

## Reception Term – Autumn 2

### This term we will be learning...

All about technology at home and at school.

Throughout the curriculum we will explore how technology can support and extend learning.

As part of 'work week' we will explore different job roles and role-play working in a supermarket.

## Can you switch it on?



### Educational Visits: Supermarket trips w/c 26<sup>th</sup> November

## Key Information

Thank you to all families who have been reading every day at home and signing the reading record book.

Book bags with books and records should be brought to school every day.

Please make sure your child's PE kit come into school every Monday and is collected on Friday.

PE kit: House colour top, shorts or tracksuit bottoms and plimsolls/trainers.

## Nativity

The Early Years Nativity play for Nursery & Reception parents/carers will be on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December. There will be two showings:  
09:30am and 13:00pm.

## English

- In Reading pupils will have daily phonics lessons where they will be learning a new sound a day. Pupils will be learning to blend and segment sounds to develop their early reading skills.
- In Writing pupils will use their understanding of sounds taught in phonics to begin to write simple words and sentences.

This half terms key texts are:

**Dogs by Emily Gravett, Mr Grumpy's Outing by John Burningham, Rosie's walk by Pat Hitchens**

## Science

**Similarities and differences:** Pupils will explore how things rot and decay.

## Mathematics

**Number:** Pupils will learn to:

- Recite numbers in order to 10 and above
- Compare two groups of objects saying when they have the same number.
- Represent numbers using fingers and marks
- Begin to recognise numbers in the environment
- Counts objects to 10 and beyond

**Space, shape, & Measure:** Pupils will learn to:

Name 3D shapes and begin to discuss the properties of 3D shapes.

## Computing

Using a range of technological toys. Learning to program simple technological toys, such as beebots.

## You might like to join in with our learning at home by:

### Reading

Children will be sent home with a phonic book every week.  
Please read with your child daily.

### Watching

Video about Diwali

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pp59n0So-XE>

### Doing

Draw pictures from still life, such as fruit.

### Visiting

Local businesses to see different jobs in action.