

25th April 2025

Dear Parents/Carers and children,

Welcome to the Summer Term! We have enjoyed our first week back and are looking forward to a busy term ahead with lots of exciting learning opportunities planned. We will continue to send our weekly 'Ask Me' emails; we hope that these continue to encourage your child to share what they have been learning with you. The school newsletter, 'The Pen', provides you with further important information, including dates and whole school events.

<u>PE</u>

The children will continue to enjoy 'Supa Sports' with Mr Potts on a Wednesday afternoon as well as our Tuesday morning indoor PE time. The children are able to come into school in their PE clothes on both days, black shorts or jogging bottoms, PE t-shirt and school jumper or hoodie and trainers.

Home learning

The children continue to enjoy their RWI phonic sessions, and we hope you are delighted by their progress. Please continue to listen to your child read each day, as this has such appositive impact on their reading fluency and confidence.

Clothing in school/ wellies and waterproofs/ suncream and hats

Please ensure that your child has a change of clothes and spare underwear in a bag which can be left on their peg in school. Wellies and waterproofs are still needed to ensure that we can dress suitably for any weather when outdoors. Please label all items clearly with your child's name and class.

As we approach the warmer months, it is essential that your child is protected from the sun. Please ensure that you have applied suncream before school and if you feel it is necessary you can send suncream into school to be applied independently by your child. The suncream must be clearly labelled and please ensure that you child understands that they must not share their suncream with other children. Your child will need a cap or sunhat each day to help keep them safe in the sun.

Healthy Snacks and Hydration

We provide the children with a choice of fruit and free milk for four-year-old children. Please ensure they have their named water bottle in school, prefilled, every day; this is essential as the weather gets warmer. If you would like to supplement this with a bread or fruit-based snack for the afternoon, please do so. We encourage all children to make healthy food choices. Could we ask that snacks reflect this. We have a '**no nuts'** policy and grapes must be cut in half. Thank you.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to speak with us at the end of the day or contact us via the school office.

Kind regards,

The Foundation Team