



Reception Newsletter

Week commencing:
Half term- 25th October

Team Pear and Team Plum

Well done reception for all your hard work this half term and have a lovely holiday!

Home learning

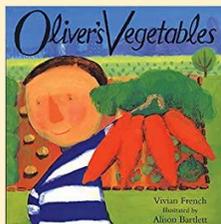
Phonics-

The phonics sounds we have learnt this half term are **m, a, s, d, t, p, i, o, c, n, g**
challenge- using your sound cards, can you match the sounds with items in your indoor/outdoor environment.

For example:  is matched with p

Topic

For Topic this week we will be continuing with our Harvest and Autumn theme. Our book of the week is 'Oliver's vegetables'
Challenge: Can you try some of the Autumn harvest vegetables (e.g. carrots, potatoes, parsnips) and describe what they are like using your senses (Look, smell, taste, touch)?



This week-

Key information- school starts **Monday 1st November 2021**

Activities to do this half term:

- Practise name writing using the correct letter formation.
 - Make a spider using Newspaper and sticks.
 - Go on a nature walk and see if you can find some mini-beasts
 - Play I spy with my little eye (inside/outside)
 - Ordering items in the household from BIGEST to smallest.
 - When taking your child outside can you ask them to see how many circles, triangles, squares and rectangles they can spot in the environment.
 - Using your number cards to match the numeral with an amount i.e. six pencils match with 6.
- Daily challenge- Please read a story to your child every day, including in your home language.

THANK YOU! 😊

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Maths

The aim for this week is to understand that numbers can be made up of smaller numbers. Think about all the ways you can make numbers 2, 3, 4 and 5 using objects with your environment. **Outdoor challenge- collect a variety of nature items such as conkers/pinecones/acorns/leaves/ sticks/ rocks. Can you see all the different ways you can make numbers 2,3,4 and 5. Mastery- up to 10? For example, 3 conkers and 1 stick =4**



Skill of the week

Practice your cutting skills.

