



Welcome to Reception



Welcome to our classroom. Please take a look and see what our classroom looks like.





Who works in Reception?

- In class Reception you will find Mrs Smith and Miss Kelly.
- We will be available every morning to welcome your child into school. We are very friendly, and you will soon get to know us.
- Please feel free to speak to either of us if you have any concerns or issues – we are here to help and support you and your child with your transition into Colton Primary School.



Reading is at the heart of everything we do. We love to read.



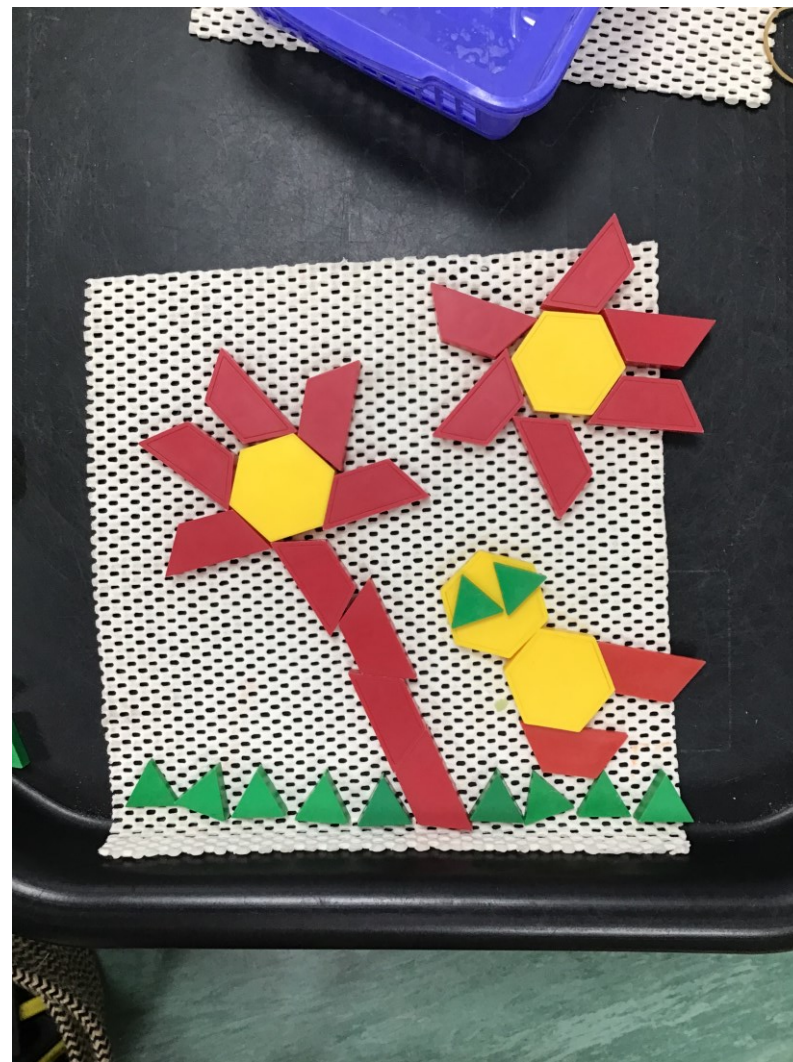
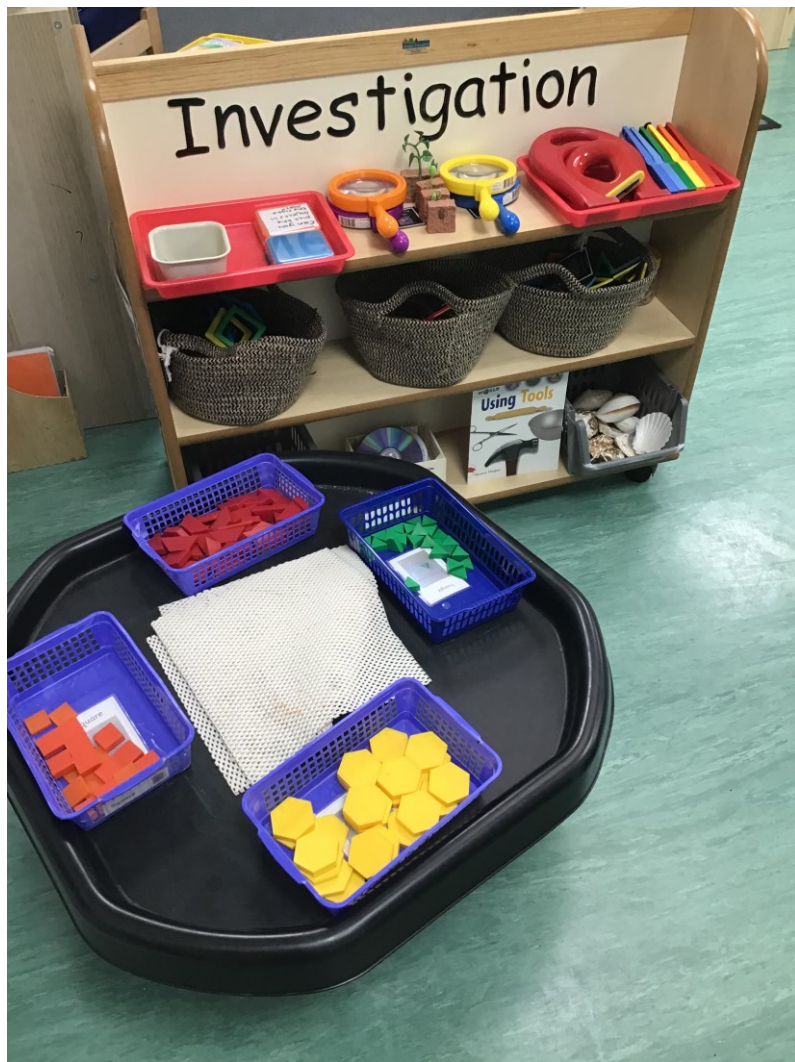
Do you have a favourite book?



