

Summer Term Topic - June 2019 - 2nd Half

Seaside and School Readiness

WEEK	EXTRA'S	NURSERY & TODDLERS	PRE-SCHOOL
<u>WEEK 1</u> 3 rd -7 th June	<u>LANGUAGE</u> French <u>SOUND</u> Gg	<u>We're all going on a summer holiday</u> But how will we get there, by bus, Plane or train? Plenty of craft activities from printing our own tickets to packing suitcases , not forgetting those all-important sunglasses. Role play in the Dolphins bus, train or plane & practising our mark making with a postcard home SIGN - HOLIDAY	<u>Physical</u> Dressing board, practising poppers, buttons, belts, zips and laces. Playdough, practising use of our cutlery. Obstacle course developing spatial awareness. PE Sessions and time trials for coats, shoes etc! Fine motor skills - scissors, tweezers, threading and pencils
<u>WEEK 2</u> 10 th -14 th June	<u>LANGUAGE</u> Greek <u>SOUND</u> Oo	<u>Father's Day Surprise</u> Sssh it's a secret A special home-made something for the special man in our lives SIGN - DADDY	<u>Literacy</u> Pencil control and tracing over pictures and names. Story, circle times. Focus on books - writing pictures, author and cover and sequencing our own stories and lots of books about starting school. Initial sounds and verbal blending
<u>WEEK 3</u> 17 th -21 st June FIRE DRILL	<u>LANGUAGE</u> Africcans <u>SOUND</u> Uu	<u>Wet and Wild</u> Lots of water play with sea animals and homemade boats, exploring changes of colour, splash painting pictures and making our very own lighthouse SIGN - SEA	<u>Personal, Social and Emotional</u> Taking turns and sharing - board games and cooking. What makes us a 'good friend'. Personal Passports updates. Thoughts and feelings about starting school
<u>WEEK 4</u> 24 th -28 th June	<u>LANGUAGE</u> Latvian <u>SOUND</u> Ll	<u>On the Sands</u> Lots of sand castles in the sand tray, making 'moon sand' and Sandy cupcakes together with exploring an edible sand cake tray Making fruit lollies to eat whilst having a picnic on the 'beach' and puffy paint ice creams and sandy pictures to take home SIGN - SAND	<u>Communication and Language</u> Follow the Leader games, I spy with colours and letters. 'Simon Says' and the 'cupcake' game . Understanding - questions and answers Enjoying lots of conversations together
<u>WEEK 5</u> 1 st -5 th July	<u>LANGUAGE</u> German <u>SOUND</u> Ff	<u>Sea Animals</u> Learning about what animals live in the sea and creating our own cardboard box aquarium! making paper plate Jelly Fish and star fish from Cheerios, feet seahorses, egg cup turtles and hand-print crabs, plus of course our very own Dizzy Dolphin! SIGN - DOLPHIN	<u>Maths</u> Number recognition and matching numbers to quantity. Measuring and capacity Shapes 2D and 3D. Estimating - guess how many?
<u>WEEK 6</u> 8 th -12 th July	<u>LANGUAGE</u> Polish <u>SOUND</u> Bb	<u>Punch or Judy?</u> Plenty of role play this week with puppet shows to rival Punch and Judy, a visit to the 'seaside cafe' and of course can't leave without a visit to the souvenir shop..... what will we choose to take home with us? SIGN - CAFE/SHOP	<u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Role Play - School. Junk modelling, making our own school. Looking at logos and school colours The journey to school -car, walk, bike or scooter?. School Songs - 'This is the Way'
<u>WEEK 7</u> 15 th - 19 th July	<u>LANGUAGE</u> Chinese <u>SOUND</u> Jj	<u>All aboard the fun fair</u> Lots of active games this week helping our hand/eye coordination! Hook a duck, hoopla, bowling, bean bag toss and 'coconut shy' And of course can't head off from the fun fair without having our faces painted to finish off the day! SIGN - FAIR	<u>Understanding The World</u> Role Play Schools - whiteboard, registers. Reading books about starting school. School Transition days discussions. Walks around local community. Different people in the community and in their school - reception, teachers, dinner-time staff
<u>WEEK 8</u> 22 nd -26 th July		Lots of fun filled days to finish off the last few days of term DON'T FORGET, WE ARE CLOSING AT 12PM ON WEDNESDAY 24TH JULY READY FOR OUR PRE-SCHOOL LEAVERS PARTY	

SONGS, RHYMES & POEMS WE WILL BE LEARNING:

1,2,3,4,5, once I caught a fish alive

1,2,3,4,5, Once I caught a fish alive
6,7,8,9,10, then I let it go again
Why did you let it go? - because it bit my finger so
Which finger did it bite? - this little finger on my right

We're all going on a Summer holiday

We're all going on a summer holiday - No more working for a week or two.
Fun and laughter on our summer holiday - No more worries for me or you - For a week or two.
We're going where the sun shines brightly - We're going where the sea is blue.
We've all seen it on the movies, - Now let's see if it's true.
Everybody has a summer holiday - Doin' things they always wanted to
So we're going on a summer holiday, - To make our dreams come true
For me and you. - For me and you.

Books & Stories we will be Reading

I Am Too Absolutely Small For School
Little Hedgehog's Big Day
Starting School
Lucy and Tom At School
First Experiences, Going To School
Peppa Pig Holiday
Rainbow Fish

This Is The Way

(to the tune of 'Here we go round the Mulberry Bush')

This is the way we go to school, go to school, go to school,
This is the way we go to school so early in the morning!

This is the way we dress ourselves, dress ourselves, dress ourselves,
This is the way we dress ourselves so early in the morning!

This is the way we wash our hands, wash our hands, wash our hands,
This is way we wash our hands so early in the morning!

This is the way we brush our teeth, brush our teeth, brush our teeth,
This is the way we brush our teeth so early in the morning!

This is the way we carry our books, carry our books, carry our books,
This is the way we carry our books so early in the morning!

This is the way we go to school, go school, go to school,
This is the way we go to school so early in the morning!