

Things to remember in Reception

- Handwashing will be a big focus for all of our children this Autumn. Please support us with this as much as you can at home by showing your child how to wash their hands regularly and effectively for at least 20 seconds. We like to sing "Happy Birthday" through twice as a reminder!
- 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 encourage your child to develop their self help skills at home e.g. fastening their coats. It will really help us in school when we are getting ready for outdoor play.
- Please get involved in your child's learning journey by accessing our online tool, "Target Tracker". Just ask one of us if you are unsure. Class dojo is a great way to see the rewards your child has had at school. We also share news, photos and messages. If you haven't signed up to access it yet, please ask.

Learning in Reception:

In writing we will be:

Giving meaning to the marks we make as we draw, write and paint.

Hearing and saying the initial sound in words.

Using some clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning, representing some sounds correctly and in sequence.

Writing our own names.

Beginning to break the flow of speech into words.

Developing oral rehearsal - think it, say it, write it, read it, moving to developing our memory, holding a word, caption, short sentence to write.

Beginning to leave spaces between marks that represent words, moving on to leaving spaces between words.

In reading we will be:

Beginning to read simple words we can blend such as "cat" and "it" as well as some common words.

Segmenting the sounds in simple words and blending them together. Also, knowing which letters represent some of the sounds.

Linking sounds to letters, naming and sounding the letters of the alphabet.

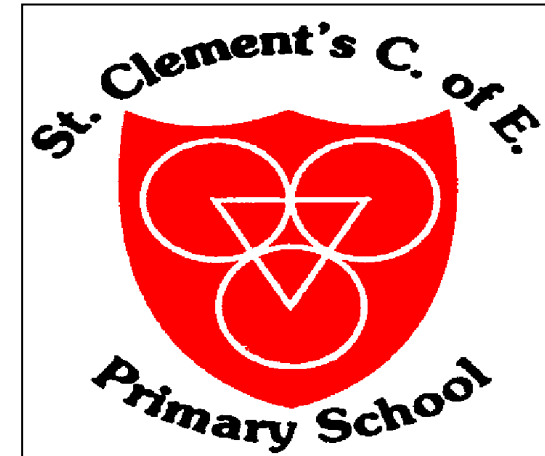
In maths we will be:

Counting actions and objects to 10, beginning to count beyond 10. We will be counting out up to

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.



St Clement's C. of E. Primary School



Class Newsletter

Year Reception

Autumn 2020

Class Teachers: Mrs Rodgers and Mrs Gill

TA's: Miss Fagan and Miss Crolla

