk to the children about your experience, please do contact Miss Gullick and Miss Manners. Thank you!



Holiday Photos Needed!

In our classrooms, we will be creating a display to show where the children have travelled too. We will discuss how they travelled there, the weather and where in the world it is. **If you have any photos of your child on holiday in the United Kingdom or abroad and would be happy for us to use it as part of a display, please email it to your child's class teacher, please remember to include where in the world the photo was taken. Thank you!**

Important Dates

Monday 10th June – 9.10am	Sunshine Class Assembly
Monday 17th June - 9.10am	Rainbow Class Assembly
Thursday 11th July – 9.30-11.30	Reception Sports Day and Picnic After the races have finished, Reception parents are welcome to join us for a picnic on the field. We will be in contact with more information and the children's team colours after half term.

Have a lovely half term! 😊