Thames View Infants





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Dear Parents/Carers;

Welcome to Nursery!

Hello, I'm Iram Ditta, I am the Nursery Teacher and run the provision with Sam Radder.

Every week on a Friday I will send out a letter telling you what's ahead for your child. Make sure you are signed up to our PARENTMAIL APP or you won't get it. So here it is...

- Children have settled in really nicely thank you for this.
- Thank you for providing slippers children's feet will be now roasty-toasty!
- Please don't be absent being off, even at this stage, will hinder your child's settling in.
- Remember to arrive on time if you are late, I'll need to speak with you as your child will be missing important learning. I also will have to send you to the office to get signed in.
- Please remember to keep up toilet routines at home. The key to this is consistency. If you need help, come and talk to me and I'll put you in touch with Emma (our Family Support Advisor) who can support and offer you some useful tips.
- Please remember to wear face masks when you come inside the school building. Face masks must be worn at all times – keep yourselves and others safe.

Remember communication is so important. If you're worried, unsure about anything or would just like to know how your child is learning, feel free to pop in and see us! It's good to talk.

















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.

Please remember:

- ✓ Names in jumpers, coats and shoes
- ✓ Water bottles with their names
- ✓ Sign up to our ParentMail APP
- ✓ Bring a clean set of clothes in a bag
- ✓ Welly boots for cold and wet weather
- ✓ Children should not wear any jewellery in School





Please have a little look at the pink box below. I will be putting something new in it each week for you to do. Sometimes it will be about what parents can do, other times it will be for children to make something with you. Please read and enjoy the different activities and let me know how it goes. Remember to tweet pictures too!



Family Learning Together

Read some stories with your children, talk about the pictures and and ask simple questions. Some stories to read: Brown Bear, We're Going on a Bear Hunt, Dear Zoo. Why not visit www.booktrust.org.uk - offer free online books.

Don't forget to tweet a picture and tag us too! @TVInfants, @ClaireTVI, @AdamDobsonTVI

We'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and hope that you'll find this information helpful.

Yours sincerely,

Iram Ditta

Nursery Teacher

Nursery Timetable WB: 7th Oct	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM: 8:25 - 8:40 PM: 12:10- 12:25	Welcome and settling period. Children find their name brick to complete their self-registration, then choose an activity.				
AM: 8:40 - 9:00 PM: 12:25- 12:45	Reading familiar animal stories and exploring different fruits.				
	I will learn to pass the animal around the circle by singing a song.	I can count to five by learning 'five little speckled frogs.	I can listen to a new story and talk about the pictures.	I can join in with a new song and count to 5.	I can sing pass the animal round the ring.
AM: 9:00 – 10:55 PM: 12:45- 2:40 including free flow	Free Flow Activities				
	We will be pretending to play in the kitchen in our home corner. We will be learning how to play with our friends and share our toys.				
	Children are developing their fine motor skills with a range of mark making and construction activities. They can use paint to print patterns and shapes.				
	Personal Social Emotional Development: We are encouraging children to be more independent and confident.				
	Directed Activities:				
	We will be exploring paint, making prints.	Children will be exploring textures with cooked spaghetti.	We will be exploring the reading corner and choosing a favourite story to read.	We will be making our self-portraits.	We will practise mark making using name cards.
	Outside:				
	Children are developing gross motor (big muscle) skills. They are building with construction materials, and climbing on the climbing frame.				
AM: 10:55- 11:25 PM: 2:40- 3:10	Snack time:				
	During snack time children are encouraged to choose, eat, and drink their snack independently. They are encouraged to show good manners, saying please and thank you.				
	We will read some of our favourite stories. Children will learn counting songs such as 'five currant buns' and are encouraged to join in with singing and actions.				
Home time AM: 11:25 PM: 3:10	You can talk to your child about the activities and perhaps get them to show you. Read stories with your children and encourage them to talk about what they can see in the pictures.				