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New to Reception

21st June 2023



**St Mark & All Saints
Church of England
Primary School and
Nursery**



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Our School

AIMS:

- To live and work together as a caring Christian community which fosters a love of life-long learning.
- To ensure children value themselves as unique individuals, celebrating diversity and respecting difference.
- To teach resilience and provide opportunities to develop skills for life and positive relationships.
- To encourage an inquisitive, reflective approach to learning.



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Mrs Wilson

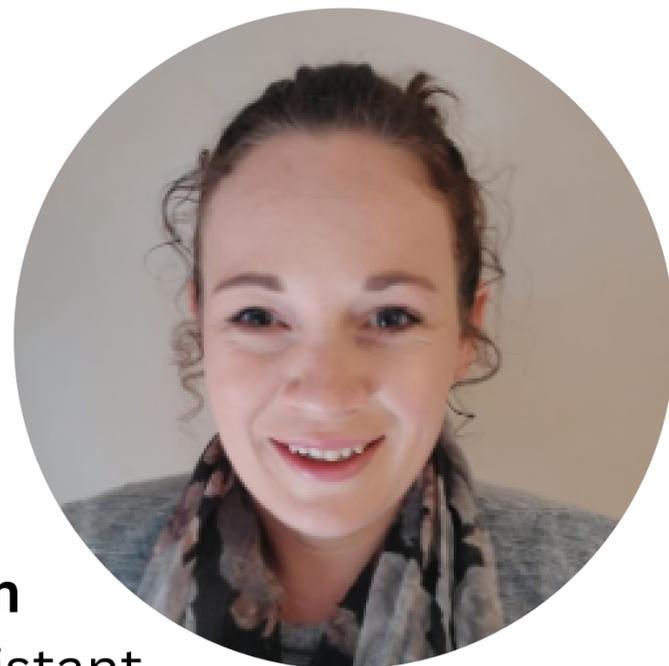
Early Years Leader
Reception teacher

Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday



Mrs George

Reception teacher
Thursday/Friday



Miss Gosden

HL Teaching Assistant

Monday/Tuesday/Thursday/Friday



Mrs Patel

Teaching Assistant

Monday/Tuesday/Wednesday

**Meet our
Hazel Class
Team!**



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Mrs Mallett
Headteacher



Mrs Mills
SENDCO



Alice Westbrook
Home School Link Worker

**Wider school
team**



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June
Induction
Visits



Home
Visits



Visits
to
nursery



September

The Induction
Process



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Our school gates are opened at
8.45am and children can be
brought to the Reception gate to be
met by class staff.

**If your child is absent
due to illness, please
ring the school office
and leave a message on
the absence line, as
soon as possible with
the details regarding
their absence.**

**Pick up
and
Drop off**

At home time, parents and carers
collect Reception children from the
Reception gate at **3.15pm.**



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A typical day

8.45am - 8.55am	Children are welcomed into school Hazel class come into the classroom independently, Children practise writing their name Toasted bagels offered Reading for pleasure time before registration
9.00am	Registration Children select their lunches from the daily menu
9.10am - 10.00am	Session 1 (maths or literacy) including independent learning time
10.00am	Snack time (free fruit for all children)
10.30am -10.45am	Collective Worship
10.45am - 11.30am	Independent learning time (indoors and outdoors)
11.30am	Phonics session
11.55am - 1.00pm	Lunchtime
1.00pm - 1.15pm	Handwriting
1.15pm - 2.45pm	Session 2 and 3
2.45pm - 3.10pm	Tidy Up time, Story time, Circle Time
3.15pm	End of School Day



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All children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 are entitled to free school meals.

**School
meals**

Week 1 - Spring / Summer 2023 Menu					
Week starting: 17th April, 8th May, 5th June, 26th June, 17th July, 18th September, 9th October					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
<p>Option 1</p> <p>Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Potato Tots</p>	<p>Pork Sausages with Creamed Potato & Gravy</p>	<p>Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes & Gravy</p>	<p>Wholemeal Pasta Beef Bolognese</p>	<p>Harry Ramsden's Junior Battered Fish with Oven Chips</p>	
<p>Option 2</p> <p>Plant Based Sausage Roll with Potato Tots</p>	<p>Meat-Free Sausage with Creamed Potato & Gravy</p>	<p>Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes & Gravy</p>	<p>Ricotta Cheese & Spinach Wholemeal Ravioli in Tomato Sauce</p>	<p>Garden Vegetable Goujons with Oven Chips</p>	



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**Name
recognition**

**Using knife
and fork**

Toilet

Sharing books

**Wiping own
nose**

Numbers

**How to
prepare for
September**

**Dressing in
uniform**

Handwashing

Mark making





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The Early Years Foundation Stage

