

## Useful Dates



# Summer 1

## The Great Outdoors

### (Spring, Minibeasts, Farms and Zoos)



### Spring 1

8.4.24 – Return to school at 8.50am

8.4.24 – Living eggs arrive

6.5.24- school closed- May Day bank holiday.

23.5.24 School Closes at 3.15 pm for Half Term

24.5.25 Training Day for staff. School closed for children.

### Welcome back to the pre-school!

Welcome back to all of our pre-school families – we hope you had a lovely Easter break. This term the children will be learning about The Great Outdoors. This will cover Minibeasts, farms, zoos and noticing the signs of Spring. We would like to send a HUGE thank you to the PTA who have paid for us to have the living eggs experience – where the children can observe chicks hatching from eggs and take part in their care. This is such a valuable learning experience and we are extremely grateful to the PTA.

We are going to make the most of the better weather and take a lot of our learning outside.

In Pre-School we have two new furry friends to look after in the form of two gorgeous Guinea Pigs called Tatty and Rocket. The children will learn how to take care of living animals and what they need to survive and feel loved.

This term we will continue to strengthen children's fine motor skills with lots of funky finger activities, ready for the children starting Reception.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to email [eyfs@wes.rklt.co.uk](mailto:eyfs@wes.rklt.co.uk)

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*Mrs Galton, Mrs Robinson and Miss Carlyon*

Things to work on at home:

- Putting shoes and socks on independently.
- Brushing teeth independently twice a day.
- Use technology to help them learn. E.g. can they take a photograph with a camera?

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Summer 2

3.6.24 School re-opens at  
8.50am

18.7.24 – Sports day

Photos will go on Tapestry.

19.7.24 – Break up at 2.20pm

Polite reminder: there is no  
After School Care on this day.  
Breakfast Club will run as  
usual.

## Summer Term 2 Circus, Health & Fitness, Holidays.

### Our Learning

Our learning will be focused around The Circus and what we might see there. We will enjoy learning some Circus Skills as well as lots of circus inspired crafts.

We will also be learning about our bodies and how to keep fit and healthy. This will also include how to keep our teeth healthy.

As Summer approaches, we will be looking at holidays and where we go on holiday and where about in the world it might be. This will link with different methods of transport.

We will be getting the children ready for transitioning to school with some visits to the Reception class so the children can become more familiar with the setting and staff.

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Things to work on at home:

- Enjoy sharing stories at home and discuss what you have read. E.g. what happened next?
- Build on children's independence.
- Support regulating emotions.

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# Our Staff



Miss Harker  
Nursery Teacher



Mrs Galton  
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Miss Winter  
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