

# Cherry and Pine Class (Pre-School and Reception)

## Term 1 Class Topic Web



### Mathematics

Counting to 5

Exploring patterns

### Literacy

Superworm



Daily phonics, Talk Through Stories, and handwriting practise.

### Understanding the World

Who Are the People that Help Us?



### Art and Expressive Design

Transient Art  
Self Portraits



### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Identifying emotions  
Understanding our own feelings  
Exploring new activities



### PSHE&C

Jigsaw - Being Me in My World



### Music:

Nursery Rhymes  
Harvest Festival Song

### RE

Who Create the World?



### Physical Development

Introducing PE,  
understanding expectations, exploring movement



# Class Updates & Notices

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to a new school year! We hope you all had a lovely summer break. We are so excited to be back and we're looking forward to an exciting year of learning ahead!

Throughout the year you will receive regular updates through our termly class newsletter, which will include curriculum information, PE days and other key details. These newsletters will be sent via email and uploaded to the school website. You can also stay up to date with what's happening in class by checking the school website and Facebook page, where we regularly share photos and information about the children's learning.

Throughout the course of this term the children will have opportunities to explore the classroom and become familiar with their new learning environment. They will also be learning rules and routines to further support the children in settling into school life. The children will learn through play, exploring their interests, collaborating with their friends and experimenting with new activities to help support their progress.

Supporting the class this year will be:

- Miss Vincent (Class Teacher), Ms Jone (Pre School Lead), Mrs Hamilton (Class Teaching Assistant) and Miss Heaford (Student on placement).

## A few reminders:

- Please ensure all of your child's belongings are clearly labelled.
- PE lessons will be on **Wednesday**. Please send your child into school dressed in their PE kit on this day.
- Reception children will begin to take home words and short sound blending books later in the term. In the meantime, we will occasionally send out links to videos from the Read Write Inc scheme to help support with phonics learning and reading at home. Please look out for these.

If you have any questions or concerns at any point, please don't hesitate to get in touch—either in person or via email.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes,  
Miss Vincent and Ms Jones

# Phonics Set 1 Sounds

My sound



How to say the sounds:  
<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/LcgU6aVp/701ywxX6>

Sound blending:  
<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/3LkbSuyq/oOOcH97D>