



Reception News

20th June 2025



What we've been learning recently

Literacy – We have kept to our theme of beaches over the last two weeks. Last week we looked at the story of 'Sharing a shell'. This sparked wonderful discussions about friendships, being kind to others and feelings. As part of our learning, the children were able to write sentences about some of the sea creatures in our oceans.

Maths – The children have enjoyed showing off their number knowledge to us over the last 2 weeks. They worked hard to recall their number bonds to 5, subitising quantities of dots up to 6 without counting, doubling numbers up to 10, and a good knowledge of the sequence of numbers by being able to recall which number came before and which came after. Many children were able to count well beyond 20, showing growing confidence and accuracy in number sequencing. This week, we have been working on finding half of a shape and half of a set of objects.

Wider Curriculum – We have had a wonderful 2 weeks learning about our beaches. This week, we have focused on learning all about the RNLI. Next week, we will be keeping our theme of beach safety and also learning about how to protect our oceans and sea creatures.

Over the next fortnight we will be...

- Continuing to learn about the RNLI and beach safety.
- Thinking about how to stay safe on the beach.
- Reading our new story 'Clean up!'
- Thinking about what machine we could invent to clean our beaches and oceans.

Important Notices

PE Kits – Thank you for your support in sending in the children's PE kits. PE continues to be on a Thursday afternoon until the end of term so please make sure all PE kits are in school now for the rest of the term. They will be sent home after the last PE session.

Thank you! – A huge 'Thank you' for making Sports Day memorable for the children. We were all impressed with how well the children did, even on such a hot day!

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Shining Stars

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

RB – George, Hazel, Oscar and Hopanda

RW – Joshua, Summer, Gracie-Mai and Lily