

NEWSLETTER

for Blackwell First School - Nursery



Welcome back to the summer term - our final term with most of the children! It was lovely to see you all at Parent Consultations and have a chat about how much your little learners have changed since we first met them. This half term we are going to be joining in with the whole school topic of Castles in Nursery and although we won't be going along to the whole school trip on Monday 30th April, we have some exciting plans for this day as we have the whole school to ourselves! Uh Oh!

Nursery Rhymes in Action ~ Two Little Dicky Birds, Hot Cross Buns

Tracking Text



Role Play



Crosses in the sand



Making crosses



SUNSHINE

It is so lovely to see the sun has finally made an appearance - we are ALL very pleased to finally see it (especially the grownups)!

As we are outdoors for most of our day, please could you ensure your child has a sunhat and sun cream (both named). Ideally, both of these could stay in nursery for the summer term as then we can help the children apply it on days when needed.

NURSERY RHYMES

Nursery rhymes and songs have a huge impact on children's language and communication development. Children relish listening to songs full of rhyme, rhythm and repetition. By singing songs containing these core elements it helps boost children's language, communications and literacy development.

We have been singing different nursery rhymes every week in Nursery and where possible, we link them to our topic. This term, with our topic being Castles, we will be learning:

- . Queen of Hearts
- . Old King Cole
- . Sing a Song of Sixpence
- . Grand Old Duke of York

Please support us at home by sharing those Nursery Rhyme books with your child. ☺

INVOICES

We are making a change to how many times we generate invoices. Instead of sending out invoices at the end of every half term, we will now be sending them out termly. The invoice to come out next week will be for Spring Term 2, after this there will just be a summer term invoice at the end of July.

SPORTING AFTERNOON Please do come and join us for our very first Nursery Sporting Afternoon on Friday 25th May 2018. This will take place on the school grounds, next to the nursery. Times TBC

NAMES in CLOTHES

With more and more children coming into Nursery in their school uniform, please can you ensure that these are named - especially as most are brand new.

TIME to CHAT

Please do come and chat to any of us at the start or end of our school day with any queries or questions you may have.

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Many thanks,
Mrs Mander, Mrs Allen, Mrs Franklin, Mrs Lewis and Mrs Thompson

CARDBOARD BOXES

We are hoping to build our own castles in Forest school so if you have any large cardboard boxes, please could you bring them in and leave them in our Den Building area on the Right hand side of Forest School.