# Nursery Newsletter 08.07.22

#### Song of the week



This week we have been singing 'So many colours, So many shapes' song

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZiOSzuXjDD0&list=RDZiOSzuXjDD0&start\_radio=1

Can you sing the song at home?



## <u>Our Week</u>

We have had a great week at Nursery. As a part of carnival preparation, we revisited one of our topics called 'The Colours of Us'. We have enjoyed learning about our similarities and our differences. We enjoyed making hats and self portrait puppets to celebrate our individual identities.





### Phase 1 Phonics

This week in Phonics, we have continued seeing if we can hear and count the sounds in three letter words. We played a variety of

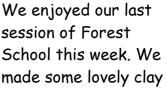
games and had lots of fun.

We focused on the words sun, pin, dog, hat and mat.

Can you hear the sounds in any other words?

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pots and decorated them with leaf confetti and also enjoyed some water play.



## Sound of the Week

We have now covered all of the sounds for Phase 2 phonics so for the rest of the year, we will be recapping the sounds learned so far as well as focusing on orally segmenting and blending the sounds together to make words.

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Please continue to sing the Jolly Phonics songs at home for the sounds covered in Phase 2 as well as seeing if you're child can hear the initial sound in a variety of words.

### <u>Maths</u>

This week in Maths, we have been learning about positional language. We have been practising to describe the position of objects using the vocabulary, behind, next to, under, on top and in front.



Can you describe the position of objects in your home?

## Things to remember...

#### Carnival

Next week Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022, the whole school carnival will be taking place at 2pm. Please dress your child in an item of clothing that expresses themselves. This could be their favourite colour or an item of clothing that represents their culture.

#### **Reading Books**

If you have any reading books at home, could you kindly hand these back to the class teacher as we want to ensure we have enough books to start the new academic year.

#### Sports Day - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2022

Nursery's Sports day will be starting promptly at 9am in the Early Years Playground. This will be a non-traditional sports day, however the children will have the opportunity to join in with adult-led activities. All parents/carers are invited to join in and support their children. We shall be repeating the session from 12.45pm - 1.15pm for those children who only join us for the afternoon.

#### People Who Help Us

This term, Nursery will be learning about people who help us. If any Parent/Carer is a Dentist, Vet, Nurse, Police Officer or Firefighter, please make the class teacher aware as we would love for you to come in and speak to the children about your profession and what it entails. It will also give the children the opportunity to ask questions about things they would like to know.

#### Sun hats and sun cream

Now that the weather is finally sunny, we recommend bringing your child to school in a named sun hat. We also recommend applying sun cream to your child before they arrive at school.

#### Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a named water bottle with them each day, especially now that the weather is warming up. This should only contain water, no fruit juices or squash please!

#### Spare Clothes

Please make sure that your child always has a spare change of clothes at school for toileting accidents and water play. If your child borrows clothes from school, please return the clothes washed and dried. If you have any socks that your child no longer needs, we would really appreciate any donations for our spare clothes box!

#### Toileting

If your child please requires support with toileting, please continue to practise this at home and remind them of the importance of thorough hand washing.