



# EYFS

## Summer Newsletter



Welcome back! We hope that you have all had a lovely Easter Break. It is lovely to see all the children safely back at school and ready for another term of learning. This term's themes are 'It's a Bugs Life' and 'At the Seaside!'

To start, we will be exploring all things insect related, bug hunting, extending our vocabulary with new and interesting scientific words which you can see on our 'It's More than Words' posters dotted around the phase.

We will be having a Spring walk and we will be visiting Tropical World in Leeds with all the children in Nursery and Reception before we finish for Spring Bank. Further details of this will be communicated in a letter.

As we move into the second part of the Summer term we are hopeful that the weather will allow us to embrace our 'At the Seaside' theme fully.

We will be exploring all things weather and season related, changes we notice and sunny experiences we can share ending with our very own Myrtle Park seaside...prepare to get wet!



### Nursery information

Those children moving into Reception in September have now been given Book Bags with the first set of picture books in preparation for the ORT reading scheme. These book bags need to be returned to school at the end of July before these children move into their new class.

A Reception open evening for the parents of children moving into Reception in September will be arranged in June, details of this event will be communicated nearer the time.

Those parents of children remaining in Nursery, please remember we are offering 30 hours a week from September, your commitment and preference of number of sessions needs to be confirmed before the Spring bank holiday via the office.

Mrs Riley & Mrs Sugden

### Reception Information

A Reception focus this term will be correct letter formation in line with Ruth Miskin teaching. This will prepare the children for the spelling and writing expectations in Year 1.

There will be a transition day arranged for these children to meet their new teacher and any other staff who will be working in their classroom next year. This will happen before we finish for the summer. There will be opportunities for the Year 1 teacher to read stories with the children and begin building this very important relationship with our youngest National Curriculum class.

There will be a similar event arranged for the parents to meet their child's new teacher and information about this will be communicated later in the term.

Mrs Hargreaves, Mrs Webster & Mrs Rhodes