

Summer Newsletter



Welcome back! We hope that you had an enjoyable holiday and are ready for our final term of the year!

Topics:

As you aware, our new topic is 'Minibeasts'. Caterpillars arrived in our classroom this week and we are looking forward to watching their life cycle. We will be learning about other small creatures and their habitats throughout the rest of the half term as well as plants and growing. We have lots of exploring to do! Our final topic of the year will be 'Spectacular Stories' and we will also be spending time thinking about everything that we have learnt in Reception and preparing for the transition into Year 1.

A few reminders:

- * PE- Again this term we will be doing PE on a Thursday afternoon. If your child took home another child's clothing in their PE kit, please return it to school.
- * Please ensure that your child's name is still visible in every item of their school uniform.
- * Reading books- Please ensure that your child brings their reading book into school **every day**. The school doors now open at 8:45 and we will be using the extra 10 minutes to read in a morning.
- * Although it is the summer term the weather is still very fickle! Please ensure that your child comes to school prepared for all weathers. Bringing a coat to school each day and applying sun cream in mornings when it is particularly sunny should protect them from all weathers. We would also like to ensure that all children bring a water bottle to school as this is the time of year that they need it the most.

Homework:

At parents evening you were given a report that told you what your child needs to work on. Please ensure that you are using the resources I have sent home to work on these areas of improvement. As suggested please also send in any examples of independent writing that your child has completed at home. I would love to see it and add it to their special independent learning book that you saw at parents evening. A weekend journal will also be sent home with your child next week and every week after that. This will contain a writing activity for your child to complete each week.

Sunflowers:

In a couple of weeks our focus will be plants and growing. Your child will bring home their very own sunflower and will watch it grow and change. Your child will record these changes regularly. More details to follow soon.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support. Please do not hesitate to get in touch if you would like to discuss anything. We want to make your child's final term in Reception class their best yet!

Miss White and Mrs Crossman :)