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Reception (EYFS) Home Learning Information

Seesaw

Seesaw is a secure platform we use to share photographs of your child's learning, home learning activities and send reminders. We encourage you to share photographs and 'wow' moments from home which your child can share with teachers and peers. You have received a QR code to download the APP on to your home device or mobile phone.

Your child has been given a green home learning folder which will be sent home with a library book and home learning activities on a **Friday**. They will need to be return the folder on the following **Thursday**.

Library Books

Your child will choose a 'library' book every week on a **Friday**. This is for you and your child to share and build a love of reading. This needs to be returned every **Thursday** in your home learning folder. Your child will be given a reading record book. You can use this to record any notes and comments made while reading with your child at home. Please return in the home learning folders each week.

Phonics

On a **Friday** a home learning task linked to phonics will be set on Seesaw for your child to complete. Short, interactive videos linked to the sounds we have taught each week will be uploaded for you to watch with your child. Please respond with a comment to show your child has watched the video. Your child will also bring home a phonics activity sheet designed to help them practice their fine motor skills and letter formation. A 'ditty' rhyme sheet will be included to inform you of the rhyme to help with the correct letter formation. For example, when writing the letter 'a' children are encouraged to say 'around the apple and down the leaf'. Please return to school in the folder or take a photograph and upload on to Seesaw.

In addition to the Seesaw video, your child will bring home flashcards (speed sounds) to read and practise. When ready, your child will be given a RWI phonics reading book. This will be based on the level that they are currently reading in their phonics lessons. More information will be shared when your child is ready to receive a book.

Topic

On occasion we will set a task linked to a topic, to consolidate and extend your child's knowledge. If you and your child would like to record, take photos or show the completed work, this can be uploaded onto Seesaw.

We are looking forward to working closely with you to encourage a love of learning at home and school.

Many thanks,

Mrs Corbett

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