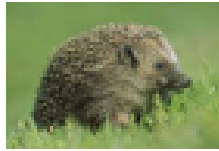


# Reception Curriculum Letter

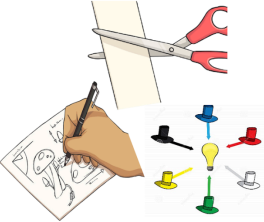






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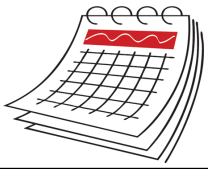

Friday 14th February

## Build it Up!



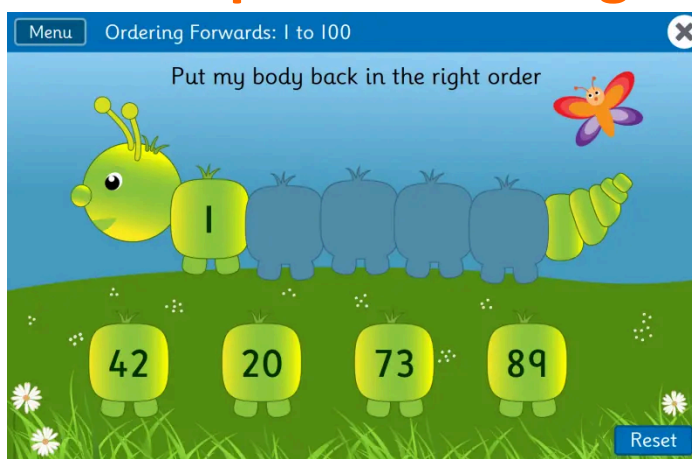
### Hedgehog Class, Jaguars Class, Kangaroo Class

<p><b>Curriculum</b></p>  <p>Design and Technology</p>	<p>When we come back after half term, our new topic will be Build it Up! The theme is local buildings, creating models and comparing buildings around the world. We will be designing a city using blocks - discussing what we will need to build it up and then labelling the materials we use.</p>  <p><b>At home you can...</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Explore different materials - what materials could you use to build a city?</li><li>● Design a city - label the materials used.</li></ul>
<p><b>English Communication and Language</b></p> 	<p>In week 7 we will read and share the story 'Not a Box'. We will use our imaginations to transform the box into a new object. It could be a vehicle</p> <p><u>Phonics:</u></p> <p>In phonics we will write and read words with the digraphs <b>th</b> and <b>ng</b>. You could practise writing the words: <b>long wing sing song moth thin thick</b>.</p> <p><b>At home you can.....</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Play obb and bob at home</li></ul> <p><a href="https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/picnic-on-pluto">https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/picnic-on-pluto</a></p>
<p><b>Maths</b></p> 	<p>After half term we will be focussing on numbers to 10, linking the amount to the correct symbol and ordering this correctly. We will be exploring number lines, filling in our own and adding in any missing numbers.</p> <p><b>At home you can...</b></p>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Create your own number line from 0 - 10.</li><li>● Count your favourite cuddly toys- how many do you have?</li></ul>
<p><b>Dates for the term</b></p> 	<p><b>17th - 22nd February - Half term</b></p> <p><b>3rd - 7th March - Book Week</b></p> <p><b>Thursday 6th March - World Book Dress Up Day – Whole School</b></p> <p><b>Friday 21st March - Comic Relief – Children are welcome to wear Mufti (own clothes) and bring a donation for the Gift Box which will be donated to Comic Relief on your behalf</b></p>

	<p><b>26th &amp; 27th March</b> - 3.20-3.40pm chance to visit your child's classroom</p> <p><b>4th April</b> - <u>End of term</u> - Please note this is a half day and children will be collected at 1:25-1:35</p>
<p><b>Trips and Learning Together Sessions</b></p> 	<p><b><u>Maths Learning Together Session (more details to follow)</u></b></p> <p>Tuesday 11th March</p> <p>There will be a morning and afternoon session.</p> <p>Morning 9:00-10:15</p> <p>Afternoon 1:30-2:45</p>
<p><b>Reminders</b></p> 	<p><b>The weather is still cold! Please make sure your child is wearing a winter coat and they have the following in school. A named winter hat, a scarf and gloves.</b></p>

## Small School Challenge

### Caterpillar Ordering



We are looking at numbers 0 - 10. Have a go at this game where you can order numbers from smallest to largest. Select either the 0-5 option or 0-10 option.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/ordering-and-sequencing/caterpillar-ordering>

**Thank you, the Reception Team**