Acorn Class Newsletter Summer Term 2023

Mrs Willford, Miss McLaughlin, Miss Marr, and Miss Pennington

Welcome back!

We hope you all had a fabulous Easter. The children have settled back in beautifully and have really enjoyed catching up with each other and sharing stories of the Easter break. This half term we are welcoming some new children to the setting and the children are excited to welcome their new friends and develop new friendships!

Website

Have a look at the Acorn class page on the website for photographs/videos of all the wonderful learning we have done last term. This is updated regularly with new photographs. You will also find information for the topics being covered this term. These will help you and your child discuss and review their learning at home.

Topic

We will be looking at 'New Life' and linking our learning to the following texts:

- Baby Bear, Baby Bear
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- The Odd Egg We're Going on an Egg Hunt

Maths

In our maths work we will be focussing on the following concepts:

- Number Songs
- Number 5
- 1 more/less
- Shape

School Fund Tin

We have a donation tin and welcome donations from parents and carers. This money is used to contribute to activities such as baking ingredients and campfire food. A voluntary donation of $\pounds 2$ a term would be greatly appreciated if possible.

Independence

We are encouraging the children to develop independence at school, in particular with shoes and coats. Please support your child to practise this at home, they are always so proud to show us when they are able to manage these things! Shoes with Velcro and trousers that are easy to manage themselves are really supportive of this.

We are really excited to continue to work with you over the coming term. The children are an absolute pleasure to work with and we love watching and supporting them to develop and grow.

Miss McLaughlin and Mrs Willford



Diary

| 17.4.23 | School re-opens for Summer term |
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| 17.4.23 | Reception Offer Day for September 2022 |
| 19.4.23 | Acorns and Maples mini Beast hunts |
| 25.4.23 | Yorkshire Air Ambulance event |
| 26.4.23 | Acorns and Maples mini Beast hunts |
| 27.4.23 | Dogs Trust Visit to School |
| 1.5.23 | Bank holiday - May Day |
| 8.5.23 | Bank Holiday King Charles' Coronation |
| 25.5.23 | Class Photo Day |
| 29.5.23-2.6.23 | Half Term |
| 5.6.23 | Training day |
| 6.6.23 | School reopens |
| 8.6.23 | Empathy day |
| 17.6.23 | Otley Carnival |
| 19-23.6.23 | Health Week |
| 21.6.23 | Sports Day |
| 26-30.6.23 | SEND week |
| 10.7.23 | Bike training on the playground |
| 10-14.7.23 | Parent consultation |
| 12 - 14.7.23 | In school transition |
| 13.7.23 | Summer Fair - Friends of Ashfield 4-6pm |
| 21.7.23 | Break up for the summer |