

F2 Summer Newsletter



Welcome back to the summer term in F2. We have lots of exciting learning opportunities planned for our final term. Our project titles this term are "I wonder what lives there...." and "I wonder what happens at the seaside..."

Please find more information below regarding our learning this term plus important dates and reminders.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss anything with us regarding your child, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Learning overview

Our new project begins with an exploration of growing – looking at plants and animals, how they grow, where they live and what their habitats provide for them. We will be planting our own seeds and bulbs which we will nurture and observe as they grow. We will search for animals in our playground and look closely at their features and explore texts related to these ideas to embed our knowledge. Our second project allows us to explore the seaside, finding out about life below the sea, keeping safe and looking after the environment.

In maths, we will be learning all about numbers to 20 whilst continuing to consolidate our key skills such as subitising, doubling, halving and number bonds for all numbers up to and including 10.

We will continue to develop our reading skills through daily phonics sessions; initially concentrating on consonant blends and tricky words and then embedding all of our skills and applying them to reading and writing sentences and improving fluency. Our Literacy sessions will continue to develop our oracy skills; learning texts, retelling stories, adapting and inventing stories with our own ideas and events and writing for a purpose; letters, lists, stories and more.

We will further improve our creative skills through music and art; creating sculptures, exploring artists, playing instruments and singing.

This is just a snapshot of our learning – for more information, please see our project placemat – we will also explore opportunities and learning that arise from our experiences and interests.

Reminders:

- Our PE day is Friday. As it gets warmer, the children will be doing PE outside. Please ensure they have a hat, water bottle and wear trainers.
- We greatly appreciate donations for our enrichment opportunities; such as baking. Please make any donations via the school gateway.
- On sunny days, please apply all day sun cream. Please do not send sun cream into school.
- Please ensure that your child reads regularly at home – at least 3 times per week.

Diary Dates:

- Friday 6th June – F2 visit to The Old Barn (more information to follow)
- Friday 25th July 9am – F2 Graduation

