



# RECEPTION NEWSLETTER

## SUMMER TERM



Rabbit Class	Dormouse Class	Otter Class
Miss Roberts	Mrs Kaptan Mrs Foster	Miss Buenafe
LSAs: Mrs Warman, Mrs Pffifner, Miss Alefounder, Mrs Cornateanu, Miss Richardson, Mrs Dos Santos		

**Welcome Back! We hope you have had a fantastic Easter break and are ready to get back to more wonderful learning in Reception!**

Reception is the beginning of your child's journey here at Ashford Park Primary School and therefore, the expectations of behaviour and learning are high as it sets the foundations for your child's future progress through the school. We welcome your support in the education of your child and we believe that working together will enable your child to reach their full potential.

### Home Learning

- Home learning is set on Google Classroom on a Friday afternoon. We set phonics home learning every week and alternate between Maths and Literacy/Communication & Language home learning. Please ask your child's teacher if you require another copy of the login details.
- Reading books – e-collins reading books are set every Friday. Please make sure your child's reading is recorded in their reading record. Please ask your child's teacher if you require a new copy of their login details.
- Please send your child's reading record in everyday to enable teachers to also record your child's reading.
- Sharing books book will be changed on a **Monday** and sent home on the Tuesday. This will be a book that you can enjoy reading together.

### Uniform

With warmer weather hopefully on the horizon, please make sure you are aware of the uniform expectations.

**Please name ALL of your child's clothes and equipment.**

- Red school jumper or cardigan
- White shirt, blouse, or white polo shirt
- Mid-grey skirt, mid-grey school trousers, mid-grey shorts or red and white checked summer dress (no cargo or sport style shorts)
- Black school shoes, white or black sandals (**no slip-on, heels, trainers and boots**)
- Grey or white plain socks

### PE Days & PE Kits

**The expectation is that your child comes into school in their PE kit on PE days.**

Please ensure each item of your child's PE kit is clearly **labelled** with their name and **no jewellery** is worn on PE days.

Otter Class: Tuesday  
Dormouse Class: Tuesday  
Rabbit Class: Monday

### Important Dates

15 <sup>th</sup> April	Back to school
6 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank holiday
9 <sup>th</sup> May	Planetarium Visit
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Break up for half term at 3.15pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> June	Back to school
13 <sup>th</sup> June	Look Out Centre Trip
24 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception Sports day
18 <sup>th</sup> July	End of Reception Celebration Assembly
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Break up at 2pm

### Marvellous Me



Marvellous Me is used to send out key information as well as celebrate your child's learning. It is essential that you are signed up to the app and that you check it regularly.

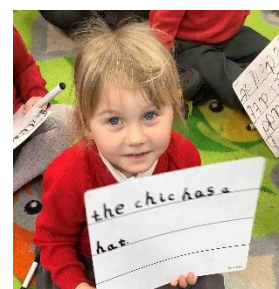
## Celebration of Spring Term Learning



Reception enjoyed a visit from the Hobgoblin Theatre company. We watched their version of 'Little Red Riding Hood'.



In PSHE we have been learning about being healthy. Here the children are sorting foods.



We have continued to improve our writing.



We really enjoyed learning kung fu with Russell. We learnt about the history of kung fu and some of the moves.



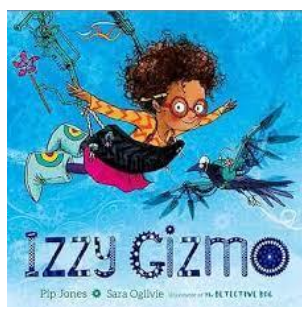
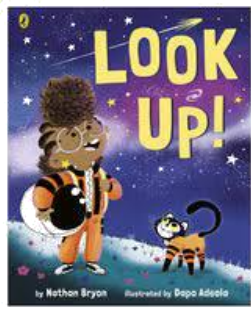
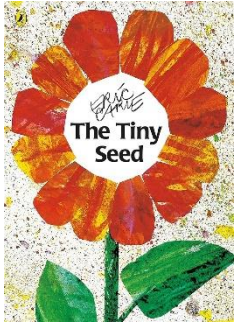
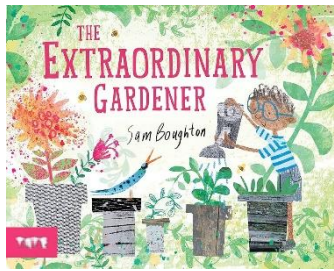
Learning outside is an important part of our day. Look at our wonderful porridge made in the mud kitchen.



Reception have been learning lots of new skills in maths. Here the children are sorting objects in different ways.

## Class Texts



Summer 1		Summer 2	
When We Grow Up		Growing	
			
<b>Izzy Gizmo</b> Pip Jones	<b>Look Up</b> Nathan Byron	<b>The Tiny Seed</b> Eric Carle	<b>The Extraordinary Gardener</b> Sam Boughton

At APPS, we follow The Literary Curriculum with Literacy Tree, which places quality literature at the core of English teaching. Below are the texts that Reception will study over the course of the term. If you are able to discuss the books with your child as we study them, it would really support their learning. All books are available from bookshops and local libraries.

For further information or queries, please check the school's website or Twitter accounts.

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