

# 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.

This term we will be holding Parent Meetings on the following days:

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July –  
Evening Appointments (3:30pm – 5:30pm)**

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July –  
Appointments available all day (8:00am – 5:30pm)**



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.

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## Family Learning Together

No paintbrush = no problem

Skip the paintbrush and add texture to paintings by swapping in sponges, a comb, leaves, flowers, bath poufs, toy cars, Lego pieces, bricks, blocks, cookie cutters, marbles and of course, fingers.

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



## 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.

Serena our Attendance Leader, will be sending out invitations shortly. Three children will be winning a bike for making a huge effort in their attendance this term. There'll also be certificates to acknowledge the children who have 100% attendance for the whole year!



## 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 8th July	Monday	Tuesday	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 can label my picture	I can identify different vehicles	I can say what object is missing	I can remember a sequence of actions	I can talk about my favourite journey
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>"Tricky" and high frequency words we are learning: we, was, have, get, this, came, come, had, like, for, like</b>				
10:20 - 11:30 including free flow	<b>Free Flow Activities - including PE and a shared or guided write.</b>				
	<b>PE: (Gymnastics)</b>				
	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...				
11:30 - 11:45	ICT: I will know how to find in ages on Google	Music: I can think of body movements	ICT: I will know how to find images on Google	Music: I can use instruments to make a desired sound	Circle time: I can ask questions about year 1
11:45 - 1:00	<b>Lunch Time</b>				
1:00 - 1:30 Maths	<b>Maths - Numbers</b>				
	I can add by counting on	I can add by counting on	I can subtract by counting on	I can subtract by counting back	I can subtract by counting back
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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