



Nursery

Class Newsletter

Summer 1

Welcome and Special Announcements

Welcome back to the summer term of this school year. We hope you all had a great Easter break with your children. The time has truly flown by, and we are now entering into the last term of your child's first year at school. We have lots of exciting lessons planned for the new term, centered around our topic of 'growing' and we can't wait to get started.

Your Nursery Staff are:

Mrs Collins, Miss Wright, Miss Berry, Mrs Jones, Miss Peterson, Miss Edwards, Miss Layton and Mrs Robertson.

Our Learning this term

Read Write Inc. Phonics

This term, we will continue to introduce the children to the sounds that each letter makes.

We will continue to learn lots of songs and rhymes linked to our topic growing.

Writing

This term, the children will continue to work towards developing a comfortable grip. They will be encouraged to 'mark make' with a purpose in mind e.g. writing a pretend shopping list. We will also be focusing on correct letter formation.

Our theme this half term:

How the World Grows

- Plants
- Vegetables
- Fruits
- Flowers
- Where food comes from
- Lifecycles
- Human growth

Our special books:



MATHS

In maths, we will continue to do lots of counting of small groups of objects. We will be practising saying the numbers in order to make sure the children can recite numbers to 10 and beyond. We will explore the numbers 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10. We will be looking at fewer and more.

We will introduce the positional language in, out, on, under, in front and behind and explore the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

OTHER LEARNING AND NEED TO KNOWS

We will be having a planting day in school with the nursery children. For this to happen, we will be asking parents to donate plants so that we can make our flower beds and outside area colourful and bright! More information to follow.

Key Information This Term

We are supporting the children to be able to use a knife and fork at lunchtime and would appreciate it if you could support this at home.

School closes for the end of term on:

Friday 22nd

May

We return on:

Wednesday 3rd June

The weather is set to get quite warm now as we are into the Summer term. Please bring your child a sun hat and suncream, fully labelled with your child's name. On hot, sunny days, please ensure that you have applied suncream to your child before coming to school in the morning.

As the weather is getting warmer, please check that your child has a bag on their peg containing a full change of clothes including socks. There will be lots of water play outside over the next few months!