

# Reception Half Termly Newsletter

Autumn 1

## Topic

This half term our topic is called Marvelous Me!

Our Learning:

Harvest Festival

Autumn

Starting school

Staying healthy

Human body

My family

My Community



Questions we will think about ....

What am I good at?

How am I a good friend?

How am I feeling?



## Upcoming Events

10.9.24 - 1pm - 3pm: Family  
Learning Introduction Session  
for parents

24.09.24 - EYFS Autumn  
Moorpark Walk

26.9.24 - European Day of  
Languages

3.10.24 - Parent Phonic  
Workshop

7.10.24 - Whole school photos

7.10.24 - M&M Productions  
school visit- Jack and the  
Beanstalk

## Welcome!

Welcome to the  
magical world of  
Reception Class! Get  
set for an exciting  
journey of discovery in  
a nurturing, secure  
space. Learning  
through play, and  
building friendships.

Gear up for a  
fantastic half term !

## Our Learning in Maths

Number

Know that the last number reached when  
counting a small set of objects tells you  
how many there are in total ('cardinal  
principle').

Count objects, actions and sounds.

Subitise - linked to 1 & 2 Link the number  
symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number  
value.

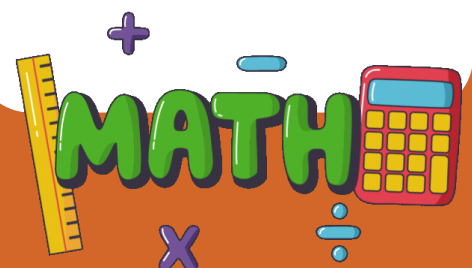
Count beyond ten.

Compare numbers - linked to 1 & 2.

Understand the 'one more than/one less  
than' relationship between consecutive  
numbers - linked to 1 & 2

Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the  
pattern of the counting system

Key Vocabulary: Subitise Counting  
Compare



## What are we Reading?

Marvellous Mel  
What Makes Me a Me!  
Colour Monster & what's in my heart  
Invisible String  
Ruby's Worry  
We're All Wonders  
Family  
A Handful Of Buttons  
Kindness is My Superpower!



## Phonics & Reading

Week 1 s a t p

Week 2 i n m d

Week 3 g o c k (Tricky word is)

Week 4 ck e u r (Tricky word I)

Week 5 h b f l (Tricky word the)

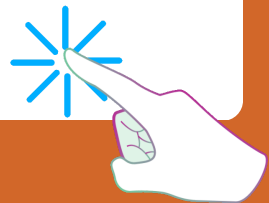
Word sheets & phonics homework will be handed out every Monday.

Reading books will be handed out every Wednesday.

Library Books - parents are invited in on every Friday at 3pm to select a book with their child.

Click on this link for parental support:

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>



## Visit our Classroom Website

<https://www.holmeslackprimary.co.uk/reception/>

