



## Reception Summer 1, Mrs Rothery, Mrs Bakes & Mrs Khan



### Welcome Back

We can't believe that we are now in the Summer Term. Time flies when you're having fun! We hope you find this Learning Launchpad useful and informative. As always, we are around at the beginning and the end of the day should you want to discuss anything and keep checking Seesaw for updates & communication/letters.

### Reception Curriculum Information

**English:** Children will continue to apply their knowledge of Little Wandle Letters and Sounds with increasing accuracy and independence. We will begin Phase 4 of Little Wandle. There will be no new sounds to learn but we will learn how to read words with consonant clusters such as jump, bright and twist. We will also be learning a new set of tricky words that we need to learn to read on sight. These are: *said, so, have, like, some, come, love, do, were, here, little, says, there, when, what, one, out, today*.

**Maths:** We will begin to explore numbers up to 20 and begin to understand what it means to double and to halve a number. We continue to solve simple practical addition and subtraction problems and also begin to divide amounts equally. We will continue to develop our understanding of vocabulary and language linked to Maths.

### Curriculum Focus

Reception will start our final theme of 'I can make a difference!' This term we will be identifying and discussing the differences that we can make. We will be finding out about how our actions have consequences so we can make conscientious decisions. We will focus on how to take care of our bodies, exploring animals, plants, growing, recycling & how to look after the environment. These are just some of our key texts for the half term...



Don't forget to send children in their PE kit each **FRIDAY**. Please make sure that kit is per the school uniform policy found on our website.

If you happen to have any cardboard boxes, egg boxes, milk cartons or anything else that we could use for junk modelling, we would much appreciate these being sent into school.

### Key Dates

**Back to School:** Tuesday 22nd April

**Reception Class Photo:** Thursday 1st May

**Bank Holiday:** Monday 5th May

**Health Week:** Monday 19th May

**End of Term:** Friday 23rd May

