

Yeadon Westfield Infant School Parent Information Sheet

Term: Spring 1 Year Group: Reception Teacher: Miss Holmes and Mrs Shaw



In English we will:

Speaking and Listening- We will be encouraging children to speak in full sentences, explaining their thinking. Please encourage this at home too!

We will be learning- Phonics: Phase 3 sounds: sh, th, ng, ai, ee, and consolidating all previous taught sounds.

- *Blending and segmenting words with the above sounds.
- *To recognise and spell basic sight vocabulary, including the 'red' words: his, be, me, has, no, so, her, do, my, by, ask, says, they, said, was, put, all, were.

Continue to form letters in print. Writing words and simple sentences.

ENJOY sharing stories and writing with your child.

- *Please stay up to date with any important dates via the website and the weekly newsletter.
- *Tapestry is a way for you to share any relevant photos and videos with the teachers and of course it is a great insight into what your child is learning in school too!

In Maths we will be:

- *Counting 10 objects accurately
- * Recognising and understanding numbers to 10 and beyond
- * Learning 3+3, 4+4, 5+5
- *Adding 1 digit numbers
- * Subtracting 1 digit numbers
- * Division- sharing objects fairly
- * Recognising and naming 2D and 3D shapes
- * Doubling numbers 1-5

Our theme this term is: Once upon a time



THINGS TO REMEMBER:

Reading books: Please share the reading book with your child 2-3 times throughout the week and return to school by **Wednesday.** A new book will be sent home on **Friday**.

Library books will be changed every Friday.

Please make sure uniform, PE kits, coats, water bottles and other items of clothing are clearly named.

We will have PE on a **Friday** this half term-dance with Leeds Rhinos.

Topic work:

UTW- comparing old and new toys.

DT - designing and creating our own split pin puppets and crating collages.

Cooking – biscuits

PE: Leeds Rhinos - Dance.

How to help at home: Encourage your child to get dressed and undressed independently and to zip up their coats.