## **Thames View Infants**





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**Dear Parents/Carers:** 

## Nursery learning next week

Every week on a Friday we send out a letter telling you what's ahead for your child. Please continue to check the PARENTMAIL APP to stay up to date news and information Here's some information about what your child will be working on in class, including the lesson details for each day.

Here's some information about what your child will be working on in class next week. We will be continuing with our topic 'Animal Adventures'. This week we will be learning about farm animals. Children will take part in a range of carefully planned activities revolving around farm Animals and their environment.



As always, please come and see us if you'd like more information on the learning your child is working on. We can help you with tips on things to do at home and useful internet resources. We'd also love to hear about the fun you have at home learning new things together. And of course, keep an eye on Twitter so you can see what we're up to.

It is essential that you bring your child to school every day. We cannot authorise prolonged absences from school in term time. Make sure you are on time so they don't miss a minute of fun and exciting learning. On the last day of term there will be a special gift for children in the class with the best attendance.

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:

- Fun Day Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December
  - Festive café, craft stalls, visit from Father Christmas and his reindeers
  - Please dsonate any unwated toys, games, books for a 'Fun Day Stall'
  - o Donations of cakes, biscuits and drinks for the café will also be very welcome
- Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 9th December
- It's Pantomime Time for the children on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December
- Christmas Lunch at TVI on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December
- Class Parties- On the last day of term the children will be having their Christmas class parties. For main school this will be on Friday 17th December, Party Day is a non-uniform day.
- **Christmas Concerts:** 
  - Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> December 1:30pm for Reception parents
  - Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> December 9:30am for morning Nursery parents
  - Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> December 1:20pm for afternoon Nursery parents
  - Friday 17th Decmeber 9:30am for any parents who missed earlier

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!



<u>Family Learning Together</u>

Encourage your child to talk about the different sounds they can hear in their environment.

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

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

Yours sincerely,

Adam Dobson

Head of EYFS



@AdamDobsonTVI

Nursery Timetable WB: 29th Nov	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:45 - 9:00 12:30-12:45		d settling period. Children find their name brick to			
12.00	complete their self registration, then choose an activity.				
9:00 - 9:20 12:45-1:05	Reading familiar animal stories and exploring different fruits.				
	I can listen to a story about farm animals	I can talk about the different animals in the story we have read	I can join in with a memory game	I can take turns passing animals around the ring	FUN DAY
9:20 - 11:15 1:05-3:00 including freeflow	Free Flow Activities				
	We will be pretending to play in the bear cave. 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 playing in the role play kitchen	Children will be making a farm animal	We will be making farm animal masks	We will be role playing having a tea party	FUN DAY
	Outside:				
	Children are developing gross motor (big muscle) skills. They are building with construction materials, and climbing on the climbing frame.				
11:15-11:45 3:00-3:30	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	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.				