

Nursery Summer Newsletter



Welcome back!

Its lovely to have all the children back after the Easter break and to hear about what they have been up to.

Our topics for the Summer term are; **'Travel'** and **'I am creative'**. Each week we will introduce a new story and the activities will relate to it.

We will be focussing on:

Summer 1 - Travel

Identifying different modes of transport and talk about the journeys we have been on.

We will be reading some of the following books:

The Train Ride

Getting-to-Grandad Bears

Duck in the Truck

Handa's Surprise

Mr Gumpy's Motor Car

We will be focussing on:

Summer 2 -'I am creative'

Understanding that different media can be combined to create new effects. Introduce a storyline or narrative into our play.

Useful words:

Theatre, role-play, colours, stories, drawing, painting, singing, writing, dancing, moving, cooking, making

Phonics

This term we will be concentrating on our phonics programme 'Read, Write, Inc'.

The children will learn 'Set 1' sounds in this order.

m a s d t i n p g o c k u b f e l h r j v y w z x

The children will be focussing on the sound rather than the letter name.

We will also be concentrating on words that rhyme- e.g cat rat mat

Writing

We will continue to develop a good pencil grip.

Children will be encouraged to write their names making sure they start with a capital letter.

We will encourage independent writing for a purpose- writing in our role play areas and in the indoor and outdoor learning environments.

