



Reception
Just To Let You Know
17th July 2026

Dear Parents & Carers,

The children have had a brilliant penultimate week. We have focused on the children's number formation; they each completed a number formation activity during discovery. On Tuesday the children had the opportunity to visit the school library with Geraldine, our librarian. We have also enjoyed eating some honey toast and playing parachute games. The week ended with the children watching the Year 2 celebration assembly.

Phonics: The children have been recapping all the sounds and word endings that they have learnt so far.

Tricky words: We have been recapping some of our previously learnt tricky words.

Maths: This week we looked at naming and recognising 3D shapes. We then had a go at finding some 3D shapes around the classroom.

Footwear: Just a reminder that the children are not allowed to wear crocs into school.

Celebration Afternoon: On Monday 20th July at 1:45pm, parents will be welcomed into school. This is an opportunity for your child to show-case their learning to you. They may also like to take you to see their new classroom. Your child will be taking their folder home with them afterwards, you may wish to bring a bag for their work.

Thank you: As the school year draws to a close, we wanted to take this opportunity to thank you for your support. This will be our last Reception JTLYK. Wow! We really cannot believe that it is coming to the end of the school year. It has been a true joy and privilege to teach your children this year. We are so proud of the individual progress they have all made, and we hope you are too.

Over the Summer: We've not sent home any things to do over the summer, as it is important that the children have a break. But here are some things you could do if you wanted to:

- Keep spotting letters and words that children can read whilst out and about.
- Play some subitising games (What do you see? How do you see it?)
- Make some lovely memories - keep some treasures from your adventures in a scrap book or shoe box and look back over them at the end of the holidays.
- Look back over tricky words and sounds that we have sent home over the year.

Upcoming dates:

Monday 20th July: Celebration Afternoon @ 1:45.

Wednesday 22nd July: End of the school year-1:15 Finish

Tuesday 1st September: INSET-school closed to pupils.

Wednesday 2nd September: First day of term. Start of the new school Year.

Thursday 3rd September: Parents to meet their child's new school teacher @7pm

Have a lovely summer holiday,

The Reception Team