

Home Learning for EYFS in a nutshell



Reading

Children should read a minimum of four times a week (ideally 5 more more!) and parents and carers should record this in their child's reading record. Initially, while children are developing their ability to read, these reads should come in the form of adult shared reading. Please record, in the reading records, books that you have read to or with your child. A library book will be sent home with your child once a week which is a perfect bedtime story opportunity!

In time, children will have a decodable Read, Write, Inc. paper book. These books will be sent home following three days of story book teaching in school and, although it may seem as though children have 'memorised' the book, it is important to continue reading it as it allows them to build reading fluency and help commit words to memory. Additionally, it will allow children to begin to use their storyteller voices as they spend less time decoding words and more time comprehending what they are reading.

High Frequency Words

Some weeks, your child will be sent home with some high frequency words. Please practise with the children so they can recognise and read them.

Weekly Reflection

At the end of each week, the class teacher will let parents know what the children have been learning. Please look out for this email and then talk to your child about the photographs that have been shared. There may also be suggestions of ways to further this learning for your child at home.

Numbots

In the Summer Term, your child will be given a log in for an online platform, designed to support number fluency.

Children should spend a minimum of 20 minutes each week on Numbots:
<https://play.numbots.com/#/intro>

Some families choose for their child to play in one block where as others choose to break this down into 2-3 sessions.

Autumn Term			Spring Term			Summer Term		
Reading	Numbots / TTRS	Spelling Shed	Reading	Numbots / TTRS	Spelling Shed	Reading	Numbots / TTRS	Spelling Shed
			Minimum 4 reads			Minimum 4 reads	10 mins	

NB: With apps, please remember to update them regularly through your app store.