



## Reception Class Weekly Newsletter

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2025



### This week...

- ✓ In phonics we have learnt new sounds: **g, o, c, k**. We have been playing Ispy to find things beginning with these sounds.
- ✓ We have explored shapes! We have looked at circle, triangles and squares and made circle spotters, triangle trappers, and square squashers! *If you took your shape catchers home, I wonder how many different shapes you can spot in your house?*
- ✓ We have started to learn about our new topic of Autumn. We have looked at what the seasons are and what happens in the Autumn time.
- ✓ We made some beautiful Autumn artwork, using our cotton bud technique from last week to make tiny leaves on trees. We also used collage and loose parts to make autumn trees.
- ✓ We made some circle inspired paintings in the style of the artist Wassily Kandinsky.



Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Owen and Miss Webster

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### Next week...

- We will be continuing with our Autumn topic.
- We will keep learning songs for our harvest festival.
- We will be practising writing our names.
- We will be doing more super scissor skills!
- We will be looking at repeating patterns and using natural objects and printing to create patterns.

### Jobs for the weekend!

- Keep practising with your clothes! Jumpers are getting easier, let's see if we can do zips on coats next!

We are going to work very hard on **independent skills** this half-term, so keep practising at home.

Please encourage your children to do things such as dressing, tidying up and eating and drinking, all by themselves.

#### Diary dates:

**School photos**  
**weds 8<sup>th</sup> Oct.**

PE is on Tues and Fri - PE kits need to be in school.  
*(we are taking it slow with learning how to get ready)*



#### Reminders and other info

- Please add **names in ALL items of clothing**.
- **Water bottles and books bags to be brought daily**. Letters, children's work and other things will be sent home in book bags.
- Fruit can be brought in for snack time.
- Only water in water bottles.
- **Waterproof coats needed daily**.
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