

Welcome to Reception

Welcome to Reception (EYFS) We are looking forward to an exciting term exploring our topic 'Let's celebrate'. In Reception we learn through teacher led and child led activities. During the day, there will be key whole class learning times for Phonics, Literacy, topic and Mathematics. The children will then work on a range of teacher-led and child-initiated activities.

Homework In Reception

Homework will be daily reading and phonics. Once a week your child will receive the sounds we have learnt that week. Please practice these sounds at home. This will support your child with reading and writing. Once a week your child's reading book will be changed.

PE

We take part in PE once a week and if the weather allows they will be outdoor sessions.

We will continue to use our outdoor area everyday. As the weather is getting colder and wetter, please provide a pair of named wellies. These will also be needed for our Forest Fun Fridays where we do all of our learning outside.

Spare clothes

Please can we ask that your child brings in some spare school uniform for any accidents. Please can you help us by making sure that all your child's clothes are clearly named and they have a clearly named water bottle — thank you.

School website

Please use our school website <https://www.kiwi.wilts.sch.uk/> for regular updates and copies of letters sent home



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Expressive Arts and Design

We will join in with songs connected to our topic and perform a Christmas Nativity. We will join in with role play games and imaginative small world play in our themed home corner. We will continue to use different tools and media to create artwork and have opportunities to work together to develop creative ideas. We will be using paint and clay and learn new ways to join materials. We will build models using both construction equipment and recycled materials. We will explore music and dance in lessons and in the outdoor classroom.

Personal and Social Development

Self Regulation

This term we will continue to learn about our feelings and think about ways to overcome problems. We will be embedding our class rules and our school code of 'Ready, Respectful and Safe' in order to build respectful relationships.

Managing Self

We will be looking at how we take care of ourselves and our belongings and will begin to change for PE lessons. We will learn how to take care of our classroom and communal areas and take responsibility for our things.

Building Relationships

We will begin to think about what makes us special. We will investigate similarities and difference between our friends. We will focus on being kind and caring for others.

Physical Development

Gross Motor

We will continue learning to play co-operation games using equipment such as bats and balls, skipping ropes and a parachute. We will be climbing on outdoor equipment and using the outdoor classroom to develop our skills. In PE we will be learning how to move to music and will create our own dances.

Fine Motor

We will be treading, cutting, weaving, and using playdough to develop our muscles. We will learn how to use tools to effect changes to materials and will learn how to apply pencil pressure when drawing letter shapes correctly.

Autumn Term 2 2023 Reception 'Let's Celebrate'

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Past and Present

We will learn about different celebrations and share our own past experiences of these.

People, Cultures and Communities

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