



## **Reception Newsletter Autumn 1**

A very warm welcome to Greenland's Community Primary School. We hope you have had an amazing Summer and are looking forward to starting school. Miss Lewis is the Class Teacher and Miss Proctor is the Teaching Assistant. We are both super excited to join you on your children's learning journey through school life!

### **Our learning throughout the Autumn term**

#### **Overarching theme 'I wonder what is special'**

##### **Phonics**

Red Rose Phonics is our scheme! A Reading Information meeting will be held on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November @ 2:45pm to give you more info and support with phonics and supporting your child with reading at home.

##### **Teaching new vocabulary**

Children will explore and learn new vocabulary everyday! Children learn to 'Word rap' as an exciting way of introducing new language and words.

##### **Maths**

Our Red Rose Math's takes the children on an adventure of number land to explore and learn number. This half term we are exploring the 'Number' unit and will be learning all about numbers 0-10.

##### **UTW**

This half term our theme is 'I wonder what is special'. Our theme will see the children exploring the season of Autumn and autumnal changes, Harvest, farmers and where our crops grow. Before leading into our Autumn 2 Theme 'I wonder what we celebrate?

### **Important Diary Dates**

October	Black History Month.
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	School Disco.
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Break up for half term.
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Reading Information Meeting @ 2:45pm

### **How to help at home!**

- Read with your child each night. A couple of pages every so often is easier than trying to table the whole book in one go.
- Keep practising! With anything your child comes unstuck with, its best to keep trying for a shorter time rather than give up!
- Encourage independence at home, getting dressed by themselves, doing little jobs etc.
- Make sure your child is in school on time every day.