Things to remember in Reception

- Our library day is Wednesday. Children can select a book to take home and share with their parents/carers. Books must be returned the following Wednesday so that they can be changed. Children will need their blue book bag. Individual reading books will go home weekly and must be with your child everyday as reading days may change.
- Playclub bags are a fantastic and fun way to support your child at home in reading, phonics, speaking and listening. Your child will receive bags at various times in the year. Bags go home on a Thursday. Please look after your bag and return it to school the following Tuesday so it can be checked and given to another child.
- We love being creative in reception! To make sure that we have enough resources for model making, children can bring in used bottles, containers and boxes for our creative area.
- Uniform items can get lost! Please make sure that names are written in all clothes. Children struggle with shoe laces. Please try to send your child to school in shoes that don't have laces.
- Please get involved in your child's learning journey by accessing our new online tool, "Tapestry". Just ask one of us if you are unsure. We enjoy hearing about the things the children have been doing at home.

Learning in Year Reception:

In <u>writing</u>

- -Uses some clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning, representing some sounds correctly and in sequence.
- -Attempt to write short sentences in meaningful contexts.

In guided reading and phonics

- Continue to learn and consolidate Phase 3 letters and sounds and tricky words.
- To read and understand simple sentences.
- Decode unfamiliar words using our phonic knowledge.
- Answer questions about the texts we are reading

In <u>numeracy</u>

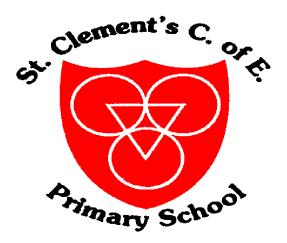
- Recognising and ordering numbers to 20.
- Addition and subtraction by combining and taking away or counting on and back
- Prepositions, time and money.

In Reception we are successful independent learners. We know it is ok to get things wrong because making mistakes can help us to get better.

We know the best way to learn is always try our best and to be in school EVERY DAY!!!!!



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Class Newsletter

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