



Reception Class Weekly Newsletter

Friday 30th January 2026



This week...

- ✓ We have learnt about where the polar regions are. We used Google Earth to look at where our county was, and zoomed right into our school. We then looked at the North Pole and the South Pole. We will continue this work next week.
- ✓ In phonics lessons we have been learning more new sounds and practising sounding out words and blending to read.
- ✓ In our reading groups we have enjoyed learning about expression and how we can change our voices to make the book sound interesting or exciting. We also answered lots of questions in these sessions to help our understanding of the text. We repeat these sessions every week with a new book.
- ✓ We have loved PE this week! We had a fantastic obstacle course to complete on Tuesday (we are so good at climbing!) And on Friday we had a visit from Freddy Fit who tired us all out with games and exercises.
- ✓ In RE we have been thinking about special places in our community. Lots of children talked about places they go to with their family. If you would like to send any photos of special places we would love to see them! Email them to the admin email address.

Next week...

- We will continue our topic on winter. We will be looking at Polar regions and animals.
- Eric time - **Everyone Reads In Class**. Children need their reading books in school every day for these sessions.

Jobs for the weekend!

Read your reading book to a grownup - remembering to sound out and blend the word to read. (Adults please sign diaries for every home read).

Share your library book at bedtime - this is the book the grownups can read to you.

If you would like to, you can email photos of your weekend adventures to: admin@cdatstpaulsprimary.co.uk
We will share these photos in class!

Diary dates:

Children mental health week 9-13th Feb. Details to follow.

World book day 5th March.

Reminders and other info

- Please add **names in ALL items of clothing**.
- Warm waterproof coats needed every day.
- **Reading bags need to be brought daily.**
- Please report any illnesses/cases of headlice to the school office as soon as possible.
- Please keep emergency contact numbers up to date.
- Please ensure children have a PE kit
- Remember to order school meals

Have a wonderful weekend!
Mrs Owen and Miss Webster

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