

# Thames View Infants



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Dear Parents/Carers;

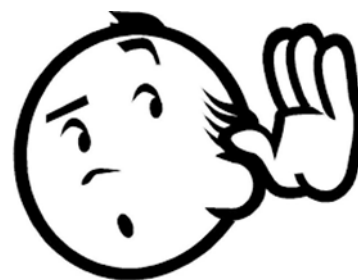
## Last week before half-term

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

It is essential that you bring your child to school every day. We cannot authorise prolonged absences from school in term time.

This week we will be continuing with our topic 'My Body'. This week we will be listening to sounds and try to copy sounds. We will also be making healthy wraps.

School is closed from Monday 14th February and reopens as normal on Monday 21st February



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.



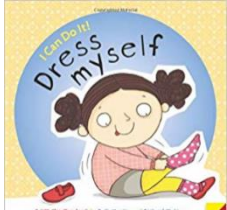
### Please remember:

- ✓ Appropriate winter clothing for outdoor play. e.g hats, scarfs
- ✓ Children don't need excessive layers of clothing – it gets very warm in school.
- ✓ They do need to come in school uniform – a school t-shirt and jumper
- ✓ Don't forget children still require a water bottle with their name on.
- ✓ Learning together in Nursery – Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> February



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 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

Encourage your child to become independent. Allowing time for your child to dress themselves. Putting on their own socks, shoes, coats and doing up Zips.

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Adam Dobson'.

Adam Dobson

*Head of EYFS*



@AdamDobsonTVI

## Parents Meetings February 2022

### Nursery Meetings taking place on:

- Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February– Parrots (all day)
- Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February – Parrots and Penguins 3:30pm – 5:30pm (after school)
- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February – Penguins (all day)

Please see ParentMail for booking details and the link to book your meeting.

Nursery Timetable WB: 7th February	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:45 - 9:00 12:30-12:45	<b>Welcome and settling period. Children find their name brick to complete their self registration, then choose an activity.</b>				
9:00 - 9:20 12:45-1:05	Reading familiar animal stories and exploring different fruits.				
	I can remember and copy the sounds	I can match different shoes into pairs	I can talk about different shoes and what they are used for	I can remember who was wearing the hidden shoe	I can join in with song, stamping and clapping
9:20 - 11:15 1:05-3:00 including freeflow	Free Flow Activities				
	We will be pretending to play in the hospital role play area. 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:				
	Children will print using brushes and leaves	We will match different pairs of socks	Children will make a stir fry collage	We will use stensils to help write our name	Children will make and taste healthy wraps
	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.				