

Literacy

Children in Reception will be focussing on multiple texts throughout their literacy lessons all relating to the topic of 'All about me'. The texts will include 'Starting School', 'Owl Babies', 'The Worrysaurus' and 'The Colour Monster'. We will discuss these stories, compare them and begin to do writing activities about these books. In Phonics we will begin Phase 2 of the Little Wandle Phonics scheme and continue to encourage oral blending of taught phonemes.

Maths

We will be focusing on numbers 1-5 this half term in maths and developing our knowledge of recognising quantities, subitising numbers within 5 and representing numbers using physical objects. We will be singing counting songs and making lots of links to the world around us- counting objects in our environment and things we can see and touch.

Understanding The World

This half term our topic is 'all about me'. We will be looking at different what makes us, us and our similarities and differences to one another.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development.

This half term is all about settling in, learning new routines, people and starting our love of learning! Please support us by developing your child's independence at home such as practising putting their own coats on and bags and recognising their own belongings.

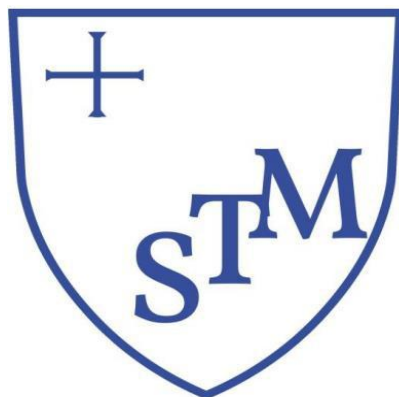
P.E

PE will be taught on Tuesdays. Please arrive to school in your PE kits consisting of navy/black joggers, white t-shirt and school jumper and black trainers.

RE

This half term we will be looking at 'Being Special.' We will also be rehearsing and learning our school prayers and lunch time prayer.

Year group: Reception Term: Autumn 1



Welcome to Reception!

Our learning, for this half term, will be linked, wherever possible to:
'All About Me'.

What you can do at home:

Weekly Little Wandle sheets will be sent home every Friday with a focus on sounds we have taught that week. Please take a look and practise to further embed this learning. For help with the correct pronunciations, please have a look at our school website for support or Little Wandle's parent section. This can be accessed at:

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/forparents/>

If you would like to help your child with maths, please help them to practise their counting from 0-10 forwards and backwards, number formation and recognising different numbers. We will be playing lots of games and giving out certificates for those who are confident with their mathematics.

If you have any other questions regarding your child's learning, please don't hesitate to ask!

Staff members: Miss Hunt, Miss Barnett, Miss Breakspear and Miss Pittaway