# Reception - Spring 2 and Summer 1

Our Topic for the next half terms will be all about animals. We will develop our knowledge about local animals that are pets or live on a farm. We will also explore life cycles of animals and learn baby anima names. In Summer 1, we will focus on animals in other countries and understand what it is like to live there, compared to our country.

Other key learning this half term will be colour mixing, using paints appropriately and scissor skills and safety.

## **English**

Pencil grip and letter formation
Writing a title
Joining in with rhymes and repeated phrases
in stories
Identifying and writing sounds and CVC words
Writing short captions

## Maths

Strengthening our knowledge of number, including counting amounts, subitising, recognising numerals 0-10.

Please ensure your child brings a coat and spare clothes. These need to be clearly labelled, along with water bottles, jumpers and lunch boxes.

### PE

Wednesday
Please come dressed in P.E kit

### Other

On Wednesdays we will visit our library. If your child comes home with a book, please return it the following week and we will swap it.

Reading books will be changed on Fridaysplease ensure their record is signed and brought in a red book bag.