



26 February 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

Nursery Weekly Information – w/b 26.2.18

We are starting our new theme **Hickory Dickory Dock**. We will start by focusing on the rhyme Incy Wincy Spider.

This week:

- We will be continuing making bird feeders in our Forest School sessions.
- We will be going on a number hunt inside and outside.
- We will be singing Incy Wincy Spider and having fun trying to wash our plastic spiders down drainpipes.
- We will continue to practice doing up our own coats.
- We will be having fun with the parachute!

Number of the week	Shape of the week	Letter of the week
3	Square	m
Sounds learned so far – s, a, t, i, p, n, c, k, e, h and r		

Forest School

The children had great fun making fat balls to feed the birds- we hung them up in our bird feeder holders. The children loved getting their hands messy mixing the fat and seeds with their fingers.

Winter clothing

Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for winter weather. Girls need to be wearing trousers or tights as when the children are moving between rooms and exploring the outside areas they can get cold.

Waterproofs

Some children still do not have waterproofs in school for our Forest School sessions. Please bring them in if you have not already done so.

Junk Modelling

We are still collecting junk modelling materials - in particular we are looking for cardboard boxes/ egg boxes / cardboard tubes (kitchen roll no toilet roll please).

Thank you,

Mrs Frost and Mrs Hughes
Nursery Class Teachers / Leaders of Learning



Messages from the Office

Absence

If your child is absent from school please can you call the absence line before 9.00am on the first day of absence and any subsequent days they are off.

Medicines

If your child brings in medication please could you supply the spoon provided with the medicine as we don't have any spares in school – Many thanks.

100 Million Minutes Reading Challenge

As a school we are taking part in the 100 Million Minutes Reading Challenge. The challenge starts on World Book Day and lasts for a month. Each class is aiming to read for at least 10 minutes daily during in school. We are crossing our fingers that we read for enough minutes to win some prizes!



World Book Day Thursday 1 March

Just a reminder that we are celebrating World Book Day on Thursday and the children are invited to come to school dressed as a book character.

PTA Quiz Night – Friday 2 March

We are still able to cater for a couple more teams, so if you would still like to enter, please do so via PTA Events as soon as possible.

Emergency School Closure

The decision to close a school taken based on conditions at the school, staff availability and the health and safety of staff and pupils. In case of emergency closure, including bad weather, the school will undertake the following arrangements to inform parents and carers of a school closure:

On the day – Early morning

- Parents are expected to use website/twitter feed/emails to find out whether the school is closed.
- In case of severe weather and power is down, parents should contact their class rep. If class reps do not know whether school is closed, they should contact the Class Rep Coordinator, who will have already been contacted by a member of school staff.
- School closure information on website, Surrey County Council webpage and local radio stations as above.

During the day

- An email/the school's twitter feed to inform parents/carers that the school is closing. A message will also be sent to the Class Rep Coordinator and Class Reps.
- Staff will remain in school to supervise pupils waiting for parents/carers until they are collected.
- School closure information on website, Surrey County Council webpage and local radio stations as above.

Coming up soon:

February		
w/b Monday 26.2.18	-	Y6 Practice National Curriculum Tests
Monday 26.2.18	3.15pm – 5.00pm	PTA Cushion Club for Y3
Tuesday 27.2.18	8.40am and 3.00pm	PTA Second Hand Uniform sale at East Gate
Tuesday 27.2.18	9.00am – 9.30am	5B's Class Assembly – Entry via the office
Tuesday 27.2.18	9.00am – 10.30am	Come and Play Session for pre-school children and toddlers
Wednesday 28.2.18	2.30pm – 3.00pm	YR SRE meeting for Parents/Carers
March		
Thursday 1.3.18	All day	Whole school event - World Book day – Dress as a book character
Friday 2.3.18	2.30pm – 3.00pm	Y2 SRE meeting for Parents/Carers
Friday 2.3.18	7.30pm	PTA Quiz Night
w/b Monday 5.3.18	-	STEM Week (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths)
Monday 5.3.18	9.00am – 10.00am	PTA Class Reps coffee morning with Mrs Druce
Tuesday 6.6.18	All morning	YR Zoolab Visit
Wednesday 7.3.18	All day	Astrodome visit at school for Y5 and YN
Thursday 8.3.18	9.30am – 10.20am	School Open morning for prospective Parents/Carers
Thursday 8.3.18	3.30pm – 6.30pm	Parents' Evening
Friday 9.3.18	9.00am – 9.30am	2B's Class Assembly – Entry via the office