Maths is all around us, we are brilliant mathematicians!



There is so much to explore and investigate in the classroom!





Our painting area is where we can get creative.





What do you think you could make at our creation station?





Our role play area changes each half term. This is our Kings and Queens topic.





Here is our Goldilocks and The Three Bears topic.



We even made our very own porridge!



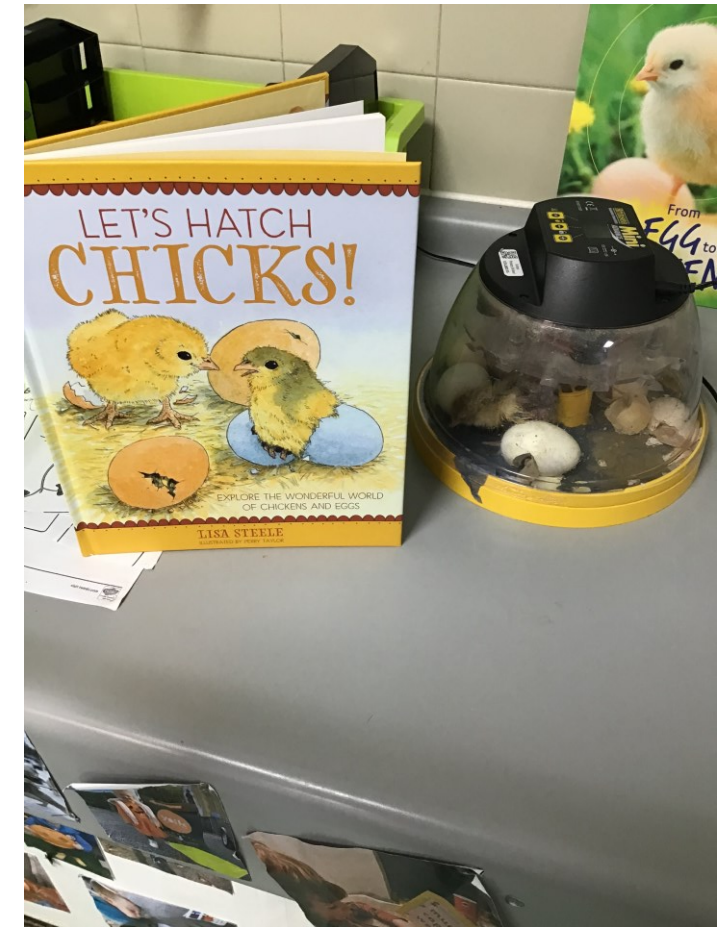


We also learn about Poppy day and other events such as Diwali and the Lunar New Year.





In our spring topic we were able to look after our very own chicks!



