



Colkirk C of E Primary Academy, Little Snoring Community Primary Academy Sculthorpe C of E Primary Academy & West Raynham C of E Primary Academy



Executive Headteacher: Mr Christopher J Allen

**Have Faith - Flourish - Fly High**



Monday 7<sup>th</sup> September

### **Reading and Homework**

Dear Parents,

This year homework and reading will be a bit different due to the COVID situation.

#### **Homework**

I will be setting, very short, daily phonics and maths work on SEESAW; this is to reduce the paper that is sent home from school and will allow me to mark it as it is done. As during closure, work will appear on the day it is to be done. This will be a page for each, see below for examples:



To make things easier I have reset the password for everyone to littleowls, all lowercase and no spaces. You will need to log in using the email that I use to communicate with you and this password, if you have any problems accessing SEESAW then please contact me, this will then allow you to access the homework that has been set. This homework shouldn't take you longer than 15 minutes and recaps what the children have done over their Reception year (in school and during closure) as well as what they are having reinforced at school.

**Homework will start being set after the first couple of weeks back, it will appear ready, daily from 28<sup>th</sup> September.**

#### **Reading**


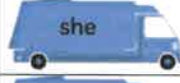

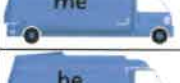
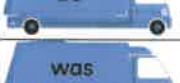
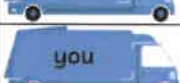
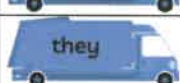

Due to the need to quarantine books (as per letter from Mr Allen) we will be sending 2 books home in a plastic zip lock bag, with a reading record book, on a **Thursday**. We then ask you to return the plastic folder, with the contents, on the following **Monday**. There will be a 'drop box' in the porch by the blue front door for you to place them in. This will then be moved into the class and left until Thursday morning, when books will be changed and then sent home again. Please fill in the reading record so we know that your child has read at home.



Your child will be reading in class at least 3 times a week to begin with, using books in school. They will also be taking part in whole class reading and comprehension activities. **Reading books will start being sent home on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September.**

### **Tricky Word Trucks**

In the plastic folder you will also find a sheet with tricky word trucks on it. These words need to be recognised by sight, they cannot be sounded out. These need to be practiced each time you read with your child. If your child reads it correctly, without prompting, then please fill in the circle with a smile, this will let class staff know how they are doing. If we feel confident that your child knows the words that are on the sheet given, we will then provide the next lot of tricky words. **Tricky word trucks will start coming home on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> September.**

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I hope the children enjoy what they are set and I would like to say thank you for your continued support.

Thank you

Sarah Potter  
(Class Teacher)