

Reception Newsletter

Friday 6th May 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

In Literacy this week, we have been practising forming all the letters of the alphabet whilst learning the letter names. We have also continued our Phase 4 learning and have been looking at the sounds nd as in sand or pond and mp as in ramp or lamp etc. We have been reading our new tricky words; **some, come, do** and **love**. Please keep practising these with your child at home. Next week we are focusing on spelling and writing longer words such as jumping, fantastic, running and farmyard.

In Numeracy we have continued learning about addition and are now becoming experts! Working practically with objects has helped the children to see the calculation visually and then record it using the mathematical signs + and =. We then tried to have a go at working the calculation out mentally, without the support of a number line!

In topic work, we have been learning all about Eid. We have celebrated by looking at different clothes that are worn, finding out lots of new information around why it is celebrated and created our own Mehndi patterns.

This week's 'Talking Topic' is:

I can tell you all about Eid!

Our word of the week: **Eid**

The children are really enjoying our athletics PE sessions on the field and so far have been running on the track and learning the techniques for mastering the tennis ball throw and the bean bag push. We will continue to do our athletics PE sessions every Thursday throughout the rest of the summer term so please ensure your child has their PE kit in school ready for their PE lesson each week.

As we are approaching the summer months, please ensure that on hotter days your child comes to school with their sun cream already applied, a sun hat and a water bottle.

If you do have any questions please write them in your child's orange home-school book.

Many thanks
The Reception Team

Phase 4 Tricky Words to read:

said	so	have	like
some	come	do	love

Phase 3 Tricky Words to read and spell:

you	they	all
are	my	was
sure	pure	by

Tip- Try the spelling with magnetic letters or letter cards first, then when your child is confident, move on to writing the words

Read	write	spell
was		
all		
you		
they		
are		
my		
her		
sure		
pure		

Well done - keep trying!