

# Reception Newsletter

## Pentecost Two



Our topic this half term is "Sunshine and Sunflowers"

This term our focus for PSED is to develop our resilience in everything we do. We will continue to encourage children to become independent in what they do and have ago before asking for help. We will look at making healthy choices and how this makes an impact on how we think and feel. We will foster an environment that enables children to work independently and in teams whilst building relationships cooperatively whilst sharing and taking turns.

Friday will continue to be our book change day



### Our Stories This Term



### Literacy

This half term we will continue to write independently, using ideas from stories we have been reading. Children will use their phonic knowledge to spell words including some that the children cannot sound out called red words. Children have been assessed again in RWI so may now move groups. Please listen to your child read and write this in their record book in their book bags daily.

### Maths

In maths this half term we will be continue to have a deep understanding of the numbers to 10 whilst counting to 20 and beyond. We will be working on sharing and grouping. We will work on copying patterns and making our own using natural resources in our outside environment. We will also create our own maps and direct others using positional language.

### Topic- Understanding the World

Our topic lessons are always based on the focus book for that week. We will make observations on how plants grow and the changes in the weather. Children will explore new language through the books we read and learn to use this in their conversations and writing.