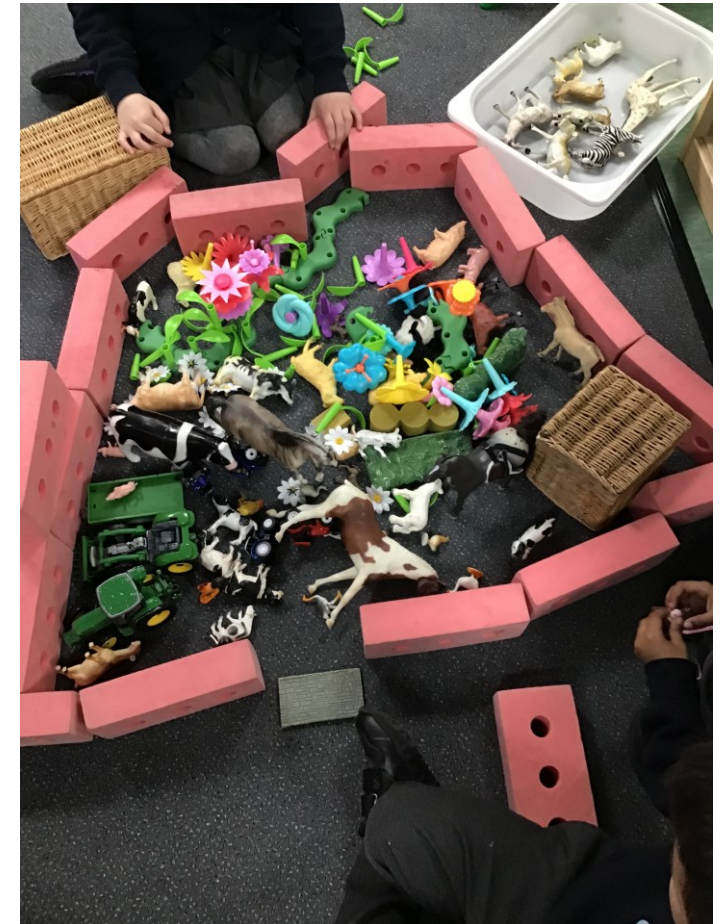


Our malleable area is used not only with playdough but with oats and pasta as well.



