

Welcome to Trinity!





School Life as a Squirrel

Mornings –

- Phonics
- Maths
- English

Afternoons –

- Understanding the World
- RE
- PSHE
- Music
- Computing
- Art

- Rainbow challenge – 5 activities during Explore (continuous provision play) that the children must complete each week
- PE days = Monday and Friday
- Welly Wednesday afternoon – gross motor (bikes, trikes, scooters, obstacle courses) and PSHE



Classroom rules

- Please keep all toys at home - children can bring in additional learning they have completed at home or something they own that is associated with the topic we are teaching to share with the class
- 1 key ring per bookbag please
- No loose jewelery e.g. bracelets, necklaces
- School uniform to be worn on the first day of school in September.
PE kits on Mondays and Fridays.



Houses – sports day, house points, extra-curricular events

- Beech
- Ash
- Oak
- Maple

Tapestry



- Online Learning Journal to record photos, observations and comments, in line with the Early Years Foundation Stage curriculum
- Each child gets a learning journal held online – ‘observations’ are uploaded
- Parents and carers given own log-in using email and password
- Mobile phone or tablet – set up unique PIN when you log in

Milk



- Each child receives free milk when they are 4 years old.
- When they turn 5 years old, parents/carers can choose to order it via 'Cool Milk' website.

Purple Mash/Mini Mash



- Each child receives a log in for Purple Mash.
- In Reception, we teach the children about online safety and logging in using their username and password independently.
- Their login details will be stuck in the front of their Reading Diary so they can access this at home.

Kipper



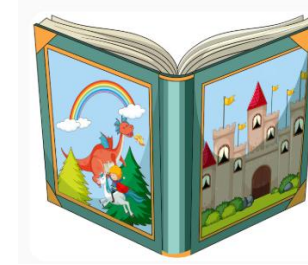
- Each week, a child will take home our class toy, Kipper!
- Normally he goes home with you on a Monday and then needs to come back into school the following Monday (unless asked different by a member of staff)
- Any adventures e.g. swimming, clubs, bedtime stories, parties, dog walks, holidays
- If required, email your photos to the office and we can print them for you



Y4 buddy

- Each child in EYFS will have a Y4 buddy.
- Receive a card from Y4 / Y4's will receive a picture from a EYFS
- Buddy for trips
- Buddy for school event e.g. pantomime
- Reading together and World Book Day

Celebrating Reading at Trinity

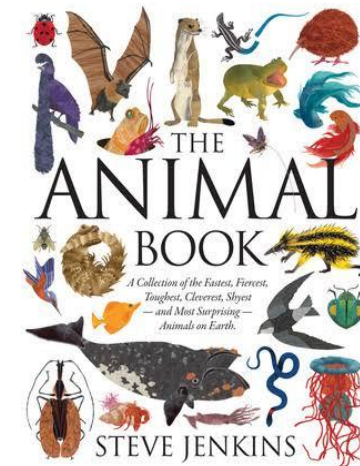
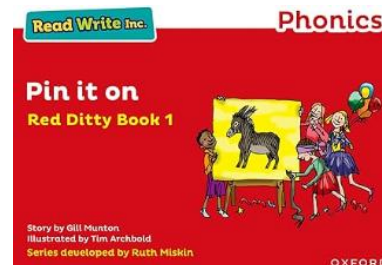


- Reading champions – children chosen each week by the teacher who have impressed them with something reading related
- Reading raffle – 3x of reading per week, recorded in reading diaries = 1 ticket. Can include sounds from sound tin, key words or a few pages from a storybook. Must be child reading to you.
- More reads = more tickets!



Books coming home

- Once your child starts reading, they will be bringing home a Read Write Inc. 'book bag book' and a paper version of the story they are reading in Phonics lessons at school.
- Each week, the children take a trip to the library to bring home a fiction or non-fiction book of their choice for you to read to them for pleasure.
- These are swapped weekly for a new book, so please put them back in your child's book bag once you are finished.





Reading Diary

- This is where you record the reading your child has completed with you at home.
- This will be checked weekly by the teacher to see if they can be awarded with a raffle ticket for reading 3 times at home that week.





Sound tins

- Once your child starts learning sounds, they will be bringing home a 'sound tin'.
- Please use the sounds to 'flashcard' your child to practice instant recognition.
- These will be added to regularly with the sounds your child has recently learned.





What to bring in September

- Book bag
- Water bottle
- Lunchbox (if not having hot lunches)
- Spare change of clothes including pants, socks, shoes, plastic bag/s for dirty clothes (to stay at school)
- Hats/suncream if hot
- Wellies ready for Welly Wednesdays – these will stay in school for the year