

Reception
Do cows drink milk?

Term – Spring 2

This is an exciting term as we will be exploring different areas of learning such as, Understanding the World, The World and Expressive Art and Design. For instance, we will be learning about how art relates to the world around us. We will be learning about primary and secondary colours. We will also be learning about different religions and how to be accepting and embracing.

**This term we will
be learning about...**

Do cows drink milk? We will find out the answers to such questions by exploring different farm animals. We will also work on an Art project where we will use recycled material to make some farm animals.



We will be making an educational visit to Stepney City Farm to consolidate our learning.

Stratford will be going on the 10th of March and Waterloo will be going on the 13th March.

Key Information

Thank you to all families who have been reading and practising number and letter formation every day at home.

Please encourage your child to practise writing their name, phonic sounds (set 1 and 2). Encourage your child to add and subtract within 20. Please recap on previous learning covered so far. Homework is given on Thursday. Please ensure homework is completed and returned by Tuesday.

Please make sure your child is wearing their house colour PE t-shirt for PE days, which is every Monday AM. House colour tops are for sale in school on Wednesday at 3:00 PM.

English

We will continue to have creative writing where the children will have the opportunity to discover and experiment with different types of writing, such as, writing instructions, writing a story (characters, story setting, beginning, middle and end), fact files, party invitations and ordering of events.

Computing

We will learn to recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and schools.

Mathematics

We will learn numbers up to 20. We will learn how to add and subtract within 20 (number line and tens frames). We will also learn about 2D and 3D shapes and the properties of these shapes. In addition to this, we will learn about sequencing of patterns.

Science

We will gain an understanding about the world in terms of family customs and routines. We will also look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change. We will be observing and sorting seeds. We will be looking at baby and farm animals.

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

Reading

Please read with your child daily

Watching

(<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TgoYoc8oBFw>).

Doing: Encouraging children to be more independent. For example, helping out in the kitchen with sharing and counting, dressing and undressing themselves, recognising daily routines and taking responsibility for them.

Visiting

Stepney City Farm