

Year Group: Reception Week beginning: 11th September 2023

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: Settling into Reception.

Personal, Social and Emotional development	Communication and Language	Physical Development
We will be introduced to Jigsaw Jennie, who will help us take turns to listen to others and give us a turn to talk. We will be learning about belonging and how we now belong to a class and to Alexandra Primary School.	This week the children will focus on learning about rhyming words. They will listen to some different stories that includes rhyme and identify the rhyming words and try and think of their own rhyming words too.	For gross motor skills, the focus of learning will be on using the resources in our outdoor area to move with a growing confidence. For fine motor skills the children will have opportunities to paint, cut and stick and to strengthen their finger muscles by playing with playdough.
Key Vocabulary		Торіс
"Good morning", "Good Afternoon" "Please can I have"		This week we are focusing on settling into Reception. It will be our first week of staying all day meeting new friends, joining in with new school
Literacy	Maths	routines as well as staying for lunch and eating
Following listening to the story 'Chicken Licken' (see	In maths, we will be exploring the many maths resources	together with our friends. An exciting week full of

that we have in our classroom and showing the children

how they can be used. We will also be working together

Following listening to the story 'Chicken Licken' (see communication and language) the children will be using props to retell the story.

We will hear your child read.

Phonics

The focus for phonics this week is to play some listening games. We will be listening to sounds such as musical instruments and identifying what we have heard and playing games such as Simon says.



singing different number rhymes.



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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 have received 2 reading books and a library book by Friday 15th September.

It is also important that your child hears stories:

Please share and read the library book to your child. This book is sent home and changed each week.

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

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