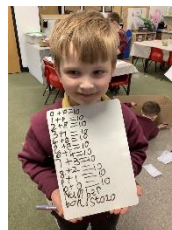




# Reception News

## 21<sup>st</sup> March 2025



### What we've been learning recently

**Literacy** – Over the past two weeks, the children have been learning two different stories: The Three Billy Goats Gruff and The Enormous Turnip. We learned the stories, discussed characters, settings and sequenced the stories using story mountains.

**Maths** – Last week, the children were learning the number bonds to 10. Please keep practicing the recall of these with your children at home. This week, we have been learning number doubles within 10. The children were very quick to spot number doubles and not doubles and explain how they knew.

**Wider Curriculum** – Last week, children worked collaboratively together to design and build bridges that could cross a stream and then tested these in the water area. This week, we have been learning all about different root vegetables. The children could tell us that these vegetables grow underground. Many of the children had a go at doing some observational drawings of vegetables and labelling their pictures.

### Over the next fortnight we will be...

- Basing our learning around another traditional text: Goldilocks.
- Learning the Easter story.
- Learning about length and height, and 3D shapes and patterns in Maths.
- Continuing to embed and apply Level 2 and Level 3 sounds and Tricky Words in Phonics lessons and reading and writing sessions.

### Important Notices

**Early Finish** – On the last day of Spring Term, Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April, we will finish slightly earlier. Please collect your child at 13:20. Please note, Bridge Kids After School Club will not be running on that day.

**Summer Term PE** – After the Easter break, Reception's PE slot will be moving to Thursday afternoon. We will send PE kits home at the end of this term to be washed. Please return your child's PE kit to school at the start of Summer Term.

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### Shining Stars

Congratulations to our Shining Stars from the last two weeks for demonstrating our school values.

**RB** – Hopanda, Jesse, Finley, Rosen

**RW** – Eva-May, Ivar, Roman M and Sophia