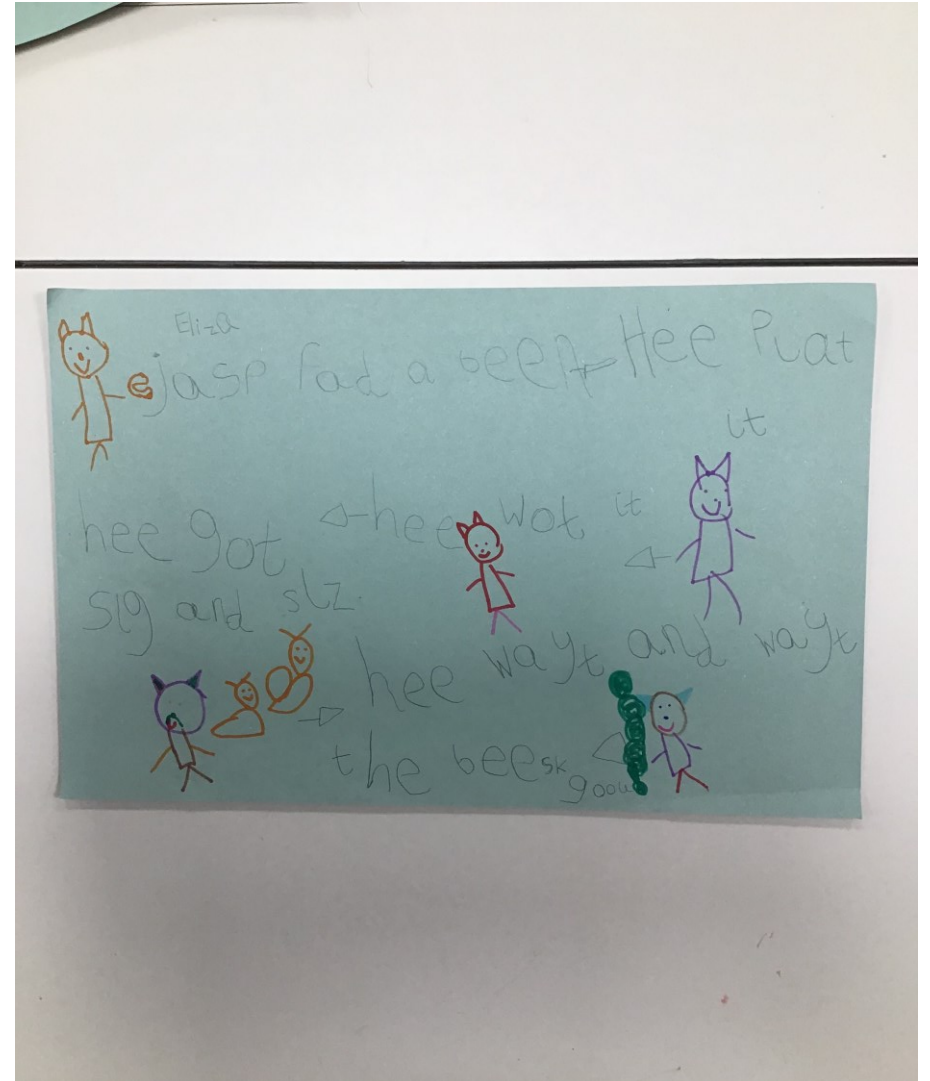
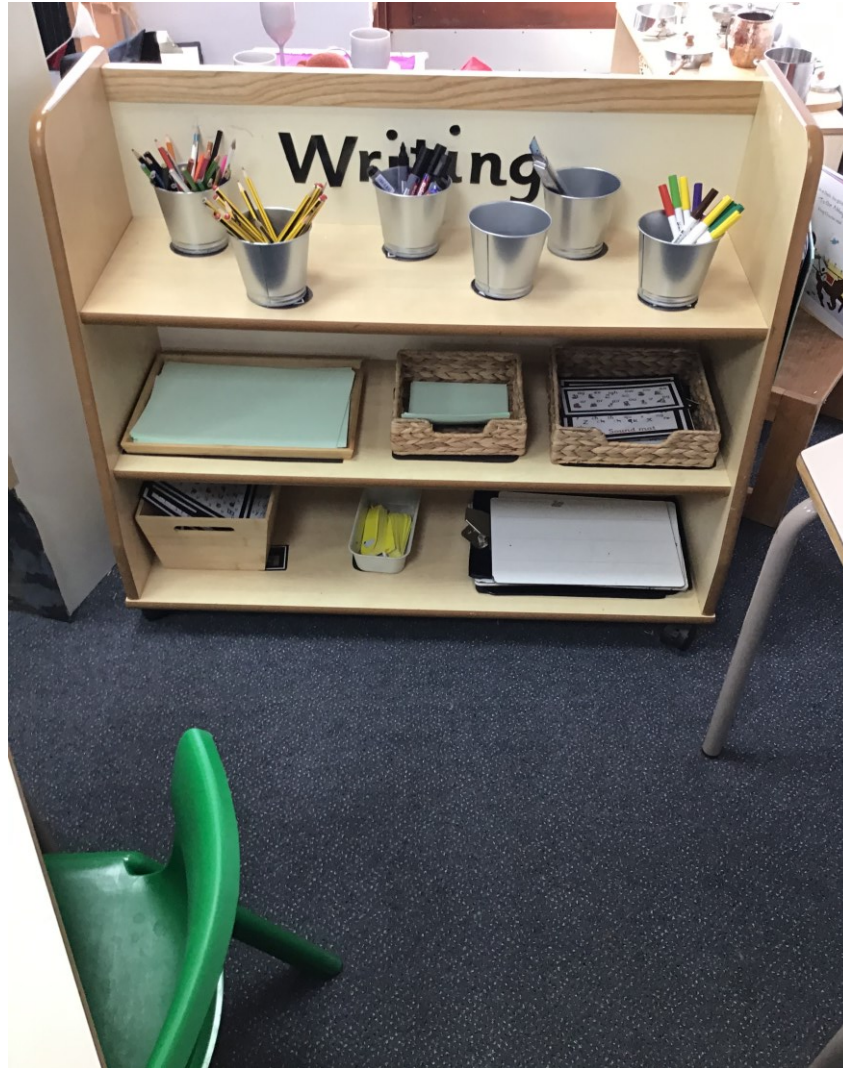


Our small world area has vehicles, animals, wooden blocks and many more resources for you to explore with.





In our writing area you can make a card, write a story or even write a shopping list!





We follow RWI (Read, Write Inc) which is a phonics reading scheme.

Phonics is the method in which the children learn to read and write.

The children will take part in phonics lessons everyday.





Here at Colton, we follow a PHSE programme called ONE LIFE which helps us to understand the importance of physical, social and mental fitness. Each morning pupils can choose how they are greeted by staff and their day begins by talking it out with their peers.

