

## Next Week in Reception Week Beginning 16th September 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

### A Date for your diary

On 21st September at 9am FOSI, our school PTA (Parent and Teacher association) are holding a Welcome Breakfast at school from 8am. Tickets will be on sale on ParentPay this week. Tickets will be £5 for one adult and one child together and £2 for any additional adult or child. It's a lovely way to come and meet other families, have breakfast with your child and greet the teachers before the day begins.

After the breakfast, there will be a welcome meeting where we will talk about how the year unfolds and answer any questions that you may have.

### Clothing & Labelling

Please ensure all jumpers/cardigans, water bottles, hats, coats and book bags are clearly labelled with your child's name.





















### Pick up Changes

Please let us know if there are any changes to who is picking up your child at home time by phoning or emailing the office.

### Photos

In the upcoming weeks, we will be discussing our families. If you are happy to, please send in a copy of a family photo for your child to share with their class (we can photocopy the photos on your child's All About Me sheet if applicable) and display in our classrooms.

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What we will be doing in school	How you can help at home								
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Topic - Super Me, Super You!</u></b></p> <p>We will continue our topic - Super Me, Super You!            We will look at ourselves in mirrors and focus on our features to draw or make self-portraits.</p>	<p>Talk to your child about similarities and differences between people and families.</p> <p>You could encourage them to draw a picture of themselves and other family members or friends.</p>								
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Maths - Counting</u></b></p> <p>We will match and sort different objects.</p> 	<p>Play a game such as Snap and see if your child can spot when a matching card is turned.</p> <p>Encourage your child to sort different objects into groups. For example, they could sort their toy cars into groups of colour or size.</p> 								
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Phonics</u></b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; text-align: center;"> <tr> <td data-bbox="217 1464 395 1570">s s</td> <td data-bbox="395 1464 485 1570"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="217 1570 395 1682"> a a</td> <td data-bbox="395 1570 485 1682"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="217 1682 395 1794"> t t</td> <td data-bbox="395 1682 485 1794"></td> </tr> <tr> <td data-bbox="217 1794 395 1906"> p p</td> <td data-bbox="395 1794 485 1906"></td> </tr> </table>	s s		 a a		 t t		 p p		<p>Play 'I Spy' games for objects beginning with these graphemes (sounds).</p> <p>Can your child think of any words that begin with these graphemes (sounds)?</p> <p>*Please see the additional information at the end of this newsletter.</p>
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Little Wandle - Letters and Sounds  
Reception Phonics Home Learning



Phase 2 - Autumn 1 Week 1  
Focus - Phonemes s / a / t / i

Please support your child to practise and reinforce the phonemes and graphemes we are learning in school. More information and support can be found on the Little Wandle website - <https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Phonemes we will be focusing on this week in school -



Pronunciation Phrase - s

Show your teeth and let the s hiss out **ssss**



Pronunciation Phrase - a

Open your mouth wide and make the a sound at the back of your mouth **aa**



Pronunciation Phrase - t

Open your lips; put the tip of your tongue behind your teeth and press **ttt**



Pronunciation Phrase - p

Bring your lips together, push them open and say **pp**

We will be orally blending words. Can you hear the phonemes in these words? Can you listen and then repeat the word?

s - a - t

t - a - p

s - a - p

p - a - t

a - t