

## Dates for you Diary. Summer 2

- ★ 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Summer 2 Begins
- ★ 18<sup>th</sup> June 1.30pm – Reception Parents Meeting
- ★ 2<sup>nd</sup> July 9am – Early Years (Nursery and Reception) Sports Day
- ★ 11<sup>th</sup> July 9am – Early Years (Nursery and Reception) Assembly
- ★ 18<sup>th</sup> July – School Year Ends

## Summer 2



A busy half term awaits us with Sports Day and an Early Years Assembly too. As the school year comes to an end, for some their time in Nursery is ending too. We've had a fantastic year in Nursery and the time for celebrating our successes is here.

## Nursery Session Times

Morning – 8.45-9.45

Afternoon – 12.30-3.30

All Day – 8.45-2.45/3.30

Please ensure you are on time for the beginning and end of sessions.



## Lunchboxes and Water bottles

As the weather is warmer please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle daily, we are happy to refill this throughout the day as needed.

If your child brings in a packed lunch you may want to put an ice pack in to ensure foods such as yoghurts are kept chilled.

## Clothing in Nursery

Please ensure your children are suitably dressed to go outside daily. This may mean keeping an eye on the weather to ensure sun hats, waterproofs and coats are worn as needed. Sun Cream should be applied before coming in for the Nursery session.

## Reading Books

IF YOU ARE GOING TO GET  
ANYWHERE IN LIFE  
YOU HAVE TO READ  
A LOT OF BOOKS.

- NOALD DAHL

[Bilingualidspot.com](http://Bilingualidspot.com)

It's so lovely to see so many of you making use of the Nursery Reading Diary to record the books you have shared. We will continue to change books through this term and will collect all books in during the w/c 8<sup>th</sup> July.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Throughout this term there will be transition sessions for the children who are going to Reception in September. Alongside this we will be ensuring that our Nursery routines and expectations are kept consistent for all the children.

Our topic this term will include the stories Commotion in the Ocean, The Rainbow Fish, Sharing a Shell, 10 Little Pirates, The Night Pirates and Pirate Boy.

## Mathematics

We will be practising our counting skills linked to Under the Sea animals and Pirates, as well as using shapes to build and construct with.

## Our Topic: 'Pirates, Parrots and Portholes'



A topic about Sailing the Seven Seas, finding lost treasure and hoisting the Jolly Roger!

## Communication and Language

We are continuing to practise our Phonic work by listening for sounds, rhymes and syllables in words as well as beginning to blend sounds in words.

We will spend some time with Concept Cat who helps us to learn words linked to concepts.

## Expressive Arts and Design

A range of 'Sea' inspired artwork will take place this term as well as lots of Pirate and Under the Sea role play.

## Understanding the World

This topic will enable us to extend our knowledge of the animals who live under the sea. We will continue to spend time in the Secret Garden looking at the plants and animals who live there.

## Physical Development

With Sports Day approaching this term we will be working on a range of skills; from balancing, to throwing and catching and from running to target skills.

## Literacy

Through this half term we will have lots of opportunities to practise our mark making and writing, both large and small.