

Weekly Overview


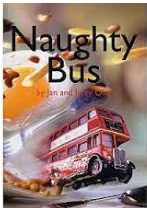
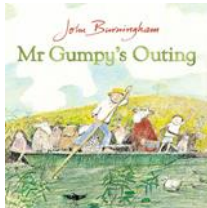

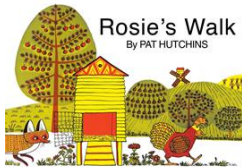
Dear Reception,

Every **Tuesday**, you will see the weekly overview that sets out our learning for the week on the learning section of our school website. Please take note of the homework section at the bottom of the grid, this identifies additional ways of supporting your child at home. We ask that tasks are completed by the following Friday to allow new activities to be set at the start of the next week. Please look out for other videos and information too that will be uploaded onto Google Classroom. Should there be any problems with completing the home learning or if you need any further guidance, please email the Reception team on reception@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk

Thank you,

The Reception Team

This week our topic is: Journeys, Remembrance and Diwali

Personal, Social and Emotional development	Communication and Language	Physical Development
<p>We are going to learn and talk about that it is ok to be different and to understand that being different makes us all special.</p> 	<p>This week the children will listen to stories based around transport. The children will be encouraged to articulate their thoughts about the stories using well-formed sentences.</p>  	<p>For gross motor skills, the focus of learning will be gymnastics. The children will be learning to move on mats and low-level equipment. Please ensure your child is wearing their PE kit on a Monday. The children will have opportunities to practise their fine motor skills using different resources in the environment.</p>
Key Vocabulary		Topic
<p>Topic: transport, road, track, air, sea, journey, names of vehicles Maths: over, into, under, on, beside, between, where</p>		<p>This week the focus of our topic is journeys. We will start the topic looking at different transport, both what we use today and transport of the past.</p> 
Literacy	Maths	
<p>The children will be blending and segmenting sounds in words to write captions. The children will be encouraged to engage with books independently.</p>	<p>In math the focus will be on understanding and using positional language. We will introduce positional language through the story Rosie's walk and play games where the children will use their understanding to place themselves or objects into different places.</p> 	<p>We will learn about Remembrance using CBeebies and talk about why the children see people wearing poppies and why there are images of poppies around Hounslow. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pv_ub7Be7oA</p>

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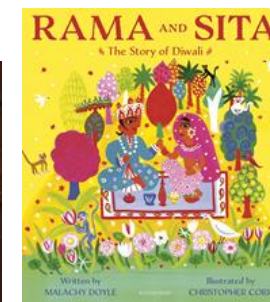
Phonics

The focus for phonics this week is to recap the sounds c, k, m, n, d, g, h and b and to recognise and spell the tricky words taught to date.

The children will learn the sounds not the names.

Using the phonics pack please support your child to learn the sounds and make words to sound out and read. There will be no additional sound in the pack this week.

We will also be learning about the celebration of Diwali. The children will be learning about the story of Rama and Sita, mehndi and Rangoli patterns.



Homework:

It is important to hear your child read every day.

Please listen to your child read the reading books sent home each day and comment in the **reading log** that you have heard them and provide us with a comment saying how they have read that day. All children will receive 2 reading books and a library book each week.

Practise learning the phonics sounds and tricky words sent home each Friday aiming for your child to have a quick recall of the sounds. Try making words using 3 sounds from the letter pack.

It is also important that your child hears stories. Please share and read the library book to your child.

Please ensure your child brings their book bag and books to school every day.

There are some books on Bug Club, please log in and listen to your child read the books.