


# Reception Class Newsletter Spring Term 2

**Our topic this term is Fairy tales and Castles.**

**Literacy** - We will focus on the stories 'Cinderella' 'Rapunzel' 'Jack and the Beanstalk' 'Princess and the Pea' and 'Sleeping Beauty'.

**Maths** - We will be learning about adding and subtracting from a single digit number and how to count on or back to find the answer. We will solve problems that include doubling and halving.

**Phonics** - We are learning Phase 3 sounds. We are now learning to blend words to read lots of books! Children gain rewards at school for the amount of times they read their home reading book at home during the week.

 **Home learning challenge - RE & PSED** - Our theme this term is Special Times for others. As a home learning challenge can your child create a page or a book about people in their family and ask them about times that are special to them. This can include photos/videos/writing about times that are special. Children are to bring this to school to talk about on **Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March**. If you would prefer to e-mail anything please use the address [enquiries@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@olive-anderson.lincs.sch.uk) and say it is for the attention of Miss Ward. **Thank you.**

**Topic** - We will learn about castles and knights in the past.

**PE** - Remains the same as last term. Wednesdays and Fridays.

**World Book Day - Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** - Come in wearing your Pyjamas or onesie! Please bring in your favourite book to share with the class 😊

**Birthday reminder** - Remember if it is your child's Birthday they can wear their own clothes to school that day. If their Birthday falls at a weekend or in the holidays choose the closest school day to come in own clothes.

**Drinks** - Please remember to only send water in your child's drink bottle.

Many thanks,

Miss Ward