



“With Christ in our hearts, together we grow.”

Nursery Parent Planning Week Beginning 10th June 2019

Welcome back!	R.E	Father's Day	Notes
<p>We hope you all had a restful and enjoyable half term. We cannot believe we are into our last term already. Where has the time gone!</p> <p>We have thoroughly enjoyed watching the children grow and develop over the year. It is wonderful to see the strong relationships they have formed with each other and to watch their confidence grow. We hope you are all proud of the hard work your children have been putting in to learning new things, having a go at different challenges and expressing their own opinions and views.</p> <p>The Nursery team are very proud of your children and we look forward to our final term making happy memories and continuing to extend the children's learning.</p>	<p>Our new topic is about friendship. We will be exploring what it is to be a friend. We will begin the topic by looking at the following aspects of friendship:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Friends look after and do things for one another.● Friends do things together.● Friends make one another happy, comfortable and glad.● Things that spoil friendship.● Making friends again. <p>Christians believe that, in Jesus Christ, the world has been reconciled to God. Through Christ we are offered the power to forgive and make peace and to receive and offer reconciliation. Relationships bring both joy and challenge.</p> <p><i>At home: Talk about your friends and what makes them a good friend. Who are your family friends?</i></p>	<p>The children would like to invite their Dad's to come in and listen to the children sing their special Father's Day song.</p> <p>This will happen on Monday 17th June 2019 at 11.30am for parents of morning children and 3pm for parents of afternoon and all day parents.</p> 	<p>☐ Rhyme bags and story bags will be given out every Friday and need to be returned by Wednesday. Please remember they are to be used with an adult.</p> <p>☐ Nursery Parent Workshops will be taking place at 9-9.30am & repeated at 2.30-3.00pm on the following days:</p> <p>12th June 2019- Developing Communication & Interactions</p> <p>19th June 2019 – Establishing Routines & Boundaries</p> <p>26th June 2019 – Promoting Independence</p> <p>(Please see leaflet sent home for further details. All parents are welcome to attend).</p>
<h3>Understanding the World</h3>		<h3>Maths</h3>	
<p>The caterpillars have arrived! The children have been so excited to see the real caterpillars. They have been using magnifying glasses to look closely at them. The children will be continuing to observe them over the next couple of weeks and watch them transform into butterflies. We will then release them into the Nursery garden together.</p> <p><i>At home: Watch the 3minute video of the life cycle of a butterfly and ask your child to tell you what is happening at each stage of transformation. (Link below)</i></p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jivWeOrCael</p>  		<p>Over the next couple of weeks we will be exploring <u>length</u>. The children will be using a variety of measuring tools such as rulers, tape measures, metre sticks, hands, feet and measuring plastic worms.</p> <p>They will be making their own worms out of playdough and comparing the length, collecting different length sticks from the garden area as well as playing a variety of interactive games about length.</p> <p>When comparing two objects we use the key words longer/shorter. E.g Which one is longer?</p> <p>When comparing more than two objects we use longest/shortest. E.g Which one is the shortest?</p> <p><i>At home: Start by exploring two different lengths that are very different. Then start to compare lengths using similar sizes or more than two objects. You may like to compare footprints or fingers.</i></p>	