

Reception Weekly Overview

Monday 12th July - Friday 16th July 2021

Healthy Living Week

We will be discussing how we can keep ourselves fit and healthy. We will look at the importance of exercise, as well as healthy eating. In the playground, we will run some sporty activities, focussing on the children's gross motor skills, such as skipping ropes, bean bag throw, etc. We will also talk about having a healthy mind.

Transition to Year 1

We will be starting to talk about moving to Year 1. The children will visit their new classroom and playground and spend some time there one afternoon this week. On Thursday, they will also meet their new teacher for a story afternoon.

Zim Zam Zoom: Zappy Poems to Read Out Loud- James Carter

We will continue to explore the poetry book "Zim Zam Zoom", by James Carter. Lots of children have really enjoyed reading a poem aloud together with some actions.

Letters and Sounds

This week, we will be carrying out letters and sounds assessments. Each child will take a game home to practise some words over the summer holidays.

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• **Reading Books** Please have a look at home for any school
• books that may have been left there by accident and return
• them to your class teacher asap. Thank you.
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Writing

This week, we will ask the children to write a letter to their new teacher in Year 1. We will encourage them to write about themselves, such as what they like to do and what they would like to learn in Year 1.

We will also ask the children to write some information about Reception at Coleridge ready for the new children, who will be starting in September. We will encourage them to sound out words independently and leave spaces between their words.

Parents Evening - reminder: this will be taking place online (video call) on Tuesday 13th July and Wednesday 14th July between 4pm and 6pm. If you have any questions about your child's end of year report, please sign up for a slot.