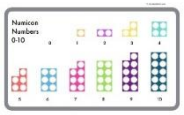
Burleigh Primary School
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Friday 25th September 2026

Foundation Stage Newsletter

Our Learning

We have been:

- Learning our phonic sounds s, a, t, p
- Recognising numicon from 1-10
- Coming into school independently
- Recognising and writing our names
- Learning our class routines and boundaries
- Reading 'So Much' by Trish Cooke
- Learning about who is in our family and discussing our heritage
- Creating our own 'My Family' books about our families and loved ones



Family Photos and Baby Photos

Thank you to all those who shared their family photos with us! If you are yet to bring in a family photo, please do so next week. Please could you support your child in bringing in a photo of themselves

as a baby by next Wednesday.

Thank you!





If you provide packed lunch for your child, please ensure any fruit is cut up into smaller pieces to avoid any instances of choking. Thank you!



Thank you

Miss Osejindu, Mrs Martin and Mrs Marino

News

Phonics wallets and flash cards

Every Friday your child will be sent home with their phonics wallet, which will contain the sounds they have been learning that week in a small purple book to use at home. Please use these to help your child recognise the letter name and sound (with the accompanying action) and to make small words to encourage blending to read e.g. 'at'. Please make sure the wallets are back in your child's book bag on a **Wednesday** so we can collect them in and add the new sounds for that week.

s	a	t



My First Library Adventure

This week, your child received a bookmark about the 'My First Library Adventure'. It aims to encourage children to visit, explore, join and borrow books from a Hertfordshire Library. As your child starts their learning to read journey, it is a perfect time to encourage them to explore what the library has to offer including picture books to spark their imagination, and information books to expand their interests.

Homework

Please practise the sounds in your sound book, making sure you know the name of the letter and the sound it makes. If you know all your sounds have a go at reading simple words e.g. *at, an, sat, pat, tap etc.*

Date for your diary

On Wednesday 21st October 2026 from 2.30pm-3.10pm, we will be holding a **Reading Meeting** for all Reception parents /carers to discuss Phonics and early reading. Please come along to see how best you can support your child with their recognition and writing of Phase 2 phonics sounds and much more.