Prime Areas

Communication and
Language

Personal, Social and
Emotional
Development

Physical
Development

Specific Areas

Understanding
the World

Expressive Arts
and Design

Mathematics

Literacy

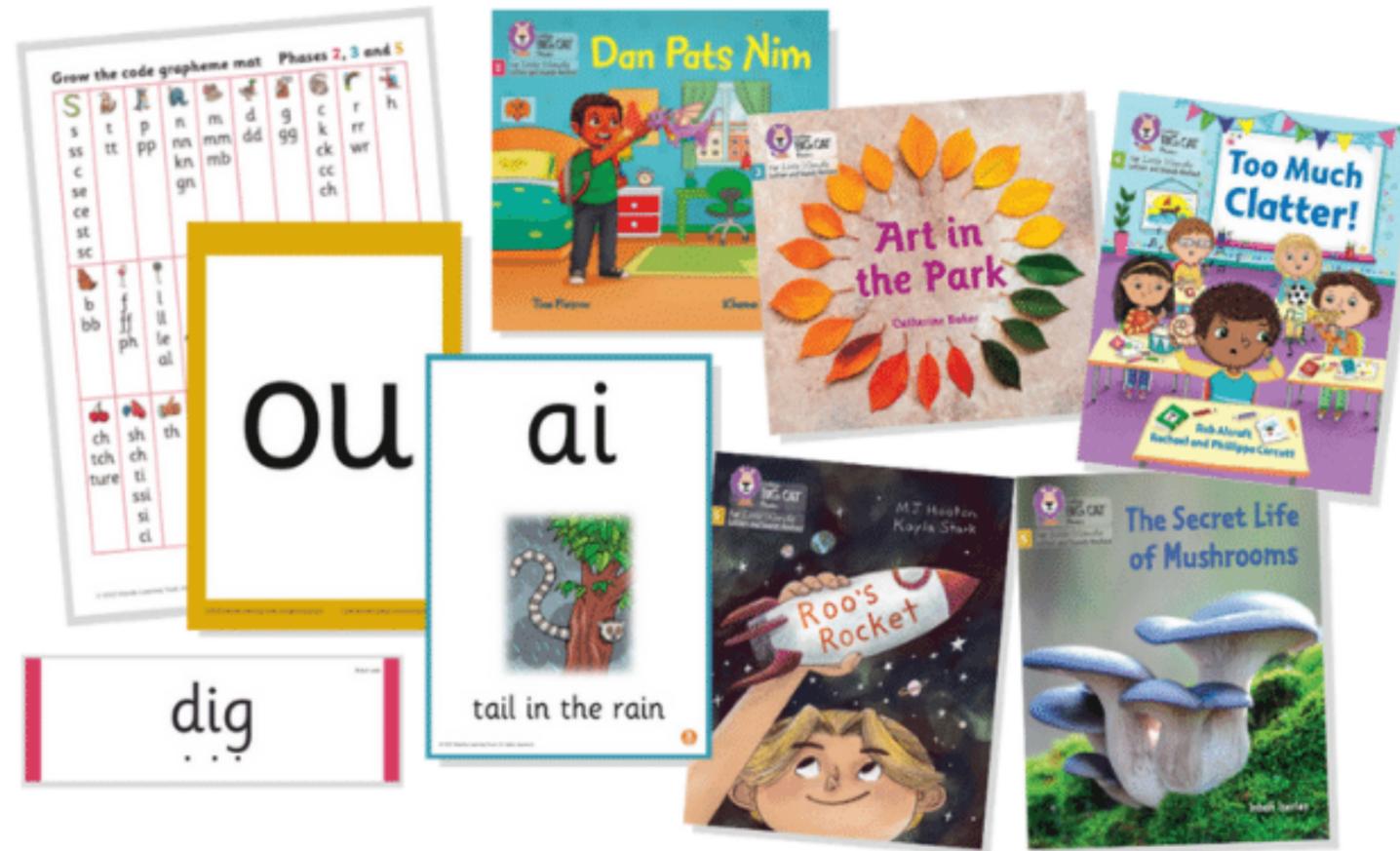


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**Supporting
phonics and
reading**

**Learning
at Home**

Autumn term Parent
workshop
How to help your child
with reading
Thursday 14th September

Grapheme and mnemonic	Picture card	Pronunciation phrase	Formation phrase
s s	 snake	Show your teeth and let the s hiss out ssssss ssssss	Under the snake's chin, slide down and round its tail.
a a	 astronaut	Open your mouth wide and make the a sound at the back of your mouth aaa	Around the astronaut's helmet and down into space.
t t	 tiger	Open your lips; put the tip of your tongue behind your teeth and press ttt	From the tiger's nose to its tail, then follow the stripe across the tiger.



