

Welcome to Reception!

RCW Term1 2023



My name is Miss Woodley and I will be your teacher. I love reading stories and doing experiments! I'm looking forward to meeting you all in September!

All About Me

Our topic is All About Me! We will be learning about our families, what makes us unique, what we are good at and why we are important. We will discuss our similarities and differences and have a go at creating self-portraits.



Maths

In maths we will be focusing on our 1:1 correspondence when counting objects, recognising and writing numerals from 0-10. We will also develop our mathematical language in relation to size and scale.



My name is Mrs Hollings-Tennant. I'm really looking forward to getting to know you. We are going to have so much fun together!

Literacy

In Literacy our key text will be The Little Red Hen. We will create actions to learn the story structure, discuss characters and encourage children to give meanings to their marks. We will also be making bread like the character in the story.



My name is Miss Lewis and I'm really excited to welcome you in September. I love reading and doing arts and crafts!

Reading

Please ensure you read with your child **daily** 5 times a week for 5 minutes. In the first few weeks we will send home a reading book and a journal where you can record your reading with your child. When reading, talk about the pictures, how the characters are feeling and ask them questions about the text.

Please also practise the key words that we send home.



Forest School

We will start Forest School sessions on 25th September. Please ensure that your child has appropriate clothing (water-proofs and wellies) in school.



Term 1 Dates

6.9.23-7.9.23 - Home Visits

8.9.23 - Stay and Play Session

11.9.23 - Children start part- time

15.9.23 - Children stay for lunch

18.9.23 - Children start full-time

20.9.23 - PE sessions start. PE will be on Wednesdays.

We will give more dates nearer the time.



Our Attributes

- We are positive
- We are engaged
- We are responsible
- We are respectful
- We are resilient
- We rise to challenges



At Orchard Grove, we believe that

- Every Child Achieves
- Every Child Belongs
- Every Child Participates in learning, enrichment and the community

If you have any worries or queries, please talk to Miss Woodley, Mrs Hollings-Tennant or Miss Lewis.