



# Reception

## Summer 1 Newsletter

**Shiver me timbers!**



In this booklet you will find information on some of the things your child will be covering in class. You will also find a few ideas of how you can help your child at home.

We value your support in working with us and hope that you will find this information useful.

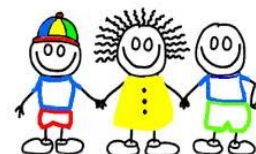


## COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

Your child will be:-

- Encouraged to use full sentences.
- Using past and present tenses to talk about events in their life.
- Listening to a range of stories and then talk about what they liked about it.
- Encouraged to recall a story that they have read and talk about the beginning, middle and the end.

## PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Your child will be:-

- Encouraged to take account of one another's ideas about how to organise an activity.
- Encouraged to speak about their ideas when working in a group.
- Encouraged to talk about their feelings.

## PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Your child will be:-

- Using PE equipment to travel in different ways (walking the plank!).
- Using PE equipment to show different ways of jumping off and landing safely.
- Focussing on fine motor skills - correct pencil control and scissor control.
- Learning to dress themselves for PE.
- Taking part in our weekly PE lessons with Coach.

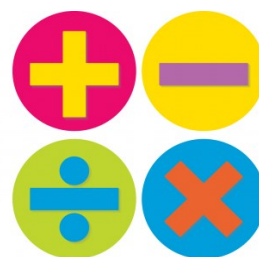


## ENGLISH



Your child will be:-

- Talking and writing about their weekend.
- Talking and writing about pirates.
- Reading a variety of Pirate story books.
- Writing sentences using capital letters and full stops correctly and using finger spaces.



## MATHEMATICS

Your child will be:-

- Learning about numbers within 20 - counting objects up to 20, one greater and one more, one less and one fewer, problem solving within 20.
- Learning to measure size ,weight ,capacity, position, distance and time.



## UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Your child will be:-

- Learning about St George's day and the importance of the celebration in England.
- Learning about different occupations.
- Children will have the chance to talk about their home life and how it is the same and different to their peers.



## EXPRESSIVE ART AND DESIGN

Your child will be:-

- Planning and creating their classroom role play area.
- Making pirate ships.
- Using junk modelling to make 3D models that link to our topic.
- Helping to make their class role play area.
- We shall continue to learn Music in our weekly Music lessons.
- We shall be learning to sing some Pirate songs.



## EXTRA ACTIVITIES/ THINGS TO BRING IN

- Junk modelling resources e.g. boxes, bottles, bottle caps and scrap paper.
- P.E bags. We shall be changing for PE this term. Please ensure that your child brings in a full PE kit consisting of a jumper, trousers ,t-shirt and sport shoes.
- Please label all clothing with your child's name.
- Book bags should be bought into school daily.
- We shall be visiting Newham City farm.

## HOME LINKS

- Read pirate stories to your child.
- Revise phonic sounds daily.
- Count and recognise numbers to 30.
- Listen to your child read daily.
- Ensure you're accessing Bug Club at home- <https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0>
- Please email us to let us know of any excellent work your child has done at home:-  
[eyfs@winsor.newham.sch.uk](mailto:eyfs@winsor.newham.sch.uk)

