



Reception Homework

“Do cows drink milk?”

Let's find out about farms! Next term Reception will be learning all about farms, the animals that live there and the food that farms produce. They will be learning the life cycles of different animals and how they change from birth to adults. They will be using their memories, photographs and books to help them.

At Longwood we offer homework in a variety of ways. Your child may choose from the following projects or make-up their own and can complete as many as they wish:

- Make a farm animal model. Can you find out information about your model animal such as what they eat?
- Make a home for your favourite animal. What do they need? How should you look after them?
- Read lots of books about animals. Choose a few of your favourite facts to write down and send in.
- Paint a farm scene and label the animals.
- Go to the farm or watch a video about a farm.
- Write a shopping list for food that comes from farms or take a picture of you trying some!

Parents - how to help your child:

- Read stories to your child as often as possible and get them to read to you.
- Point out numbers in the environment and practice writing them. Can they tell you one more or one less?
- Encourage your child to notice patterns in the environment, can they create their own?
- Ask your child to help you write a shopping list and get them to sound it out, e.g. h-a-m, p-a-s-t-a
- Happy homeworking! We look forward to seeing it all soon!

Thank you ☺

