

RECEPTION

newsletter



AUTUMN - THE SOMETHING - WHAT'S IN A HOLE?

MAGIC STORY BOX

Every half term, we unlock our Magic Story Box to begin a brand-new story journey! The box is always full of little clues, special objects, and new words that help us step into the world of the story.

This half term, our Magic Story Box will whisk us away into *The Something* by Rebecca Cobb. We can't wait to peek inside, solve the clues, and see where the adventure takes us!

TOPIC

By the end of this half term through provision, topic, RE and PSHE lessons we will be able to answer the following questions:

- What is a family?
- Who is in our family? (School and Home)
- Does everyone have the same thoughts?
- What are our feelings?
- Where do animals live?
- How does nature change through the year?



PHONICS

This term we will learn the phonemes: s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g, o, c, k, e, u, r, h, b, f, l, ll, ss.

We will learn to blend CVC words e.g. cat, leg, as well as segmenting them for writing.

SUPERSONIC Phonic Friends

We will also learn the following common exception words (tricky words) by sight- 'I, go, no, to, the, into'.

LITERACY

Through our narrative immersion approach we will be learning to:

- Hear and write the initial sounds in words.
- Form pre-cursive letters.
- Write our names.
- Segment and blend CVC words for reading and writing.

HOMEWORK

Please talk to your child about who is in their family. If you are happy to share a photo to go on our 'Home Sweet Home' display in our home corner. please email it to:

ReceptionClass@ludworth.stockport.sch.uk

MATHS

Matching, Sorting & Comparing Amounts

- Sort objects into sets
- Identify which group has more/most items and which has fewer/fewest items.

Line items up using 1-1

correspondence and a 5 frame.



Compare Size, Mass & Capacity

- Know that objects can be compared and ordered according to size.
- Use language such as big, little, large, small, tall and short to describe objects.

PE AND WELLY WEDNESDAY

Indoor PE - Fridays

Every Friday is Indoor PE day! For now, children won't need to change into full PE kits, we will only be taking off shoes and socks until after October half term.

Welly Wednesday - Forest School

Rain or shine, Forest School runs every Wednesday! Please send your child with wellies and a coat so they're ready for outdoor adventures. Waterproof trousers are welcome too, especially on those wet days. Please ensure all kit is clearly named.

SNACK

Our Reception children enjoy a free piece of fruit every day as part of their snack time. This means there's no need to send in any extra snacks from home.

COMMUNICATION

We are always available at the classroom door at the start and end of each day should you have any questions.

We are available throughout the week for general questions and queries via:

admin@ludworth.stockport.sch.uk

If you would like to share any precious moments, learning or other experiences e.g. holiday photos, awards, pets or special visits/trips you can email us at:

ReceptionClass@ludworth.stockport.sch.uk

This email will only be checked on Fridays. Please note this email is not to be used for messages for pick up and drop off. Please use the admin email address.

LUDWORTH VALUES

At Ludworth, we believe that when children develop and demonstrate our values, they truly live our school ethos of "Being Our Best Selves."

Adaptability
Independence
Commitment
Problem Solving
Communication
Determination

WATER BOTTLES

Ludworth is proud to be a tooth-friendly school! To help protect children's smiles, we kindly ask that only water is brought in bottles, no juice, thank you!

Children get free milk until they turn 5. If you wish for your child to continue to have milk, milk can be paid for via 'Cool Milk'.

