

Spring 1 2021

Reception



TERM FOCUS

This term we will be learning about 'Travel and Transport'. Most of our learning in Reception will be linked to this overarching theme. We will be looking at different types of transport and discussing the various ways that we can travel. We will use materials to create vehicles and we will discuss the history of transport. We will look at various jobs in this category and we will explore how vehicles work. We will also find ways to discuss our dreams and goals and what we can do to achieve them.

READING

We love reading in Reception and will be focusing on a range of different texts based around our theme 'Travel and Transport'. Please continue to read with your child every day as this helps them build the confidence they need to be a fluent reader. We are currently focusing on blending sounds together when reading.

Our current book is *Naughty Bus* by Jan and Jerry Oke.

This term we will also be reading *The Train Ride*, *How to Catch a star* and more.



WRITING

This term we are focusing on handwriting and making sure we form letters correctly with finger spaces. We are also learning about the importance of using the correct pencil grip and using our phonics sounds when writing. Please continue to practise your letter formation at home. To help your child with their writing please revise phonics sounds regularly, writing your name and writing simple sentences that include a capital letter and a full stop.



MATHS



During the Spring term we will be focusing on Number, adding and subtracting. We are continuing to count carefully using one to one correspondence, using concrete materials to support adding and subtracting and discussing maths in a real life contexts. Later in the term, we will be learning more about addition and subtraction. Please visit the Saxon Maths Website to play fun number games and watch counting videos. <https://saxonmaths.weebly.com/reception.html>

HOME LEARNING

Saxon Maths Website link

<https://saxonmaths.weebly.com/reception.html>

Reading Oxford Owl

www.oxfordowl.co.uk

The login is: year1

Password: saxonyear1

www.phonicsplay.co.uk (Buried treasure game)

Login: March20 p.w: home



