

This Weeks Learning in Pre-school

For our theme of "Our Senses" this week we will be learning about the sense of taste, we will be taking part in a taste activity and talking about how to keep our teeth and mouth clean and healthy.

Sports Day is on Thursday 23rd June @ 2pm and Friday 24th June @ 10.30am, 30 hour children will take part in both Sports Day races so parents can attend either or both.

Pre-school are now running extremely low on spare clothes, pants and socks, if your child comes back in Pre-school clothes please ensure you return them, likewise if you having a sort-out then we would welcome any donations. We also need spare P.E pumps.



Now we are seeing warmer weather please make sure your child has sun cream applied before school and that they bring in a sun hat with their name clearly written in it, thank you.



Muddy Monday Dates:

27th June, 11th July.

Your child can wear their own clothes on a Muddy Monday uniform does not need to be worn.

Word Ninja of the Day

communicate-share an idea or information

adjust-move or change something slightly

challenge-something that is difficult to do or finish

trust-believe in something or someone

begin-to start something



Talk about what these words mean.

Can your child use these words correctly in a sentence?

Help them by modelling a sentence for them.

Rhyme of the Week-

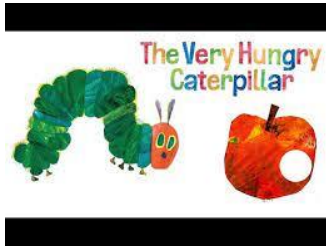
There's a tiny caterpillar on a leaf...

See following link

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JOlbSEOCmNM>



Colour of the Week: brown
Shape of the Week: rectangle
Book of the Week: The Very Hungry Caterpillar



Poem of the Week- Cloud

What is fluffy?
What is white?
What can you see
When skies are bright?
What can float?
What brings rain?
What may be higher
Than a bird or a plane?
Say it out loud
CLOUD



Phonics Activities

In Pre-school we are continuing to segment and blend CVC words with the children who are going to be transferring into the Reception class.

See the attached Phonics 1 wk3 sheet.

For the children who are remaining in Pre-school they can practice:

- Reading stories that they already know, pausing at intervals to encourage your child to "read" the next word.
- Encourage your child to notice signs and symbols in everyday life, such as familiar logos and icons for apps.
- Encourage your child to identify the sounds they hear in the environment and to explore making rhythms with musical instruments and upcycled resources.

Mathematics

- Include the number sequence in everyday situations and recite number songs to your child so they can experience the order of the numbers (ordinality)
- Encourage your child to explore the collections they make, comparing amounts and counting some of the items, emphasising the last number, e.g. 1,2,3. There are 3 leaves.
 - Use opportunities to model and encourage counting on fingers.
- Point out the number of things whenever possible, e.g. rather than just chairs, say four chairs.
 - Encourage your child to use marks to represent their mathematical ideas
- Help your child to give or get two or three items, e.g. during snack times help your child to take two pieces of fruit.

Reminders

Please can we ask parents to remember to make the weekly **£1.00** donation to the Pre-school fund, this helps us provide a snack of crackers, biscuits etc. for your child. We are also starting to cook and buy resources to enhance the theme of the week.

It can be paid in advance or on a weekly basis.

Please keep us up to date with absences and reasons why your child may not be in school via the class DOJO or emailing us on; preschool@amblecote.dudley.sch.uk

Pre-school Direct telephone number is 01384 815298

**Pre-school Leavers Assembly will be taking place on
Tuesday 19th July at 1.30pm-2.20pm:**



All your child that are transferring to a Reception class from both morning and afternoon Pre-school will be taking part in the Leavers Assembly at 1.30pm-2.20pm on Tuesday 19th July, in the school hall.

Morning your child who are transferring to a Reception class will need to be back in Pre-school for 1.15pm and dressed in school uniform.

Afternoon your child who are remaining in Pre-school can still attend Pre-school on that afternoon.

Younger siblings are invited but will remain the responsibility of the parent and will need to be encouraged to sit still and quietly during the Leavers Assembly, additional family members are welcome.

Photos and videos for family use only and must not be placed on social networking sites.

Sports Day Information:

Thursday 23rd June @ 2pm

Friday 24th June @ 10.30am

Both events will be held on the school playing field and the school gate next to the kitchen will be opened 15 minutes prior to the events starting.

Please be prompt.

Your child will arrive in P.E kits at school.

Sun hats will need to be worn and sun cream will need to be applied.

If your child does not usually attend Pre-school on that day and you would like them to take part or they are away please inform a member of the Pre-school staff.

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The PTA will be selling refreshments on both days and ice-creams!



Reminder

On Tuesday 28th June 2022 Pre-school will be closed in the afternoon session to all your child other than your child who attend 30 hours. We will be offering a Stay and Play session for all of the new your child starting Pre-school in September.

Requests

Used greeting cards for our cutting box

Socks, trousers, leggings t-shirts and girl's pants needed as spares

The Pre-school Team