Roberttown CE (vc) J&I School

English and Maths Outline Honesty Class Autumn 2 2026

General Reminders

Year 1 Project: Everyday Materials **Reception Project: Celebrations**

Year 1:
P.E. Monday and Thursday. Please come to school in full kit, earrings removed, long hair tied back.
Homework: Reading books sent home weekly. Please record reading in your reading record 5 times a week. This will support our Reading Challenge efforts, with rewards given for progress made as well as extra playtime!
Spellings: Weekly spellings tested on a Friday**. TTRockstars:** Maths games 10 minutes 3 times a week.

Reception:

P.E. Thursdays. Please come to school in full kit, earrings removed, long hair tied back.

Please read 5 times per week.

Reception English:

Phonics: To learn to read and write sounds ff, ll, ss, j, v, w, x, y, z, zz, qu, ch, sh, th, ng, nk with correct formation when writing the letters. New tricky words: as, and, has, his, her, go, no, into, she, he, of, we, me, be.

Speaking and listening: To participate in small group and one-to-one discussions and ask questions to find out more and to check they have understood.

Reading: To demonstrate an understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and anticipating key events in stories.

Writing: To hold a pencil correctly and practice writing new sounds and tricky words in phonics.

Our focus this half term is: Spelling words by identifying the sounds in them.

Reception Maths:

Shape: Identifying circles and triangles.

Numbers: Finding and representing numbers to 5.

Shape: Identifying shapes with 4 sides.

Year 1 English:

Phonics: Phase 5 new sounds – alternative sounds. Please see the half term overview on Seesaw.

Speaking and Listening: Oracy weekly lessons, working on articulating our ideas and projecting our voices.

Reading: In a familiar book that is read to them, answer questions in discussion with the teacher.

Writing: letter, narrative – traditional tales.

Our grammar focus this half term is: using exclamation marks and question marks, using adjectives, writing in the past tense adding the -ed suffix.

Year 1 Maths:

Addition and Subtraction: within 10, understanding number sentences.

Geometry: 2D and 3D shapes, recognising, naming and sorting.

How Can I Help?

*Ask questions about what they've done at school. ***Read with your child for at least 10 minutes every day and discuss it briefly afterwards.*** *Offer help and encouragement with homework. *Help your child practise their spellings. *Ensure your child is using the correct pencil grip when writing and encourage correct letter formation.

Useful Websites: www.bbc.co.uk/schools www.littlewandle.co.uk

Reception are reading:
Little glow, The best Diwali ever, Christmas Pine, Twas the night before Christmas, Mrs Christmas
Year 1 are reading: The Three Little Pigs, The Gingerbread Man.

Year 1 Spellings

Week 1 – 6.11.26	Week 2 – 13.11.26	Week 3 – 20.11.26
bird	both	take
girl	go	same
pie	child	time
tried	kind	like
blue	paper	home
true	acorn	note
human	fever	rude
their	Mr	could
people	Mrs	would
your	oh	our
Week 4 – 27.11.26	**Week 5 – 4.12.26**	**Week 6 – 11.12.26**
these	shriek	go
even	crawl	float
new	ripe	eating
chew	spray	me
shield	open	woke
field	being	game
draw	fried	froze
house	sure	what
water	some	mouse
want	little	there

Year 1 Maths Homework

Due Date	Focus	Page (s)
Friday 6th November	Progress test 1	Page 14 and 15
Friday 13th November	Adding	Pages 17
Friday 20th November	Adding	Page 18
Friday 27th November	Subtracting	Pages 19
Friday 4th December	Subtracting	Page 20
Friday 11th December	Flat (2D) shapes	Pages 41