

Early Years Diary Dates

Marian Processions: Tuesday 22nd May

Class 2's Assembly: Friday 25th May

Half Term, Mon 28th May - Fri 1st June

Reception to Bockett's Farm: Wednesday 6th June

Nursery to Battersea Zoo: Thursday 7th June

Class 1's Assembly: Friday 15th June

Sport's Day: Friday 6th July

Parents Evening & Art Exhibition: Wednesday 11th July 3.40pm-6pm

INSET Day: Friday 13th July

**End of Term for Nursery, Thursday 19th July
(At the normal time for your session)**

End of Term for Reception, 2pm Friday 20th July

FAITH
ASPIRATION
MOTIVATION
INDEPENDENCE
LOVE
YOU ARE UNIQUE



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The school values we will be
focusing on this term are:
You Are Unique



Early Years Summer Newsletter



Have a look at some of our Summer term learning so far!



It's the Final Term!

It's hard to believe but we are already well into the Summer term! The children have been enjoying the lovely weather and we are trying to take our learning outdoors as much as possible. Please read this newsletter and if you have any questions please contact your child's class teacher.

Many thanks,
The Early Years Team



Summer Term in Early

Our Summer Topics are Animals and Their Habitats (1st Half-Term) Toys, Summer and

Please send in any books that you feel that your child would like to share with the rest of the class. We have arranged a visit from Zoo Labs who will be doing a Habitats workshop with the children looking at animals from around the world.

The children also have trips planned relating to this topic. We will give you more information on these, and look for



The following are areas your Nursery child can work on:

Attempting to write their name.

Responding to stories by recalling what happened, talking about favourite characters or saying whether they liked or disliked it.

Pencil Grip—keep working on fine motor skills. Remember boys

In Reception:

Work on your child writing a sentence that can be read by them and others. Include finger spaces, a capital letter and a full stop.

Please continue to record as many general observations as possible in your child's orange book. Make a special effort in May and June as we need your observation of your child at home when

Helicopter Stories

A technique we have been using to improve children's vocabulary (Nursery) and writing (Reception) is Helicopter Stories. You sit with your child as they play and write down the story that they are role-playing. You can question them with 'what happens next?' or 'what did the dinosaur say?' but largely they do the storytelling for you. You then mark out a stage and your child directs the action. As Reception children become more confident they then independently write the stories themselves. Have a go!



R.E. Topics:
Pentecost (Good News), Reconciliation (We Can Make Friends) & Universal Church

Useful Instagram accounts to follow!

@invitationtoplay
@littlemissearlyyears

If you are interested in becoming involved in the development of the church garden supporting our gardener Daisy let your child's class

Please note that our summer term Parent's Evening is an opportunity for you to pick up your child's report and is not a sit-down meeting. Please speak to a member of staff if you are