



## HOME LEARNING Reception - Week 2



Dear Butterflies and Ladybirds,

We hope you are all safe and well and enjoying learning from home.

### Contacting us

We have a new email address: [reception@st-edmunds.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:reception@st-edmunds.richmond.sch.uk) – please use this to send us any questions, messages or work you have completed (if you would like to). We will be checking it Monday – Friday.

Ideas for tasks for this week are set out below. We do realise that this is a change of normal routine! Try to do what you can but also remember to have fun too! Little and often is more effective than sitting for hours at a time and play is just as important as ‘formal’ learning - especially in Reception.

### DAILY ACTIVITIES

<b>Reading</b>	Read and discuss for 10 minutes every day (e-books can be found at <a href="https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-hom/reading/">https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-hom/reading/</a> once you’ve set up a free account). You could record your reading in your reading record as usual.
<b>Phonics</b>	See the Phonics PowerPoint on our homework page for Week 2 for ideas of how to work with the words and sounds we’ve been learning Continue to practise your phase words. Remember to spot the digraphs and trigraphs as usual. Once you can read your phase words, perhaps you can put 2-3 put them in a simple sentence.
<b>Handwriting</b>	Our letter this week is ‘r’ Please make sure you are forming the letters correctly and are starting on the line. Please see the school website for the ‘letter formation’ rhymes and ‘letter formation’ PowerPoint. We have places these in <b>Curriculum\Homework\Reception</b> page. Both are helpful.
<b>Maths</b>	Please see the PowerPoint on our homework pages for Week 2. All about Doubling and Halving. This can all be done through practical activities and talk. If you like, you can draw pictures to show your learning or show your understanding using toys, counters or anything else you can find!

### OTHER ACTIVITIES TO CHOOSE FROM:

#### Education City – Phonics and Maths

We have uploaded Reception specific content onto Education City under CLASSWORK area. We have chosen these activities to match what we have been learning in class in Phonics and Maths. <https://www.educationcity.com/>

#### My USO

The MyUSO website is full of wonderful resources for a range of different subjects. Should you wish to cover other subjects in addition to Education City: <https://my.uso.im/>

### **Homework Grid:**

We have attached an updated homework grid like the one you are used to doing each week. You could choose an activity from this and record it, as usual, in your home learning book. We would love to see all the things you have been up to when we get back to school.

**RE Project** – continued from last week - in preparation for Holy Week, write a simple Easter prayer for Jesus. It doesn't have to be long. You could write it out in your best handwriting and draw a picture to match.

### **Staying Active**

PE with Joe Wicks is a great way to start your day instead of the daily march:

<https://www.youtube.com/thebodycoachtv>

Cosmic Yoga is great for calm, strength-building exercises – great for making your tummy stronger!

<https://www.youtube.com/user/CosmicKidsYoga>

Please remember to share a phone call with a relative/friend who may need company and someone to talk to or you could make a card for them.

***If you are unable to access this work at home, please e-mail and let us know so we can post anything needed out to you.***

*Thank you and well done for all the hard work you've been doing so far. We are very proud of you and we are missing you lots and lots.*

*Mrs McGill, Mrs Hambling and Mrs Stringer*