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## Nursery Summer 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Summer 2 in Ladybirds class. This half term we will be learning about the world around us, having a visit from a mobile farm, and experiencing different sensory resources.

We will continue to invite you to stay and play with us each Wednesday from 8.45am until 9.10am, and from 12.15pm until 12.40pm for children beginning their weekly sessions on Wednesday afternoon. Thank you to all the parents who have been able to join us for this, the children have been very excited to play with you and to show you some brilliant learning.

### Date for your diary

- 20<sup>th</sup> June – Farm Visit – A variety of animals will be visiting our school field for the day, more information to follow!
- Due to the summer improvement works to our Early Years unit, Nursery will be closing on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July. Children moving into Reception next year will be working in EYFS2 classrooms from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July until the end of term.

If you have any questions about your child's learning or wellbeing, please speak to the class teachers. If you would like 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,

Mr Cockburn, Miss Midgley



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## Ladybirds Class Summer 2018

This half-term our topic is:

### The World Around Us



This half-term we will be focussing on

#### Understanding The World, Communication and Language

This will involve:

- Learning about different animals, plants, environments and cultures through school visits
- Planting flowers, digging holes, and exploring outdoor areas
- Exploring different cultures through their celebrations and beliefs

### Reading

We will be beginning to sound out some simple CVC words together as a group before moving on to doing this individually. We will also be using masks and props to explore stories such as Farmer Duck and Farmyard Hullabaloo, and learning about animals using information books.

**Key Focus:** Recognising sounds that they see in writing in the real world.

**You can help by:** Assisting your child to hear initial sounds from simple words.

### Writing



We are beginning to write some sounds from our names and simple CVC words.

**Key Focus:** Hearing initial sounds in words.

**You can help by:** listening to Jolly Phonics songs on youtube, beginning to listen to initial sounds in words like 'cat', 'dog', 'bag'.

### Mathematics



We will be focussing on real world context for numbers, such as buying an object from a shop or seeing how many of something there is.

**Key Focus:** Recognising numbers in context and using coins to pay for objects.

**You can help by:** Looking for numbers when out and about, counting out coins to pay for things at shops.

### Reminders:



☆ **Please be aware that we have a child with a severe nut allergy in EYFS. We don't permit nuts or nut products on the school premises.**

☆ June 20<sup>th</sup> is our Farm Visit!

☆ Please ensure your child comes to Nursery with a change of clothes in a bag that will be able to be put on their peg, and that this is brought home with you each day.

☆ Our class blog is updated often and can be found at [ivesoneyfs.blogspot.com](http://ivesoneyfs.blogspot.com)