

Thames View Infants



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Dear Parents and Carers,

2018 Watch Us Learn

As you know attainment at Thames View Infants is exceptionally high and our teachers teach Outstandingly – making children particularly well prepared for their next stage of learning. For a long time now we've been looking at different ways to show you what this looks and feels like and in light of this we've decided that, every Friday, each teacher will take it in turn to invite you into their class in order to show you how well they teach and also how well your children learn when reading and writing.

Accordingly, after the Easter Holidays, every Friday we are going to start holding our 'Watch us Learn' sessions.

These sessions will start at 8.55am and run until 10.45am. During this time Claire, Rosa or I will be available to provide a commentary on what you are observing and also to answer any questions that you might have. Afterwards there will be a chance for you to have coffee with us all in the staff room to further unpick the learning that you saw and, once again, answer any of your questions.

Unlike our "Cooking Together" and "Sports Together" sessions, this time I would like you to really gain a good understanding of how our literacy mornings typically run, how Outstandingly our teachers teach and how high your children attain.

I do hope that you will be able to come along to your session - I am particularly proud of our school and so very excited about sharing this practice with you. If you can come along to your session, please come straight into school with your child where either Rosa, Claire or I will greet you, get you signed in and then briefed for the morning.

Yours sincerely,

Paul Jordan
Headteacher

PS. We thought that you might like to know the dates that we've pencilled in for our "Learning Together" sessions. This is a calendar of the dates that we anticipate these sessions to run on and we'll let you know closer to the time if there are any changes.



We're a PAPERLESS School – so you must download & register your **ParentMail App** to receive e-newsletters, to book after-school clubs & Parents' meetings or to confirm consent for educational visits.

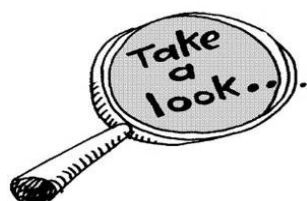


Save the Date!



WATCH US LEARN 2018

Gorillas	27 th April
Squirrels and Zebras	4 th May
Giraffes	11 th May
Nursery AM and PM	11 th May
Snakes and Tigers	18 th May
Foxes	25 th May
Hippos and Owls	8 th June
Lions	22 nd June
Koalas	29 th June
Pandas	6 th July



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