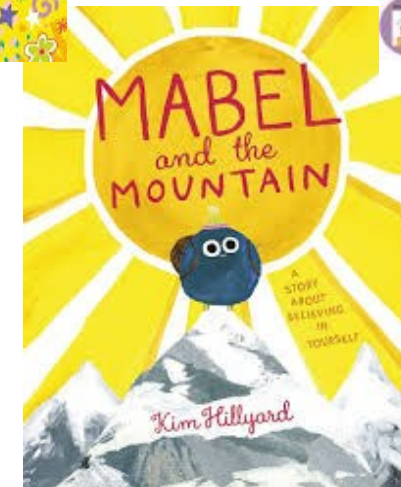
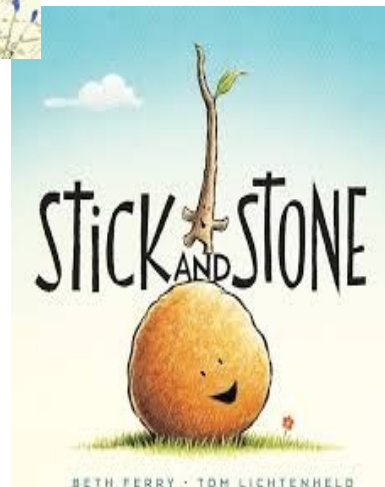
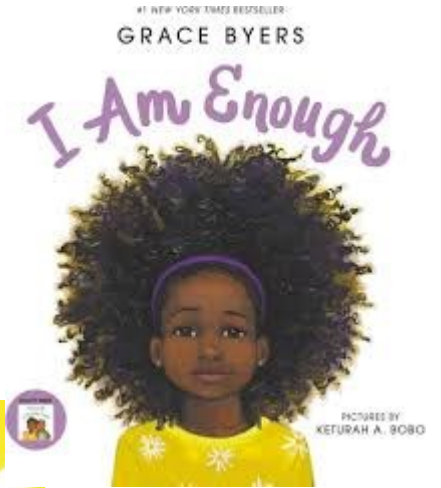
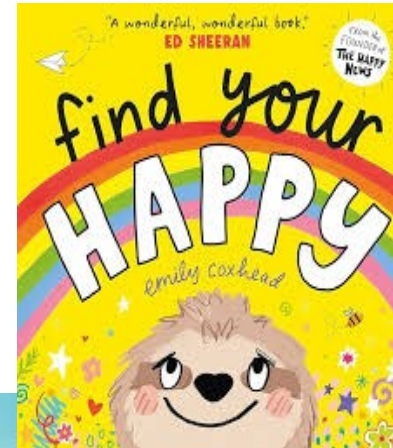
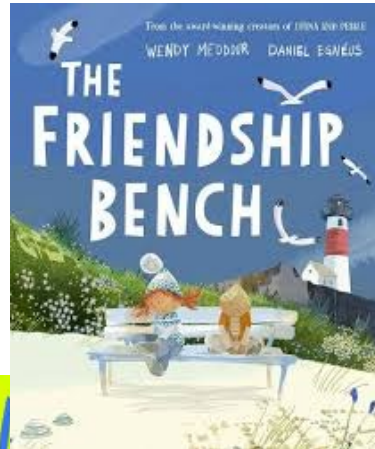
ONE LIFE

PHYSICAL FITNESS | SOCIAL FITNESS | MENTAL FITNESS





In the ONE LIFE programme, we use carefully chosen stories to help pupils develop self-awareness and understand how to respond to real-life situations. Stories act as a safe and accessible way for pupils to explore complex ideas, rehearse responses, and build the emotional literacy they need to navigate everyday challenges. Here are some of the books we use....





The Great Outdoors

Learning happens outside of the classroom too and we have a lovely outdoor area where we can explore, create and play.





You can enjoy our lovely garden and water the plants. You might also be able to spot an insect or two!





We are also very lucky at Colton to have our very own wood to explore in as well!





School Dinners

For children having a school lunch, your child will be able to choose from three meal options each day. Our staff will be on hand to support them with making their choice and navigating the dining hall. We will gently encourage children to carry their own tray and clear it away once they have finished, helping them develop independence and confidence.

Healthy Lunchbox

If your child is bringing a packed lunch the please can you ensure that it is healthy. It may include

- Sandwich/Pasta
- Pieces of fruit/Vegetable sticks
- Small sausages
- Yogurt/Jelly.





Colton Kids Club

Colton Kids Club is wrap around childcare that we provide for all pupils.

Please contact Kids Club or the school office on for more information.

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We are ready and excited for you to join us on the journey through Reception. We hope you enjoyed having a look around the classroom and seeing some of the exciting things we teach!



See you all in
September!