

Information Sheet for parents of children in Year Rec Term: 2a

Teachers: Miss Bailey and Mrs Thompson	Support Staff: Miss Mawson and Mrs Slater
--	---

Please remember to bring:					
	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Dinner Money	All children in Reception are entitled to a free school meal				
PE Kit			YES		
Library Book	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Reading book	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Sound book	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
This half term the children will be learning:					
English	Our topic this half term is fabulous fantasy. We will be reading 'Zog', 'The Gruffalo', 'Mike the Knight' and 'Aliens love underpants'. We will be making lists, inventing our own aliens and monsters, learning about rhyme and making diary entries.				
Maths	We will be learning to add and take away, use positional language, understand the language of more and less, explore repeating patterns and shape. We will also continue to learn numbers to at least 20, including how to correctly write them.				
Knowledge and Understanding	We will be learning about castles and jousting linked with 'Mike the Knight', the children will be finding information about animals that live in the woods with the Gruffalo and they will be learning about space and the solar system.				
Music	We will be learning about beat and tempo. We will also be using different percussion instruments to make sound effects and will be learning songs that link to our fantasy topic.				
RE	We will be talking about belongings that are special to us. This half term the children are welcome to bring both religious and non-religious special belongings to school with them on a Thursday afternoon to show in our RE sessions.				
ICT	We will be learning to log on, log off and to use different programmes on the computer.				

Special events:	
Tuesday 6th January	School opens
Friday 13 th February	School closes for half term

Please read with your child and go through their sound book at home as this really helps them reach their potential! Thank you