

Reception Reading focus. Please choose a box suitable for your child.

Please remember to read at least 4 times a week with your children. Recap the tricky words sent home too. You will find some useful websites below that all have content relevant to the children in reception. <http://more.starfall.com/info/apps/learntoread.php> <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/> Select activities from either phase 2, 3 or 4. <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds> <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/3-5-years/letters-and-sounds> <https://www.phonicsbloom.com/> Select activities from either phase 2, 3 or 4 <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> Select a free e book to read.

Have a go at reading the captions below.

1. A run in the sun.
2. Rats on a sack.
3. A pup in the mud.
4. Run to the den.
5. An egg in an egg cup.

Have a go at reading the captions below.

1. The farmer gets up at six in the morning.
2. Gurdeep had a long chat with his dad.
3. Nan is sitting in the rocking chair.
4. It has been very hot this year.

Have a go at reading the captions below.

1. Have you ever seen a sleeping skunk?
2. Lift the printer up and look under it.
3. Help Grandma mix the eggs.
4. A train got lost in the fog, did you see it?
5. Have you ever seen a pink snail? Could you tell me where?

Writing Home Learning for Reception

Encourage the children to have a go independently at sounding out and writing the words themselves. You can help them if needed by repeating the word they are writing so they can hopefully hear all of the sounds in the word.

Have a go at using your phonic skills to write the names of the pictures below.

Phonics focus: or, ur, ow



Choose an animal native to Australia, could you write some facts about it. Below are some pictures of some animals you might want to write about.



A few facts for snakes:

They can slither. They are long. They have long tongues (the children will make phonetical attempts at spelling when writing, this is what their writing may look like and this is ok.)

A B C

capital
letters



finger
spaces



full
stop

Read

read it
again

Reception Maths Home Learning - Subtraction

Below you will find a range of different activities to practise taking away.

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Play a game of skittles - you could use empty plastic bottles or cardboard tubes as the skittles. How many skittles do you have? Roll a ball at the skittles. How many fall over? How many are left standing? Challenge yourself and have a go at writing the number sentence.



Use the number line above to practise subtraction. Put your finger on 10 and count back 3. What number do you land on? Repeat with different numbers.

You could chalk a number line outdoors and practise subtraction by jumping along the numbers.

Collect some of your toys for example cars, farm animals, cuddly toys or make a tower using building blocks/lego. Count how many you have and practise taking some away. How many do you have left each time?



Short video clips to introduce subtraction number sentences.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rnw5ixvU074>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eg9iSgMAJZc>

A fun game to play below.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/subtraction/subtraction>

Play a subtraction game while you have a snack. Count out five pieces of fruit on to a plate. Then, eat one of the pieces of fruit. How many are left? If your grown-up eats one piece of fruit, how many would be left?

