



Ark Alpha
Nursery

Newsletter:

Hello everyone, we hope you are enjoying the milder weather and we don't have any more snow. Fingers crossed Spring is on its way.

Important Information

*Nursery closure day April 10th

Planning/Tapestry

As your child's Keyworker is very busy planning lots of fun and exciting activities for them, we will now be asking staff to produce 2 long observations a month and in-between this, they will take lots of photos to show you how much fun your child is having. You will still have access to these on Tapestry and staff will continue to plan for the children's individual needs. If you have any questions, please see your child's Keyworker.

World Book Day

Thank you to everyone who took part in World Book Day. Everyone's costumes were brilliant. The money raised will be used to buy new books for all the rooms.

Messages from the rooms



Turtles, little and big!!

Hello everyone,

We hope you have seen the photos on Tapestry of our new reading area in the baby room. You are more than welcome to come and have a look. Don't forget to upload photos of all the fun you have when you are not in nursery. We'd love to see what you all get up to.

The Turtle Class are currently adapting the garden to create a mud kitchen, we will let you know when it's complete. In the meantime, please remember to provide spare clothes and appropriate shoes.

Stay & Play - Friday 6th April, 9.30 - 11, bring a book & a teddy for a story session & sensory session ☺

We are working very hard to create a home corner so if you have any home accessories such as shoes, wellies, pots/pans, phones, keyboards & toilet rolls or kitchen rolls & handbags, please bring them in.

Starfish:

Song & Story of the term: Wheels on the Bus

Parents Evening: April 26th 4 - 6, please see your child's Keyworker for an appointment.

Spring stay & play: May 17th 10 - 11. Please bring along your favourite teddy for a teddy bears picnic.



Jellyfish

The jellyfish enjoyed dressing up for World Book Day and we loved seeing all the costumes.

At the moment the children are interested in airports so we would love it if you could send us some postcards from your up and coming adventures.

We hope you enjoy looking at your child's Tapestry and love reading through your comments and observations so keep them coming. If you are not currently using your Tapestry and would like some help, please see Amanda.



Sharks

We are asking for donations of home corner items - hairdryers, kitchen items, lamps, cushions, dolls & dolls accessories.

29th March - Stay & Play, 1.30 - 3.00, please be as creative as possible to make an Easter bonnet & join in our parade. Parade will be at 3.00 with a prize for the best bonnet.

Dates to remember

Easter Holidays: Closed for funded children. Friday 30th March - Friday 13th April

Nursery Closure Day: April 10th

May Day: Nursery closed May 7th

Half Term: Monday 28th May - Friday 1st June

Thursday 19th July - Last day for funded children

Tuesday 24th July - Last day for term time only children

Autumn Term Starts: Monday 3rd September

Half Term: Monday 22nd October - Friday 26th October

Last day for funded children: Wednesday 19th December

Last day for term time only children: Friday 21st December

Nursery re-opens: Wednesday 2nd January

*Please note, if your child stretches their funding, they are still entitled to come in during the holidays.

Thank You

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