

# Thames View Infants



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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Reception Learning 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.

The **Summer Fayre** will be held on **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July from 1.30 to 3.30** and both **Infants and Juniors** school will be closing early on that day. The idea is that you collect your child early from school and come straight to the Infant School in order to join in with all of the fun.

Thames View Infants will close early at 1:30pm on this day.



## Family Learning Together

### Hit the Number:

Prepare some sticky notes with various numbers and place them in front of your child armed with fly swatters (or a spoon!) Roll the dice to get your target number. The goal of this simple yet fun game is for your child to identify the number on the dice and match it with the ones written on sticky notes by hitting the correct answer.

Don't forget to tweet a picture and tag us too! ☺



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## **Sports Day– Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

We'll be hosting our Annual Sports Day on this day. We hope to start at 9.15am and look forward to seeing you all there to cheer the children on!

## **Attendance Awards Day – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July**

On this day children who have had 100% attendance in school all year will have a special movie reward morning. We will be turning the hall into a cinema for the morning and the children will get to watch a movie and have popcorn together.

Then, in the afternoon, there will be our final "Special Bike Award 100% Attendance Assembly" at 1:30pm, for all those children fortunate enough to have been able to come to school every single day since Easter.



## **Dance-a-Thon – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**

On Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July we will be holding our Dance-a-Thon and you're invited to come along and join in with all of the fun. It will start from 9am and we would like to invite all parents/carers to join us in our playground (weather permitting), where all classes will perform a dance for you.

Next year the children will be in new classes and with different teachers. We'll let you know in the week beginning 15<sup>th</sup> July what class your child will be in next year and who their teacher will be. During this week the children will get to meet their new class friends and spend some time in their new classrooms with the new teacher.

The last day of school for children will be on **Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July. School will close at 1:30pm on this day.** In the morning the children will be having their class parties and this will be a non-uniform day



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 X (previously known as Twitter) so you can see what we're up to!

We hope you'll find this information helpful

Yours sincerely,

Rofiya Begum  
*Head of Reception*

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Reception Timetable 15th July	Monday	Tuesday- Sports Day	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
8:45 - 9:00	<b>School starts at 8:45am</b>					
9:00 - 10:00	<b>We are learning about our topic: Journeys</b>					
	I will think of any questions I have about Year 1	Sports Day	Transition	Transition	I will find out the answers to my Year 1 questions	
Small group work	Shared and Guided Reading including a language group.					
	Directed Activities in the classroom					
10:00 - 10:20	<b>Our Phonics lessons are called "Letter and Sounds".</b>					
	Teach blends	Teach blends	Teach blends	Teach blends	Teach blends	
	<b><i>"Tricky" and high frequency words we are learning: we, was, have, get, this, came, come, had, like, for, like</i></b>					
	<b>Free Flow Activities - including PE and a shared or guided write.</b>					
10:20 - 11:30 including free flow	PE: (Gymnastics)					
	Snakes	Owls	No PE	Squirrels	Foxes	
	PE	PE		PE	PE	
	Guided Writing groups: Each group will be using sounds to spell simple words, and are beginning to write simple sentences - Retelling "Dear Zoo"					
	A range of activities during free flow to develop children's skills in class and outdoors: This week Adult led activities are...					
	I can use the mud kitchen to make recipes	I can write about what I would like do in the holidays		I can subtract from a group and say how many are left	I can subtract from a group and say how many are left	
	ICT: I can use Google safely	Music: I can practise my dance	ICT: I will know how to find images on Google	Music: I can practise my dance	Circle time: I can ask questions about year 1	
11:30 - 11:45	<b>Lunch Time</b>					
1:00 - 1:30 Maths	<b>Maths - Numbers</b>					
	I can say numbers more and less than a given number	Transition	I can place a number in the number line	I can count up and down from a given number	Summer Fayre	
Free Flow	<b>We are exploring our 'ticket office and travel agents' role play corner. We are learning about journeys and travel</b>					
Homework	Children should read their books at home every day with a grown up. You can talk to them about the activities above and perhaps get them to show you. We will give homework out on a Friday please return it the following Friday.					



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