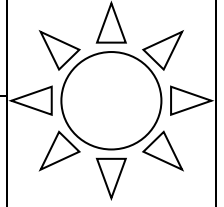


# Home Learning

## Year R

Date: 15.9.23



The children have had another fantastic week and have gotten used to new routines very quickly. They have been making friends with each other and have enjoyed exploring the classroom and the school more.

### Thought for the Week:

As you work and play this week, how will you continue to show **faith** and treat others with **compassion** this week?

### Reminders:

1. This week, we have started our Reception Baseline Assessments as mentioned at the Parent Meeting in the summer. If you would like to find out more about the assessment, please follow this link: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/reception-baseline-assessment-information-for-parents>

2. "Reading can take you to amazing places." Sir Quentin Blake.

Blue Peter has unveiled a new Book badge, designed by one of the UK's best-known illustrators, Sir Quentin Blake. The Blue Peter Book badge will be awarded to children aged 5-15 who send in their thoughts on a book, draw a character or scene and share which other books and writers they love. Getting children excited about great books is so important for their future. Simply copy the link below and you will find the form.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbbc/findoutmore/blue-peter-apply-for-a-book-badge>

3. Please make sure your child has their PE kit in school each day. Our PE days are Monday and Friday.

4. Please send your child's book bag and reading record in daily so that we can record any reading that we do with your child.

## Home Learning Tasks

### Reading

Please read with your child at least 5x over the week.

### Phonics

Please help your child to practice the sounds they have learnt this week by completing the tasks below.

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This week, the children have learnt the sounds:

**a and s**

## Activities

- Point to the letter below and see if your child can tell you what sound it makes
- Practice writing the letters 'a' and 's'
- Say words that begin with 's' and 'a' and see if your child can tell you what the first sound in the word is
- Point out any words your child says that start with 's' or 'a'

### Practise handwriting

Round the apple, down the leaf

a a a a a

### Practise handwriting

Slither down the snake

S S S S S