



# Tottenham Infant School



Reception Curriculum  
Spring Term

Information For Parents and Carers

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# Phonics

- Phase 2 now complete
- Children who have not grasped all of the letters and sounds taught so far, will have additional 'keep up' sessions in school
- Important the phonics videos are watched at home – these have been sent via home learning

Grapheme chart

Phase 2 and 3

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# Reading Practice

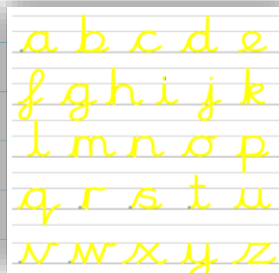
- Reading practice takes place twice a week (guided reading groups), also additional opportunities to read throughout the week
- Small groups
- Books match the phonics level of the children. They only contain sounds and words the children have been taught so far
- Important the Big Cat book we send home with the children is read everyday



# Writing



Letter-join



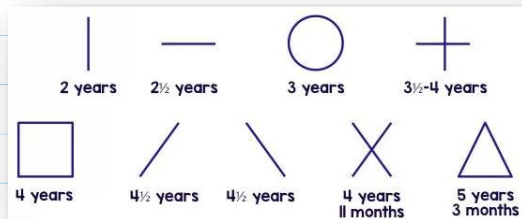
- We use letter-join
- Weekly handwriting practise
- We start with patterns first and then move onto letters, pre-writing shapes
- Helping at home

## DESKTOP AND LAPTOP LOG-IN

Simply go to [www.letterjoin.co.uk](http://www.letterjoin.co.uk) and log in, using the Desktop log-in boxes, with these details:

User name: vt2586

Password: home



# Spring 1

**This half term, in Maths we will be revisiting the following skills:**

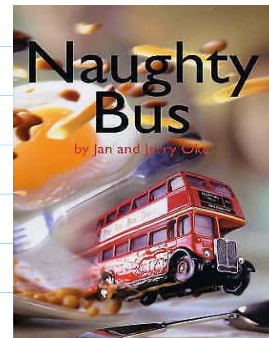
- Subitising- recognising the amount without counting
- Counting, ordinality (order of the numbers) and cardinality (knowing the last number said is the total amount)
- Composition of numbers
- Comparison - more than, fewer than, equal to

These skills will be embedded with numbers to 8

We will also be learning about 2D and 3D shapes

**In literacy we will continue to:**

- use our phonics to write simple sentences, captions and labels
- Spell the tricky and frequency words that we know correctly
- Embed the use of capital letters, finger spaces and punctuation as well as refine our letter formation



# Spring 2

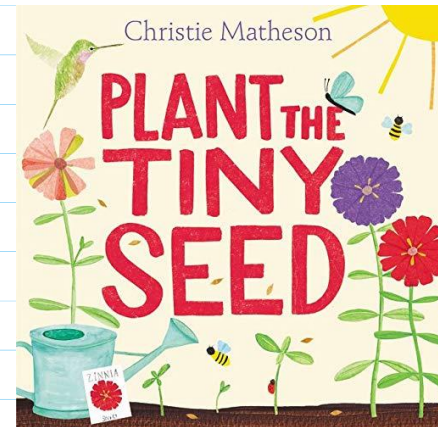
Next half term, in Maths we will be revisiting:

- Doubling up to 10
- Counting, ordinality and cardinality up to 10 and verbally to 20 - Learning that each number has a fixed position on a number line and exploring one more, one less
- Composition of numbers- missing parts e.g  $2+?=5$
- Exploring odd and even number

We will also be learning about capacity

In literacy we will continue to:

- Develop our fluency in reading and writing
- Independently writing simple sentences
- Writing in different genres – letters, invitations, cards
- Ensure that foundational skills are embedded for example letter formation and phonics application



# Home Learning

Home learning is shared via email weekly every Thursday and includes the following tasks:

- Creative task
- Phonics sounds of the week
- Words of the week
- Spellings
- Maths focus
- Phonics
- Home reader - read everyday
- Mathletics



- Please speak to your child's class teacher if you need support or further advice.

**Creative task due in every Monday**



# SCHOOL UNIFORM

Jumper



T-shirt/Shirt



Trousers



Dress/Skirt



Shoes



Summer  
Dress/Shorts



# PE

Your child must wear the correct P.E kit to school.

They will need:

- Green t-shirt
- Black shorts
- Black tracksuit bottom with elasticated ankles
- Trainers or plimsolls with velcro straps



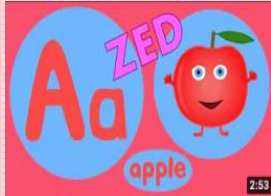
**For health and safety reasons, your child must not wear any watches or jewellery, parents are asked to remove any earrings including studs. Long hair must be tied back.**

## PE DAYS

Dragonflies – TUESDAY

Bumblebees – TUESDAY

# Useful Websites



Phonics songs  
'zed version'

[PhonicsPlay.co.uk](https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk)



EYFS  
Games



Letter-join

Mathletics

You already have your login details for Mathletics and Letter-join.  
Please remember to supervise your child when they are using the internet.



## Final Note

Please do get in touch if you have any concerns or queries.

Bumblebee Class: [Bumblebee@tottenham.enfield.sch.uk](mailto:Bumblebee@tottenham.enfield.sch.uk)

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