

Reception targets

Spring term

Reading

All children to complete phase 3 phonics and begin phase 4. Children should be able to segment the sounds in words and blend them together to read simple sentences. Children will begin to enjoy a variety of books, including non-fiction texts. All children will be read with twice per week in school alongside being read with every night with their parents.

Writing

Children will gain confidence when writing independently, whether this is mark making or writing words and simple sentence. Children will use the skills learned in phonics to segment the sounds to spell CVC and high frequency words.

Maths - number

Children to have a good understanding of the numbers 0-20. They will be able to say what number is one less and one more than any given number. They will use the language of fewer or more when describing numbers 0-20.

Shape, space and time

Children will use every day language related to time. They will be able to sequence key parts of the day, year etc. Children will understand the difference between a 2d and 3d shape and will be able to describe some of their properties.