

Reception Summer 1 Curriculum News



Welcome to Summer 1

Welcome back. We hope you have had a good Easter. We are excited for the term ahead with the children. This term on hot days please provide your child with a named hat and apply sun cream before they come to school.

Our Topic

This term our topic will be 'My World'. During this time the children will be going on an imaginary journey around the world. They will also start to learn about the past and present. We will also be linking the children's learning to their interests and to special days/celebrations. The indoor and outdoor provision in our setting will continue to support all EYFS areas.

Please make sure you have looked at the key dates for the year, this has important dates for your diary. Any other dates we arrange will be shared with you via the 'Parent mail' app and our notice boards.

Summer Term Weekly Sessions

Tuesday PE (PE kit will be kept in school. No jewellery)
Thursday —Outdoor Learning (send children in warm clothes (non uniform) and wellies.
(Swimming will start in summer 2)

12th April - Inset day
13th April - Children back to school
3rd May - Bank Holiday - school closed
14th May - Pyjamarama day - Children wear their pj's
28th May - Last day of term
7th June - Inset day
8th June - Children back to school

English, spelling and phonics

In the Spring term, the children started to learn their phase 3 sounds. This term we will consolidate these and introduce new phase 3 sounds as well. We are teaching the children to apply these sounds when reading/ writing words and sentences.

Personal, social and emotional development (PSED)

The children will continue to learn how to manage their feelings and behaviour, developing relationships and develop their self confidence and self awareness. We will continue to teach the school value branches. (Respectful mouse, Self belief squirrel and inquisitive fox) We will also continue teaching the zones of regulation and growth mindset.

Tapestry

The children enjoy sharing their home observations with the class. Please continue to add all your news and adventures from home.

Home Learning (for isolations)

Power points, for home learning, if testing for Covid symptoms will be sent your home email address. The expectations are that work is sent in daily via the class email and class teachers will reply between 8am and 4pm, during week days.

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Maths This term will involve lots more number learning (the children will continue to develop previously taught skills, learn new skills and a big focus will be on mastering their number understanding.) They will also learn about shape, space and measure.



Wow Please share any wow moments from home with us for our wow tree. Children will now have green leaves.

We don't always go into book bags so please hand things to us at the door.



Reading Please have books in school on Fridays.

Please read with your child each day, you can either use books given in your child's book bag or **Bug club**.

Rainbow words Word sessions take place throughout each week. Please continue to practise reading and writing your word lists at home. We have already seen a huge improvement with their learning. We will assess and give new words half- termly. (On some occasions this may be more frequent.)

