



# EYFS Snowdrops and Bluebells : Spring 2 Newsletter



## What will we be learning this half term?

## Upcoming dates

### Welcome

Welcome back, we hope you all had a restful and relaxing half term break. Remember we love to share your child's adventures from home, please add these to Tapestry for us to share on a Friday.

### Phonics

This term we will be consolidating our knowledge of all the graphemes we have learnt and apply these to longer words. When reading longer words we **chunk** them - break them down into manageable chunks!

We will be securing all the tricky words we have learnt as well as practicing spelling our tricky words.

Please remember to check Tapestry for our weekly phonics learning and don't forget to share your phonics practise at home!

### Early Reading

Reading challenge!  
We will continue to have three reads per week with an adult working on: decoding, prosody, and comprehension. Reading at home will make a massive difference in a child's reading progress, so encourage your child to read with you at least 3 times a week at home! Record in your reading record to move around our world disco!

### Mathematics (Mastering Number)

This half term we will be starting to think doubling quantities to 10, as well as starting to think about what makes a number even or odd.

### English

This half term we are starting our weekly writing focus based around a text. Our first text will be 'How to make a chocolate mug cake'. Grandma Fantastic will introduce new vocabulary to us and we will use the new words in sentences. We will write our own instructions and recipe!

### General notices

- Remember to name **all** items of clothing.
- Please bring your book bag and phonics folder/reading record in every day.

### 6th, 7th and 10th

March:  
Book fair

21st March:  
Red nose day

28th March:  
Friend's silent disco

4<sup>th</sup> April:  
Easter holidays!



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You can support our learning even further...

## Test us on...

Can you remember the digraphs...?

ai, ee, igh, oa, ear, air

## Ask us to explain...

Doubling can you double these die patterns?



## Question us about...

What is a season?

Which season are we in?

What signs have you noticed around you?

## See if we can remember...

The tricky words we have learnt – can you practice spelling them!

the, put, pull, full, I, as, is, he, her, she

## Spotlight on E-Safety....

Who would you talk to if you didn't like something you saw on your tablet? Talk to your child about safe adults.