

Family Worker Newsletter



READING CLUB

Day	Time	Year Group	Contact
Monday	2:45pm-3:30pm	3	Naz
Wednesday	2:45pm-3:30pm	R	Sobia
Friday	2:45pm-3:30pm	1	Praviz

Come and share a book with your child

No commitment needed

No need to book your place just attend on the day

Reading Tips

Reading their favourite book again and again with them. Repetition helps your son or daughter learn new words.

Reading can show you **CARE** for your child.
Reading can help you **CONNECT** with your child.
Reading can unlock **CONFIDENCE** in your child.

FIND THE RIGHT LEVEL

Encouraging your child to choose a book they want to read – books with pictures are often the best to help them gain confidence

TAKE TIME TO LISTEN, LISTEN, LISTEN

Listening with your eyes as well as your ears – giving them your full attention as they talk or read to you.

Taking it in turns to read parts of the story

HAVE FUN!

Children love it when their parents play with them and praise them. If you have fun reading stories then chances are your child will too! Younger children can have a short attention span so 'little but often' might be the best way to keep them motivated and enthusiastic.

TALK ABOUT WHAT YOU'VE READ

Asking how they think a particular character in a story might be feeling (you can look at the faces in pictures to help them get started).

Asking them to tell you what they would do if they were in the story, or what they think is going to happen next. These questions encourage your child to say more than 'yes' or 'no'

SUMMER PLAY SCHEME

This year's summer play scheme will be running for 4 weeks, from 25th July - 18th August 2017 (Tuesday – Friday only). Each session will be 10am-2pm and will cost £4 per child. The play scheme programme and booking forms will be available from the school office from 3rd July.

Places are limited to 40 children and will be allocated on a first come basis.

Parents should, wherever possible, book and pay for the play scheme prior to the holidays beginning.

If children have not been allocated a place on the play scheme and turn up on the day, they could be turned away if the maximum number of children has already been reached.

Activities include:

- ✓ *Indoor football / cricket / dodgeball/basketball*
- ✓ *Outdoor football / cricket / basketball*
- ✓ *Archery*
- ✓ *Bike Track*
- ✓ *Scooters*
- ✓ *Fitness training*
- ✓ *Arts and crafts /painting*
- ✓ *Board games /story telling.*

If you have any further queries, please speak to Family Support Team.

Summer holiday trips

This year, we will be running the following family trips:

TRIP	DATE	Total cost per trip
Great Yarmouth	Monday 24 th July 2017	£13.50 per person
Gulliver's Land	Monday 31 st July 2017	£22 per person Under 90cm free entry to the park but £8 per seat
Bournemouth	Monday 7 th August 2017	£12.50 per person
London Natural History Museum	Monday 14 th August 2014	£10 per person

To book places on any of the trips, please follow usual school procedures - the completed form and payment should be posted in the school letterbox, by the School Office. Alternatively, trips can be paid for online and the completed form sent in to school. Full payment should be received by the 23rd June. As trips are popular places will be offered on first come basis.

For further information please contact Sobia Khan or Naz Akhteer on (01582) 587168.

Transition Plan for New Year R children

Meeting for New Year R

Parents

Wednesday 21st June

9:15am



Transition Day for Parents-Wednesday 21st June

You will be informed in this meeting the name of your child's class, teacher and when your child will be attending Transition day.



Transition day for children-28th or 29th June

Your child will come into school for a morning or afternoon session. After you have settled your child you may leave and return at the time given by the teacher. On return the class teacher will give you a start date for your child in September.



New Year R children Start date

4th September-8th September 2017

We will be doing a staggered start. Parents will be informed in June their child's start date. From then on your child will be expected to attend full-time.

Sobia is arranging home visits for the New Year R children. If you have not received a visit by 3rd of July please contact Sobia Khan on (01582) 587168.