



Reception

Welcome to Robin Class



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Who are our staff?



Miss Butterfield
Class Teacher

Mrs Buckley
Teaching Assistant

Mrs Sisson
HLTA

Year One children are also taught by Mrs Campbell each day.

Miss Service is our Teaching Assistant on Fridays.

What will you need?

- ❖ A named water bottle
- ❖ A book bag
- ❖ A waterproof coat
- ❖ Come to school in PE/Forest School appropriate clothing on allocated days
- ❖ Named wellies, waterproofs and change of clothes can be left at school for everyday use.
- ❖ Toys and stationery are discouraged
- ❖ We provide free school meals to all Infants, but you can send a packed lunch if necessary.
- ❖ We also provide fruit each day to eat at breaktimes. Additional healthy snacks can be sent in, these must be nut free.

Robin Autumn Timetable

	MONDAY Mixed class before 9am and after 12:45pm	TUESDAY Mixed class before 9am and after 12:45pm	WEDNESDAY Mixed class before 9am and after 12:45pm	THURSDAY Mixed class before 9am and after 12:45pm	FRIDAY Mixed class before 9am and after 12:45pm
8:45 – 9:00	Start of Day Maths, Register and Prayers	Start of Day Maths, Register and Prayers	Start of Day Maths, Register and Prayers	Start of Day Maths, Register and Prayers	Start of Day Maths, Register and Prayers
9:00 - 9:30	Reception Phonics	Reception Phonics	Reception Phonics	Reception Phonics	ASSEMBLY
9:30 - 10:30	Reception Maths	Reception Maths	Reception Maths	Reception Maths	Reception Maths/Phonics
10:30 - 10:45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:45 - 11:45	Reception Literacy	Reception Literacy	Reception Literacy	Reception Literacy	Reception Literacy
11:45 - 12:45	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
12:45 - 13:00	'Understanding the World' carpet input	Whole Class Story Time	Whole Class Story Time	Whole Class Story Time	Religious Education carpet input
13:45 - 14:30	'Understanding the World' linked activity in provision	Forest School	Art/Design Technology carpet input Art/Design Technology linked activity in provision	PSHRE carpet input PSHRE linked activity in provision	Religious Education linked activity in provision
14:30 - 14:45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
14:45 - 15:30	Teacher-led ASSEMBLY My Happy Mind	Forest School	Physical Education	Songs of Praise ASSEMBLY R.E	Music/French carpet session

How can you help at home?

- ❖ **Reading:** Sharing books together as often as possible. Listening to your child read their Little Wandle book each week, and sharing their additional book together.
- ❖ **Spelling/Phonics:** Completing the Little Wandle Phonics sheets together each week. Practicing identifying initial sounds- what does that start with?
- ❖ **Maths:** Identifying numbers, shapes and patterns in the environment or daily routine. Encouraging subitising (knowing without counting). Completing any extra homework activities set for Maths each week.

Autumn Educational Enhancements

Forest School sessions for Reception children on Tuesday afternoons.



Reception

This half term we will be learning...



On our Autumn Bookshelf...

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- How people and other living things have different needs; about the responsibilities of caring for them.
- About things they can do to help look after their environment.
- About what rules are and why they are needed.

Communication and Language

Beginning to talk about familiar experiences, learning about turn taking and listening to others. Beginning to discuss aspirations and passions through discussion of 'People Who Help Us'.

Mathematics

- Subitising, composition and comparison of number to 4
- Measure and patterns
- Counting songs and routines

Physical Development

- Developing skills to use small tools like tweezers, pencils and utensils
- Games to develop stop/start routines, listening, following instructions and finding a space

Literacy The Gingerbread Man

Retell the story using images, using marks to explain what happened.

Religious Education Creation and Covenant

- Knowing that in the Bible, God made the world and we should care for it
- Knowing that God loves and cares for each of us
- Knowing God made us unique and special

Understanding the World

- Families and key people in the community
- Harvest celebrations
- Our locality- Appleton and Stockton Heath
- Exploring the natural world through Forest School

Expressive Arts and Design

- Drawing self-portraits using a range of media.
- Using body percussion, voice and instruments to create sounds and patterns.

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9:00 - 9:30	Year 1 Phonics				ASSEMBLY
9:30 - 10:30	Year 1 Writing				Year 1 Writing
10:30 - 10:45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
10:45 - 11:45	Year 1 Maths	Year 1 P.E	Year 1 Maths	Year 1 Maths	Year 1 Maths
11:45 - 12:45	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
12:45 - 13:15	Guided Reading Group sessions				Religious Education
13:15 - 14:30	History/Geography	Year 1 Maths	Art/Design Technology	Religious Education	PSHRE/Computing
14:30 - 14:45	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
14:45 - 15:30	Teacher-led ASSEMBLY My Happy Mind	Year 1 Science	Physical Education	Songs of Praise ASSEMBLY R.E	Music/French

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- ❖ **Spelling/Phonics:** Completing the Little Wandle Phonics sheets together each week.
- ❖ **Maths:** Using the Numbots game to support mental calculation. Completing any extra homework activities set for Maths each week.

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Cycle B This half term we will be learning...



On our Autumn Bookshelf...

Science

Animals Including Humans

Children learn all about their bodies and senses. Observe changes over time and think about how we change as we get older. Collect data, look for patterns and carry out investigations.

English

Meesha Makes Friends

Writing a diary entry from a character's point of view.

Art and Design

Drawing: Tell a Story

Observational drawing using pencils, charcoal, chalks and pastels.

Religious Education

Creation and Covenant

- God's Promise to Noah
- Joining the Christian Family (The Baptism)
- The Mystery of the Trinity

Geography

Would you prefer to live in a hot or a cold place?

- Locate some countries with hot or cold climates on a world map.
- Discover how the weather changes in different locations around the globe?

Maths

- Number and Place Value to 10
- Number Bonds to 10
- Addition and Subtraction to 10.
- Positions [first, second etc]

Music

Call and Response, singing and playing percussion

PSRHE

- Economic Wellbeing: Money and Jobs
- Meet Your Brain: what the hippocampus, amygdala and prefrontal cortex do.

French

Greetings

Hello and goodbye. What is my name? How old am I?
Numbers 1-10.

Computing

E-Safety, keeping information safe, what to do when feeling unsafe.

PE & Sport

- Invasion Games: Football
- Real PE: Footwork and static balance

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