



Reception Newsletter



@GoldfinchPrimary

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Message to the Families

Dear Families,

Welcome to the weekly edition of our Newsletter. We would just like to say this will be our final one for this academic year. I'd like to seize this opportunity to say a big thank you to all our parents and a special goodbye to the children as they move from Reception to year 1. You will be greatly missed. It's been a pleasure being their teacher and I wish them all the best in their new year group.

Keep communicating with us via info@goldfinchprimary.org.uk if you have any suggestions, need support or have any questions. You can also call us on **07985227057** between **8am** and **4pm Monday – Friday**.

Thought for the week:

Every child is a different kind of flower and altogether make this world a beautiful garden (Anonymous)

To explore this week:

Audible

<https://stories.audible.com/start-listen>

Children can instantly stream a collection of stories, free to stream on your desktop, laptop, phone or tablet.

Tumble tots – Kids Workouts To Do At Home

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tHU4Z2ztQns>

Ruth Miskin RWI Phonics - Free Read Write Inc. Phonics lessons

on [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#) for children to watch at home; three short Speed Sound lessons every day. <https://www.ruthmiskin.com/en/find-out-more/help-during-school-closure/> [Emotional Literacy https://www.elsa-support.co.uk/category/free-resources/](https://www.elsa-support.co.uk/category/free-resources/)

Sleep support for families

<https://www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Sleep-During-the-Coronavirus-Pandemic.pdf> <https://www.evelinalondon.nhs.uk/resources/our-services/hospital/sleep-medicine-department/covid19-sleep-tips.pdf> <https://www.ccht.rbkc.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Sleep-During-the-Coronavirus-Pandemic.pdf>

Literacy

Parents if you are looking to do any extra reading with your child please go into the website under Audible above. There are some fantastic levelled reading books for them to use. Below is a read/write/inc link for you to use for phonics in addition to what is above.

<https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>

Online learning stars



Reception Matheletics Challenge

I would like to say a big welldone to Sun Class for your participation in the online Matheletics challenge this week.

It was nice to hear from parents that your children are engaging in daily Matheletics activities. Please keep it up!

Sun Class score was 2040 and Fozia got the highest score of 1457 points.

Mathematics

<https://nrich.maths.org/9716>

Children can you practise reciting, reading and ordering the numbers from 1-20. Can you also use various items at home to practice sharing, doubling and halving?

Here are some links that have useful and fun resources:

www.twinkl.co.uk

www.busythings.co.uk

www.oxfordowl.co.uk Home.bbc.com/bitesize

This one is new Just dance for kids

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gCzgc_RelBA

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies>

<https://www.activityvillage.co.uk>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MaAmNE9oesA>

video on bacteria and

viruses. <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/>username:

march20 password: home