



Reception Homework Overview: Spring 1

Literacy

What are we learning in school?

Our topic this half term is 'Our Favourite Stories'. We will be developing our writing by forming letters correctly, writing our names independently and writing initial sounds to words we are writing. We will develop our sentence writing by ensuring that capital letters, finger spaces, and full stops are used correctly. We will be looking at different story characters and attempting to write sentences to describe them.

What could you do at home?

Each week you will be set a piece of homework to support the previous week's learning. This homework will be **posted on the blog** <http://www.broadheath.coventry.sch.uk/>

You will be expected to **practise your HFW, read your reading book daily, complete activities** in your **reading diary** and **contribute to our class blog**. You could also visit the library and read different varieties of story books and information books.

Try this reading game at home: <http://www.ictgames.com/helpAHedgehog/index.html>

Mathematics

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In Maths this half term we will be learning to order numbers, match quantity to numeral, practically find different ways of making numbers up to 10 and developing our understanding of the one more than/one less than relationship between consecutive numbers.



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Play Reception Maths games on Education City or ICT games.
http://www.ictgames.com/funny_fingers_v2.html

Understanding the World

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Our Topic next half term is Understanding the world. Children will be looking at where different characters of their story come from and how they live.

ICT: Children will be using ipads and laptops to learn how to use different programs and create different effects...

What could you do at home?

Find out:

Go to the library and find a traditional story. Who are the characters in the story and where do they live?

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Our SEAL unit this half term is Citizenship. We will be learning about:

How to play nicely with others

How to help in my community

Understand where Coventry is in the country

We will be thinking about how to make suggestions as to how we can make the school even better.

We will also be encouraging children to try new activities by themselves in the classroom every day, about.

Expressive Art and Design

We will be encouraging the children to develop their imagination skills through role playing different stories using role-play areas, mud kitchen and the outdoor area.

Children will be using a range of different art media to make a build characters and make puppets.

Physical Development: PE: Our PE units this half term will be throwing and catching and multi-skills.