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EYFS Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

The final school term is upon us and we have a very busy one planned for your children. As always, we will be spending lots of time learning both inside and out including writing stories, making music and craft, exploring the environment, planting vegetables and flowers and problem solving.

Following the huge success of our fabulous trip to Hesketh Farm and the learning that took place on our return, we plan to take the children on another exciting trip – more details to follow shortly.

We will also be building in some transition time so that your children can become familiar with their new teachers for September. This really is an exciting term.

Here are some upcoming key dates for your diary – more information will follow about these:

- ☆ Parents are welcome to stay for Readers' Morning every Wednesday 8:45-9:05.
- ☆ EYFS Sports day will be on 11th July.
- ☆ Transition day Friday 19th July.

If you have any questions about your child's learning or wellbeing please speak to the class teachers, or for a longer appointment, please speak to the office to arrange a convenient time. We are always happy to help.

Many thanks for your continued support.

Mrs Sykes, Miss Olivier and Miss Anyan





Robin Class Summer 2 2018

This term our topic is:

All Creatures Great and Small



This term we will be focussing on
Creating and Thinking Critically.

This will involve:

- Planning, making decisions and problem solving.
- Making links and noticing patterns in their experience.
- Learning about sea creatures and under water life.
- Being Pirates for a day and creating treasure maps.
- Another fabulous visit to end the school year!

Reading



We will concentrate on reading two or more syllable words and reading sentences. We will learn to read phase 4 irregular common words. E.g. said, have, like.

Key Focus: To read different types of text with fluency. Our first text will be a traditional tale and a fiction book - The Gingerbread Man.

You can help by: Reading with your child at least three times a week and practising their new common exception words every day.

Writing



We will continue to write sentences using some correctly spelt common exception words and high frequency words.

E.g. was, they, her.

Key Focus: To read work back to check and correct it independently.

You can help by: Encouraging your child to practise correct letter formation at home and write for meaning. E.g. write a letter to their friend at school.

Mathematics

In Maths we will build upon the children's previous learning and challenge the children to apply their knowledge of number and solve number problems in different ways.

Key Focus: Solving word problems which include doubling, halving and sharing.

You can help by: Challenging your child to use number in everyday life.

E.g. 'If we buy 8 apples and eat half, how many will we have left?'



Reminders:

- ☆ Parents are welcome for Readers' Morning every Wednesday 8:45-9:05.
- ☆ Children will need to bring a named sunhat to school each day.
- ☆ Sports day for EYFS will be on the 11th July.
- ☆ Children will need to keep a P.E kit at school. Please name **all** items (including uniform).
- ☆ Books will be changed once a week, providing that they have read three times at home and it has been recorded in their diary.

