

Nursery Curriculum Plan for Spring 2023

Liaison with staff:

Thank you for dropping and picking your child off at the door, this has really helped with your child's independence. Please message on Seesaw, ring the Office or speak to the adult on the door if there are any issues you wish to talk about. There will be Parent's Evening later in the term to discuss your child's progress.



Farm Visit

We are very excited to have a booked visit to Scarewell Farm for the beginning of May

More details will be coming to you a little later during the term.



Our Curriculum:

Our work this term will be focused on a range of topics, which include: transport, (cars and trains), and stories, (The Gingerbread man, We're Going on a Bear Hunt, The Little Red Hen, and The Great Pet Sale), alongside Mother's day and Easter. We will cover:

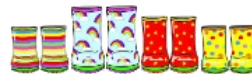
- Personal, social and emotional development
- Communication and language (speaking and listening)
- Physical development
- Literacy (reading and writing)
- Numeracy
- Understanding the world
- Expressive arts and design (creative activities including role play, art, music and dancing)



Within planned learning, we will be focusing on name writing for the Minus 1 children and name recognition for the new Minus 2 children, listening games, understanding 1,2,3,4 and 5, circles, triangles, squares and rectangles, as well as positional and directional language. We will be having regular phonic sessions and these will be looking at rhyme and alliteration. Please look out on Seesaw for further information.

What your child needs to bring to school every day:

- Spare clothes, which can be left in a named bag on your child's peg;
- Book Bag which can be bought at www.totalclothing.com or from their shop on Oundle Road, Peterborough;
- Warm clothes, as we will be going outside. Please name coats, hats and gloves;
- Sensible shoes in which they can run and climb. Wellington boots are ideal for wet days.



Communication:

Letters – Tuesdays & Fridays

Messages on Seesaw

School Website: thorpeprimary.co.uk



Books and Reading:

Your child will be bringing home a storybook on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**. It would be really helpful if your child could have a named book bag to put the book in. Please make time regularly to share the book with your child. As the years go on this will become a natural time to listen to your child read when they bring home reading books.



Seesaw:

It is great to see so many of you enjoying your Seesaw account online. Do activate your account if you have not already done so. It is also a good way to communicate with us and I will endeavour to answer any questions ASAP. Messages about the class focus will be on regularly.



Illness:

If your child is ill please remember to telephone the school office on the first day of the absence. Telephone number is 01733 264340

