



Curriculum Newsletter Bonneygrove Primary School

Reception Spring Term One

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English

Reading: This term we will be reading a range of stories. We will be reading The Great Race to find out more about Chinese New Year and story mapping a range of books.

Phonics: The children will be introduced to their digraphs and trigraphs: ee, igh, ai, er, oo, ar, or.

Please look on the Bonneygrove website to find activities linked to all the sounds we have learnt this term.

Writing: This term we are focusing on segmenting and blending to help us become independent writers.

Practise writing shopping lists, forming letters in glitter and sand, writing cards and letters to your friends and families.

PSED

This term we are learning all about 'dreams and goals'. We have set our new years resolutions and thought about how we will achieve our goals.

This term our topic is Chinese New Year:



Important dates:

Friday 2:45: Book Bonaza!

Our 50 things to do before leaving Bonneygrove...

Taking a picture with a bird of prey!

Mathematics



This term we will focus on the composition of 5. We will then be learning number bonds to 10, ordering numbers and building number sentences.

Use household objects to build number sentences eg, find 5 teddies and 5 pens, how many altogether? Watch Numberblocks and explore the cbeebies Numberblocks website.

Understanding the world

This term we will be learning about celebrations and festivals around the world. We will be trying foods from around the world and taking part in different celebrations.

This term we are also learning about growing and changing. We will be growing vegetables in our reception garden and going on a spring walk.

Plant and observe how a seed grows.



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Expressive arts and designs

This term we will be learning about the primary colours and mixing them to help us achieve a desired effect. We will be listening to music old and new and learning different cultural dances.



We will be using different materials to create fireworks, masks and party hats.

We are looking forward to following different recipes and cooking in class.

Physical development

Fine motor

We are focusing on using one handed tools with precision.

The children are encouraged to use their cutlery independently at lunch time, dress themselves for PE and use a pencil with the correct grip.

Gross motor: The children will be learning control and co-ordination through ball skills.



School Values- *Resilience, Honesty, Ambition, Creativity, Kindness and Inclusion.*

You can join in with our learning at home by:

Reading:

Sharing their books daily. Please use the prompt questions on evidence me to support with this. Please record their reading in their diaries.

Writing: Practise segmenting and blending familiar words.

Maths: Learn number bonds to 10.