

# Reception Newsletter

## Term 3

What a super start to 2020! Our wonderful classes have come back fresh and ready to learn. The children have such positive attitudes to learning, our classrooms are a lovely place to be!

### Line of Enquiry

This term we are learning all about dinosaurs! You may have spotted the **Dinosaur Shops** in our classrooms and we expect the children have told you lots about our learning already.

At the start of the term we asked the children what they would like to learn about dinosaurs. Here are some of the questions we will be investigating:

- Which dinosaur has the longest neck?
- How are fossils made?
- Which dinosaur was the fastest?
- Is Jurassic Park real?
- Did they become extinct because they were old?

We have some dinosaur experts in our classes who have already taught us **loads!**

### Reading

It is very important that you are reading with your child regularly. The children who have been reading at home have made great progress already and we would love to see this happening for more children – we know they can do it!

### Volunteers

Because of our recent staffing changes, we now require some reading volunteers to come in on a regular basis to head individual readers – talk to your class teacher if you're interested.

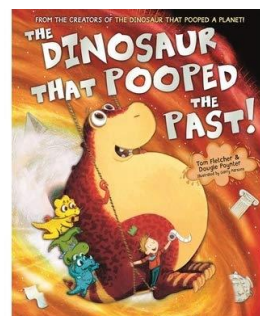
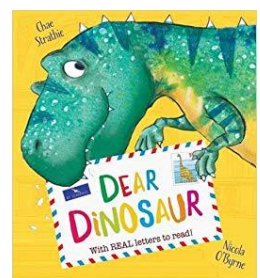
### Staffing Change

The lovely Miss Burns has found herself a new job and we wish her all the best (although it is very sad for us!). This means our team has become slightly smaller and both classes will now share Mrs Harris during all of our learning times. The children continue to impress us with their independence and have adapted to the change really well.

This term we are fortunate enough to have one of our PE lessons taught by one of the SHINE coaches – Adam. We are practising our ball skills and have already taken part in lots of fun games including balancing, rolling balls, and bowling! **Our PE days are slightly different this term:**

**Tuesday (with Adam from SHINE)**  
**Friday (outdoors)**

Children will need weather appropriate kit for **inside and outside** lessons.



Thank you for your ongoing support ☺ Mrs Bacon and Miss Winter