



Summer Term

This is going to be a very busy term, especially for the preschool children, so we have included lots of dates for your diaries! Also a wee reminder - on sunny days please could you remember to put sun cream on your child before they come in to Nursery.

Transition to Primary 1

Consultations will take place for all the **preschool** children in May. You will be able to make a ten-minute appointment with Miss Reid to discuss your child's progress and address any questions you may have regarding school. Preschool children will receive transition reports on Friday 15th June. A copy of this report will be passed on to your child's school.

This term all the preschool children will have the opportunity to join in activities with Primary 1 at Broughton Primary School. They will be going over to school in groups to listen to stories and spend time in a P1 classroom as well as experiencing play in the front playground. They will have a chance to get to know the P1 teachers, and later in the term, next year's P1 teachers will spend time getting to know the Broughton children. We have found in the past that all these activities help the children feel comfortable and familiar with their move to School.

Key Events

Coffee Morning - From 8.30am - Friday 25th May

All parents and little ones are welcome to join us for coffee and cake.

Sports Day - Wednesday 30th May

Sports Day will take place at Botanical Broughton and all parents and carers are invited to come and support the children. If the weather is not suitable we will reschedule.

Superhero Day - Friday 8th June

Come to Nursery dressed as your favourite superhero! (Children only!)

Coffee Morning - From 8.30am - Friday 15th June

All parents and little ones are welcome to join us for coffee and cake.

P1 Broughton Transition Afternoon - Thursday 21st June

This afternoon will provide a chance for parents to find out more about life in P1 and for children to get to know their new teacher and classmates.

Transition Assembly - Tuesday 26th June

This will be a special assembly to celebrate your child's time at nursery. All preschool parents will be invited.

Teddy Bears' Picnic - Thursday 28th June

This event is for the children and it will take place in Botanical Broughton.



Learning in Nursery in the Summer Term

Thank you to all the boys and girls who have brought in items for Show and Tell. It has been very interesting learning about the children's interests, families, hobbies and special treasures.

Health Week takes place from 28th May to 1st June. We will time ourselves running and there will be yoga, football, Zumba and lots of dancing! We'll be having fun as well learning how to keep ourselves healthy.

So far this term through our Language Boost programme we have been developing our vocabulary and sentence building in relation to playing outside. Our next theme will be useful words linked to pretend play, which includes dressing up. We are also learning initial sounds, beginning with recognising the starting sound of our names.

We are involved in the school maths initiative Broughton Counts and this term Nursery will focus on the concept of "lots of" items. We are also learning about symmetry and how to record information.

Other topics we will cover this term include mini beasts, caterpillars and life cycles, summer, holidays and transport. The children are also sure to come up with all sorts of interesting ideas for us to explore. There may be a few new surprises in our garden to investigate and play with too!

Please remember to have a look at your child's Learning Journal. If you have any problems accessing it just speak to Miss Reid.

Dates

Monday 21st May - Holiday - Nursery closed

Friday 25th May - Nursery Coffee Morning - all parents welcome

Saturday 26th May - Marathon Junior Races

28th May - 1st June - School Health Week

Wednesday 30th May - Nursery Sports Day

Saturday 2nd June - 12.00-2.30 - School Summer Fair

Friday 8th June - Superhero dressing-up day

Friday 15th June - Nursery Coffee Morning - all parents welcome

Thursday 21st June - P1 Broughton Transition Afternoon

Tuesday 26th June - Nursery Leavers Assembly

Thursday 28th June - Teddy Bears' Picnic

Friday 29th June - Summer Term ends at 12.00pm