

Reception Newsletter

Friday 10th July 2026

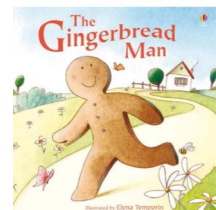
Dear Parents/Carers,

In Literacy this week, we have been practising spelling and writing words containing the two and three letter sounds. We have also been writing captions and sentences remembering to use a capital letter at the beginning, finger spaces between each word and a full stop at the end. We have enjoyed reading our class reader 'The Gingerbread Man.' We made our very own Gingerbread Man and put him in the oven to cook. When we went to check on him we were very shocked as our Gingerbread Man had run away. We have been enjoying making Wanted Posters and setting traps to try and find him again.

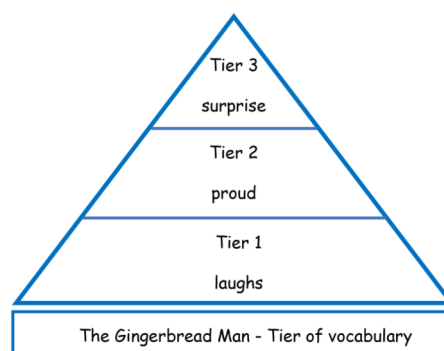
Thank you so much for joining us for our Reception Sports Day—it was wonderful to see so many of you there cheering on the children. Your support meant the world to them as they took part in events like the egg and spoon race, javelin, bean bag throw, running, penalty shoot-out, tennis ball throw, and the always-entertaining sack race! Each child gave their very best and showed incredible effort, determination, and enthusiasm throughout the afternoon. We're so proud of them all and grateful to you for helping make it such a special occasion.

On Wednesday 15th July it is the open afternoon from 1.30pm. Please come along to your child's classroom where you will be able to collect their Literacy, Numeracy and Enquiry Learning book to take home with you. It is a good idea to bring a bag with you to put their books and folders in. Please feel free to use their books and word boxes to practise writing and recapping sounds and reading throughout the summer. Reception have learnt a song to sing for you at the beginning of the afternoon so if you have other children in school, please come to Reception first so you don't miss this. If you would like to take your child (and any older siblings) home before 3.20pm on this day, you may do so. Please inform the class teacher as you leave on the day. If you have any questions about this, then please ask in your child's home/school book.

Our class reader this week is: **The Gingerbread Man**



Here are some of the words that we have been exploring from our class reader this week.



Mrs Molloy, Miss Vine and Mrs Rothwell

