



Queensgate Foundation Primary School

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Dear families,

We hope you had a lovely half-term break.

Overleaf you will find our topic web for this half-term. This gives you an overview of what we will be learning in Reception. Our topic is 'Ticket to Ride' and we will be learning all about our local area and different modes of transport. We will enjoy sharing stories such as 'On the Journey Home from Grandpas' and will be using Atlas' and maps to support our learning. We will be going on local walks and making maps. During PPA each Tuesday morning, the children will be going on a train journey from Ryde. Please keep an eye on the whole school newsletter as this will let you know when it is your child's turn.

In Phonics we will be continuing to learn to recognise tricky and to read and write sentences. In Maths we will be learning to count beyond 20 and to build and recognise teen numbers

We will continue to have the Patch and a balance bike lesson each Monday. PE will be on a Wednesday morning, please bring your child to school in their PE kit. In PE we will be learning ball skills.

Please make sure your child brings their book bag and a water bottle every day. As the weather begins to warm up, please remember a named sun hat and to apply sunscreen before school if necessary.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

The Reception Team