



This week we will be:

- Looking at tens and ones in maths for Year 1 and calculations in Year 2
- Exploring in our Forest School sessions
- Sounding out and blending in phonics
- Reading fiction pieces of writing about animals, to develop our written skills, including: adding similes, paragraphs and speech marks
- Using descriptive vocabulary to improve the quality of sentences
- Planting seeds in Science
- Continuing with our swimming lessons

### Swimming

The children are really enjoying swimming and are getting faster at changing every week! Thank you so much to the parents who are remembering to send their child to school with all of the correct swimming kit. This saves so much time. If your child does borrow an item of school swimming kit, please can you wash and return it to school as soon as possible, as this then enables other children to swim, as we are short on supplies. It is very important that your child brings 2 towels with them – one for using at the poolside and one for drying with after they have showered. Thank you so much for your support in this.

### Forest School

Forest school will continue to run on the normal days. Please ensure that your child comes to school equipped with the following: long sleeved tops and bottoms, waterproofs, wellies and hat and gloves. If the weather is particularly warm, Mrs May does allow the children to wear short-sleeved t-shirts in the Spring/Summer.

### Everyday Essentials for the warmer weather

- Please provide your child with a bottle of WATER to have in the classroom to drink through the day
- Sun hat and sun cream

We have lots of unnamed items of clothing in the classrooms, please come in to check them if you are missing something. Please can parents ensure that all items of clothing and equipment are LABELLED.

### Summer Fair

We look forward to seeing you at our annual school Summer Fair this year, on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> May from 12-3pm.

### Year 1 Phonics Screening Check information

If you have not yet had any information regarding the Phonics screening check meeting for Parents on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 2.30 pm; please contact Mrs Edwardson in the office, or your child's teacher. It was sent by Parentmail on Friday of last week.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards,  
The Infant School team