



RECEPTION STARLING CLASS SPRING 2

It has been a wonderful start to Spring Term, we have had so much excitement in Reception Class with swimming lessons, Forest Schools and our exciting Maths cafe. Along with many musical assemblies and visits to enjoy. We are excited for the new term ahead and lots of fun! Thank you for all the reading you are doing at home. The children are more confident at saying the sounds, blending and writing words more independently. Keep up the great work!



Spring Term 2 Learning:

This half term, the Starlings will be learning all about the story 'Jack and the Beanstalk' which will inspire work across the curriculum. The children will look at planting, growing and the Spring time season. In Talk for Writing we will continue to build on our retelling and innovation skills with increased writing opportunities.

Alongside plant growth, we will be finding out about growth in humans and thinking about the things we can do now compared to when we were babies.

In Maths, we will be looking at numbers 0-15 and find and represent up to 15 objects. The children will show one more and one less in numbers up to 15. It would be great to see children continuing their number formation.

The children will draw, paint and create different flowers, and make their own beanstalk designs.

The children will continue to explore the Walnut Garden and continuous provision and explore 'fairytale scenes' whilst letting their imaginations run free.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

- 5TH MARCH- HAPPY SMILES DENTIST IN SCHOOL.
- 6TH MARCH- WORLD BOOK DAY.
- 14TH MARCH- COMIC RELIEF DAY.
- 17TH MARCH- RECEPTION CLASS ASSEMBLY TBC.

IMPORTANT

- Feel free to add any pictures of the children during their half term and at home of things the children get up to via [Tapestry](#).
- We change books on a **Monday**, we look forward to seeing the children reading 5 times a week to earn a star.
- Forest Schools will continue on **Monday**. Please remember appropriate clothing and footwear.
- Swimming will continue on **Tuesday's**. Please remember your children's named swimming kit, with hat and goggles.