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Fine motor control



Learning at Home





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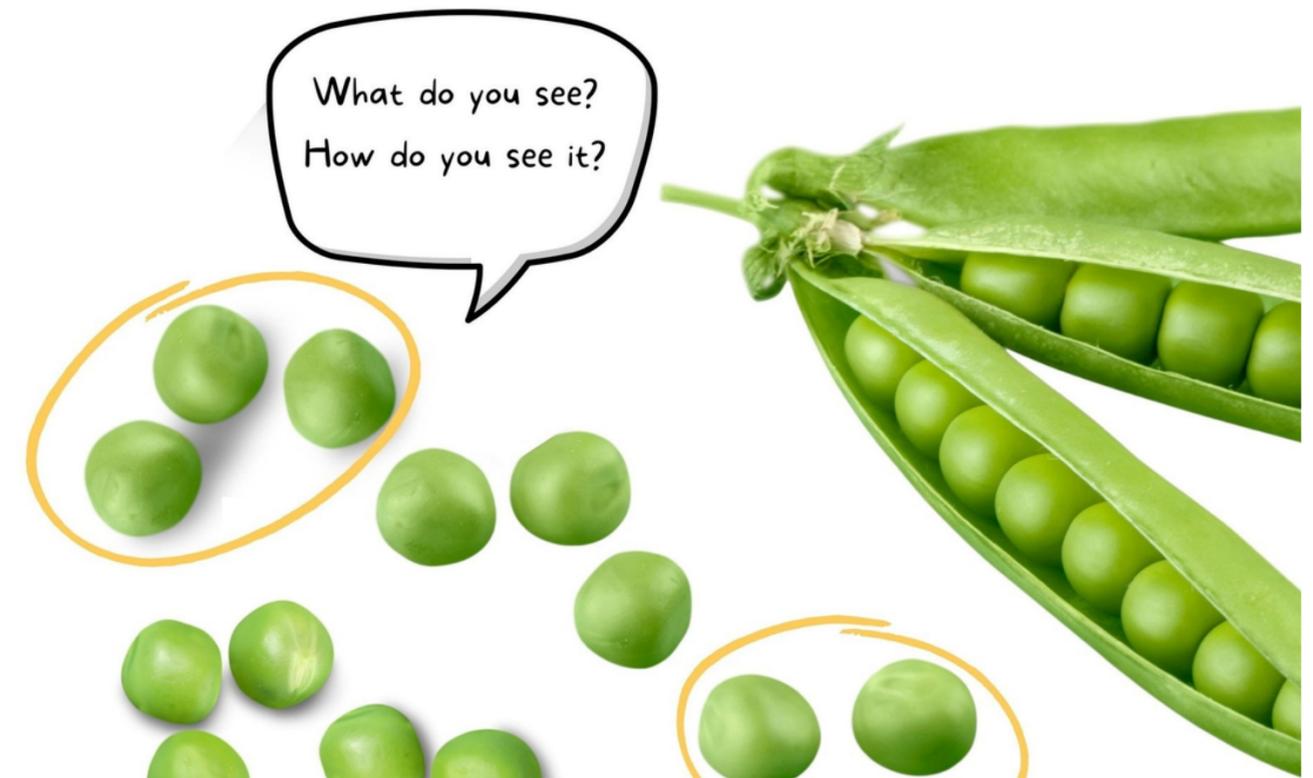
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Supporting maths

Learning at Home

White Rose Maths
'I Can' Targets: Find My Pattern

25	I can make doubles. <input type="checkbox"/>	I can sort doubles and non-doubles. <input type="checkbox"/>
24	I can share a small quantity equally. <input type="checkbox"/>	I can arrange small quantities into equal groups. <input type="checkbox"/>
23	I can recognise that some quantities can be shared equally into two groups and some can't. <input type="checkbox"/>	I can recognise the structure of odd and even numbers. <input type="checkbox"/>
22	I can use positional language to describe where objects are in relation to other objects. <input type="checkbox"/>	I can visualise simple models. <input type="checkbox"/>
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photos, videos and messages

Keeping you
up to date with
your child's
learning



Open Classroom

Hazel

SUMMER 2 NEWSLETTER 2023



Our final term of Reception!
This half term is always a very exciting one, filled with sunshine, lots of water activities and preparations for our move to Y1! We look forward to our annual fruit-picking trip to Tuesley Farm and of course, Sports Day. Don't forget to pack a sunhat and water bottle each day so we can make the most of the warmer weather!

Talk 4 Writing



We begin this half term with an exciting pirate adventure, told in the book **The Night Pirates** by Peter Harris. We will use the text to link with maps and some water-related experiments!

We will then move on to read **The Rainbow Fish**, with a look at a non-fiction text about these beautiful underwater creatures. We will find out more about the oceans of the world and the animals that live beneath the waves.

The Deep Blue Sea

We will be working on counting backwards and forwards within 20 and then beyond.

Hazel class will also revisit doubling, odd and even numbers, bonds to 10 and sharing/grouping.

half termly
newsletters



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**We are really excited
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your child into
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Autumn!**

Thank you!

