

Year R Newsletter

Summer 2
2025-2026

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Welcome!

Our school Christian Value this half term:
FAITH.

Our PE days are Wednesdays.
Children wear their PE kit into school on these days. Children wear a blue polo shirt and navy blue bottoms for PE, with plain white or black trainers.

Equipment:
Reading folder,
school bag (**NO keyrings**)
water bottle
coat.

No toys to be brought to school please.

Thank you



Maths

Mastering Number & White Rose curriculum

To continue to develop their understanding of the counting
Order numbers
Join in with verbal counts beyond 20
To compare and understand numbers to 10
To recall number bonds to 10
To understanding number concepts and number patterns.



Literacy

DRAWING CLUB
(various texts and animations)

To speak in full sentences.
To ask questions and respond to questions appropriately, and learn new vocabulary.
To make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding.
To offer explanations for why things might happen and offer descriptions of what they see.

Reading daily with the ability to say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. Reading for fluency and pleasure.
Reading with an astronaut in space.
Non-fiction Space & mini beasts themed texts.

To write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.



Understanding the world

To learn about Space.
Look at the similarities and differences of life on earth to life in space.
Look at the similarities and differences between contrasting environments. To make observations and discuss what they know or want to find out.

Understanding the world around them.
RE: What makes our world wonderful? Who am I and where do I belong?



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Topic

Space Mini beasts and Mega beasts

Children will be expected to start to build more resilience when writing independently in preparation for Year 1. Please practice letter formation and reading to support sentence writing independently.

Music



The children will have weekly music sessions with Mrs Webb.

RE

What makes our world wonderful?



PE

PE will be every Wednesday and led by Cardinals.

Personal, Social, emotional development

- Beginning the preparation of transition to Year 1.
- Encouraging independence and resilience.
- To work and play cooperatively and take turns with others.
- To strengthen and build positive relationships.

Home Learning

We expect the children to be reading at home at least 4 times a week. Children should be able to decode words up to the sounds we are currently working on, as shared via seesaw.

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Diary dates

1st June - INSET - school closed
2nd June - INSET - school closed
5th June - Mathew Hackney Non-Uniform Day - information to follow
11th June - Country Day - information to follow
12th June - School photos
18th June - FOSPS Father's Day Sale - information to follow
23rd June - Break The Rules Day - information to follow
26th June - FOSPS Non-Uniform Day in exchange for sweets
1st July – Open book (3:15 – 4:00)
3rd July - FOSPS Non-Uniform Day in exchange for bottles
3rd July - FOSPS Colour Run and Summer Event
7th July - FOSPS Discos - information to follow
22nd July - End of term - 12:15pm

Reminders

Please label everything

PE kit to be worn to school on a Wednesday

Please bring a coat when it is raining or cold

Remove keyrings from book bags

No toys or watches from home to be brought to school