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# Reception Class Newsletter

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## **News**

What a fantastic start to school life the children in Reception have had. We have loved settling your child into school, watching them form new friendships and following new school routines so well. We have started our curriculum this week and the children have adapted well and are already showcasing some very hard work.

## **Phonics**

Our phonic sessions are all following the Read, Write, Inc scheme. The taught sounds so far are 'm, a, s, d, t,' Can your child remember the sounds? Can they identify objects that begin with that sound? You could practise writing these sounds at home!

## **Literacy**

The children have started their new Literacy text – Where The Wild Things Are. The children have been fully immersed into the book, with an engaging hook that has captured the children's interest. We will continue with this text over the next couple of weeks, please remember to look at our Twitter feed to see the wonderful work that is happening.

## **Maths**

Within maths, children are working with numbers within 5. This week we have focussed on subitising. Children spotting different amounts without having to count. Children enjoy representing their work using paint and create amounts in different ways.

## **General**

This half term in PE the children are developing the fundamental skills of balance, agility and coordination. Each lesson will be developing these key skills to support children physically. PE kits to be worn on a **Monday** please. Children have opportunities to write their name every day but can this be practised at home please.

## **Reminders**

**Phonic Meeting for reception parents Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 14.45 pm in the main hall. Look forward to seeing you all!**

Please remember snack is **£1 a week**. This can be paid weekly or termly. We have some outstanding so please speak to a member of the reception team if you have any questions.

Please ensure your child has their name written in **all** items of clothing including coats, shoes and bags. This would help us to prevent any pieces of clothing from being misplaced or lost.

To see all our latest learning and for school updates, please follow @MrsHalsall02 - @MissChiocchi - @MissAtkin05 on twitter.



**Thank you for your continued support**

**Mrs Halsall**

**Miss Chiocchi**

**Miss Atkin**

