St Teresa's

SUMMER NEWS

Events:

<u>April</u>

30th– EYFS Class Liturgy (2.30pm)

May

5th -Bank Holiday 6th - Class chicks arrive 19th-Art Week 23rd-End of Term

June

2nd —Back to school 18th—Foundation Adventure Farm trip

July

9th—Teddy Bears Picnic WOW Day.

10th- 9.15am EYFS End of Year Assembly

14th—Mass Monday in Church

15/16th—EYFS Balance bikes

21st—Class swap day

21st - Sports Day

22nd- Class Swap Day

24th - End of Term

25th-INSET

WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL We hope you had a lovely Easter break with your families and

DO THE LITTLE

THINGS WELL.

we nope you had a lovely Easter break with your families and are looking forward to the new term.

Library Books

Please make sure your child returns their library book each week. Our Library book day is still Friday.

Reading

It is essential to read 5 times a week at home to support your child's progress in reading. Please sign your child's diaries. There is lots of helpful information about the questions to ask whilst reading with at home in each reading book.

RE

The RE topics for this term are Good News. Friends and Our World. We will be learning about the feast of Pentecost and thinking about how we can be a good friend to everyone.

RSHE

The third topic explores that we are created to live in community. It helps children to understand the wider world and the importance of working for the common good.

<u>Maths</u>

We will be focusing on adding and take away and then doubling and halving.

We have a weekly 'Learn it' each week. This is a simple sum that we need to know. We show the children it in both ways.

Our 'Learn its' for this term are:

10 + 0 = 10 and 0 + 10 = 10

9 + 1 = 10 and 1 + 9 = 10

8 + 2 = 10 and 2 + 8 = 10

7 +3 = 10 and 3 + 7 = 10 6 + 4 = 10 and 6 + 4 = 10

5 + 5 = 10

Ask your children to tell you what the learn it is for this week!





UNIFORM:

Thank you for labelling your child's clothes with their name. Please make sure any new items are labelled as well. Jumpers are easily misplaced and this ensures that they get them back at the end of the day.

Please can all children bring in a named water bottle—water only please! As the weather gets warmer, it's important your child brings a

named sun hat, water bottle and in very hot weather apply sun cream at home in the morning.



PE

Our PE days are Fridays. Children must come in school PE kit each week.



Reading eggs , Numbots & Mathletics

Please remember to log on to these websites as often as you can.

The passwords can be found in the back of the reading diaries.

On Reading Eggs, the fast phonics section is the best place to start.

You can also download the White Rose Maths—1 minute maths app to support your child's number skills.







Topics this term

During this half term we will be learning about 'Life Cycles' and African Animals. Please see the Knowledge Organiser which was sent out at the start of term for more information about what we will be covering.

After the half term break we will be learning about 'Different Environments'. We will explore where people go to for a picnic, where things live.

Both of these topics will be looked at using different stories and books. We have some exciting days ahead such as chicks arriving in the class-room and caterpillars that will turn into butterflies.

Foundation School Trip

Our Foundation school trip will be on **Wednesday 18th June** to National Forest Adventure Farm. Children should wear their school jumpers, shirts and ties with jogging bottoms/leggings, not shorts or dresses please. All children to bring a bottle of water, hat and suncream to be applied at home before arriving at school.

'Wow' day

We are going to have our wow day on **Wednesday 9th July** which will be a Teddy Bears Picnic. We will be making jam sandwiches in school for our picnic. Children can bring in a teddy of their choice and wear their favourite summer clothes.

School Snacks

School provides all children with a piece of fruit/vegetable daily. Children may also bring in a small snack from home, fruit/vegetables please.

Foundation Team

May we thank you in advance for your support and we look forward to a very successful summer term.

Mrs Draycott, Miss Driscoll, Miss Tompkin, Miss Healy and Miss Hucknall.

