

EYFS Newsletter

Summer Term 2 - 2024

Dates to Remember

- **Friday 21st June** - PD Day School Closed
- **Monday 24th June** - PD Day School Closed
- **Tuesday 25th June** - Sports Day - reception
- **Wednesday 26th June** - Sports Day reserved - Reception
- **Thursday 27th July** - Nursery sports day. Morning nursery - 10:00. Afternoon nursery pm 2:00.
- **Wednesday 3rd July** - EYFS stay and play 2:15, morning nursery are welcome to come back with their adult.
- **Tuesday 9th July** - Reception New Starters meeting 3:30
- **Thursday 11th July** - Reception Graduation
- **Wednesday 17th July** - Nursery Teddy Bears Picnic.
- **Thursday 18th July** - Beach Day (Whole School) Nursery children must be taken by their adult.

Reading in Early Years



Nursery - Don't forget to change your home reader book in school. We have lots of wonderful stories to choose from that you can enjoy reading with your family.

Reception - Your books for pleasure will continue to change on a Monday and Thursday. The children will bring an independent reading book linked to their phonics on a Friday.

Things to have in School ...

As the weather gets warmer, we ask that children have sun cream on when they arrive. If your child is bringing sun cream to school, please ensure their bottle is labelled with their name. Please make sure your child has their own sun hat too.



Can we please ask Nursery parents to make sure their child has a spare pair of clothes and underwear in their bag.



Topic



This half term we will be learning all about minibeasts! We will become little adventurers will go on trails of discovery to see what minibeasts we can find in our environment!

Along with our minibeast topic will be practicing our skills for sports day and preparing for transition. Reception will be getting ready to move on into Key Stage 1 and our older Nursery children will be preparing to move into Reception!

Foundation Stage Home Learning Challenge.

Each half term we set a small challenge for children to complete at home. This half term, your challenge is to go outside on a nature walk, see how many different minibeasts you can find. Can you count how many you can see? What different types did you see? Can you write a list of the Minibeasts you found? When you get home draw a picture of all the minibeasts you have seen and see if you can find out any interesting facts! Bring your picture to school and share what you have learnt!



Reception's weekly homework will be changed on a Thursday.

Make and Bake.



We would be very grateful if you could send £1 each week £7 for this half term This will go towards our making and baking activities. Children can bring their money in a named envelope.

Our funds are low across Nursery and Reception. Please contribute what you can, every little helps!

Thank you for your continued support!

P.E Days

This term, Reception P.E. sessions will be on a **Monday**. The focus is **Yoga**. PE Kits are to stay in school until end of half term please. They can go home during holidays. Please ensure all items are named.

Water Bottles

Please make sure your child brings their own water bottle to school each day. Please ensure your child's water bottle has their name on. There are cups available to all children, but we ask that they have their own bottle to reduce the risk of germs spreading.

