

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the Spring term in Rainbow class!

Our topic is 'Down on the Farm', which will include texts about farm vehicles, animals and growing plants. This term there will still be plenty of opportunities for independent learning through play and we will continue to learn our sounds, applying them in our reading and writing.

Practice Reading:

Practice reading will continue in groups three times a week with the eBook being sent home for three reads with you the week following. Read 1 is for decoding, read 2 for prosody (expression) and read 3 is for comprehension. If you need any help, the inside and back cover will help you with ideas for these reads. Library books will continue to be changed on a Friday.

Reading records and book bags are expected to be in school every day.

Phonics:

We will continue learning our sounds for the first half of the term – mainly digraphs (two letters making one sound, for example: sh) and a few trigraphs (three letters making one sound, for example: igh)

PE:

PE kits are required every Friday.

Healthy Snacks:

If children are bringing snacks from home, can they be a piece of fruit or a healthy alternative. Also, can we make sure lunch boxes from home contain lots of healthy choices. Drinks bottles should only contain water.

Thanks for your support and let's have a great term!

Mr Hagan