



**Summer Term 2**  
**Bulletin 11.7.22- 15.7.22**  
**Topic: Summer**

Dear Parents,

We hope that everyone enjoyed the family picnic today. It was so wonderful to see so many happy faces enjoying the beautiful sunshine!

We have had a wonderful week exploring the seaside in more detail; this week the children have written their own seaside poem using their senses and playing outside in our ice cream parlour!

**Phonics**

This week the children have been reviewing and learning these sounds:

Mrs Ogbeide	Mrs Lamb/Mrs Bergmann & Mrs Fuller	Mrs Wilson	Mrs Merritt/ Mrs Patel	Mrs Hyder/Mien
Reviewing previously taught sounds. Revisit set 2 sounds 'or' and 'oo' as in zoo, 'air' and 'ir' Learning to read Set 2 red words, these words have been sent home. Hold and write simple sentences.	Reviewing previously taught sounds. Reading short caption and sentences. Reading words with 4 and 5 sounds. Spelling using Fred fingers. Learning to read and spell words with 'ay' and 'ee'	Reading words with 4 and 5 sounds and 'Alien words'. Reading using 'Fred in Your Head'. Spelling using Fred Fingers. Reading and spelling words with , 'ay', 'ee', 'ow', 'igh'	Reviewed set 2 sounds and red words. 'Alien' words and green words containing 4 and 5 sounds. Holding a sentence	Revisiting previously taught sounds Oral blending Blending 3 sounds to read words.

## Phonics

Follow the link below to play the 'Fred Talk' game- **Freds adventures Zoo.**

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/FbnHxz9L/qUxFluZK>

**Handwriting-** Please encourage your child to practise writing his/her name and forming their letters correctly. We sent home a sheet containing the letter formation rhymes that we use in school in the Autumn term. Please refer to this when supporting your child at home.

## Literacy,

Next week we will be exploring stories about the ocean. We will be exploring the world under the sea and finding out about the impact of pollution and rubbish on marine life.

## Maths Activity

Next week we will continue to embed understanding of making ten. We will be exploring the rhyme ten green bottles and using our fingers to represent this rhyme.

Please also continue counting beyond 20 with your child. If your child struggles to cross a tens number just keep counting with them. This will encourage your child to hear the pattern of our number system.

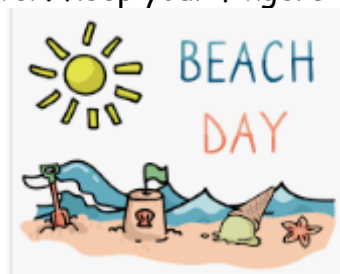
## Understanding of the World

Next week we will be visiting a seaside in school! We will be finding out more about the activities and the features of the seaside. We will be thinking about Seaside holidays in the past.

**Please remember:**

## Beach Day – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July

To celebrate our Seaside topic, the Foundation Stage garden will be turned into a beach for the day (weather permitting!). We will have lots of seaside activities for the children to take part in, including playing in our paddling pool 'sea'! Children can wear their summer clothes (e.g. shorts, t-shirt or a summer dress) and will need them to bring in a towel, sunhat, sun cream and a spare change of clothes to school. They will not need their swimming costumes as they will just be paddling in the water. Keep your fingers crossed for the weather!



**Sun cream, hats and caps!** As the weather is starting to warm up, please could you ensure that your child brings a named sun hat or cap to school. If possible, sun cream should be pre-applied at home as the adults in class will be unable to apply it during the day.

# Library books



Please bring in your child's library book by **Friday 15th July** as we will need to collect and sort the books for the end of the school year. Please check your child's book bag for a slip with their current outstanding book. Thank you!

**Spare changes of clothes:** As children have more opportunities for water play in the good weather, please could they bring a spare change of clothes (including if possible socks and plimsols) with them. This can be kept on their peg all week.

## PE Kit

Our PE sessions are changing back to Fridays next term. Please can your child come into school wearing their P.E on **Fridays**.

## Dates to remember:

- **Internal Transition afternoon 11<sup>th</sup> July** - Your child will be going to Year 1 to spend the afternoon with their new teacher in their new classroom. Please collect your child from Foundation at the end of the day as normal.
- **13<sup>th</sup> July - Beach Day**
- **15<sup>th</sup> July** - Reports go out today
- **15<sup>th</sup> July - Last day for library books**
- **15<sup>th</sup> July** - Summer disco

