**Rainbow Fish Newsletter**

**Summer Term 1**

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| We hope you have had a lovely Easter break and are excited about your child returning for the summer term. Last half term the children in Rainbow Fish were learning about farm animals in topic. The children have worked really hard to develop their gluing, matching and painting skills. In English children also enjoyed listening to traditional tales and using props to explore the stories. During maths sessions the children explored shapes. In the weekly food fun sessions the children have been learning how to use a spoon. We are so pleased to hear about all the wonderful things the children have been doing at home. Hopefully this newsletter will give you a little bit of information about what we will be learning this half term. | |
| **Topic**  In my Garden  Kids Garden Tools Outdoor Play Set & Carry Bag Includes Watering Can Shovel  Rake Trowel and Accesorries Toy : Amazon.co.uk: Toys & Games  This half term we will be finding out about plants and some different fruits and vegetables. We will learn about what plants need to grow, plant our own seeds and explore the scent of plants and flowers. We will taste and explore some different fruits and vegetables including corn, carrots peaches and plums. | **Important Dates**  Monday 6th May – School closed for bank holiday  Friday 10th May – School photographs  Friday 24th May- School closes for half term  Tuesday 4th June- School reopens  Any additional dates will be shared on Class Dojo and displayed on the entrance door |
| **English**  In English we will continue our work on traditional tales and this half term we will look at the books Jack and he Beanstalk, Little Red Riding Hood and The Gingerbread Man. We will focus on language development and use small world resources to explore the stories.  C:\Users\scrowther\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\6F5F213C.tmp Buy Little Red Riding Hood: Ladybird Touch and Feel Fairy Tales With Free  Delivery | wordery.com The Gingerbread Man: Ladybird Touch and Feel Fairy Tales (Ladybird Tales) |
| **Maths**  In maths this half term we will be recapping on numbers 1-5 the focusing on number 1-10. We will be learning to place the numbers in order and match numbers. We will listen to numbers songs to 10 and learn some number rhymes to 10 such as ten fat sausages. | **Food Fun**  For food fun sessions this half term we will be focusing on food we can eat with a fork. We will be exploring the foods peppers, cucumbers, tomatoes, melon pineapple and kiwi. Watch out at home for your child using a fork and share any pictures with us on Tapestry!  Is your child a picky eater? We have tips |
| Please remember to continue to share your child’s learning and achievements at home via Tapestry and Class Dojo. If you need any support with either of these platforms please speak to a member of staff.  Thank you for all your support.  Rainbow Fish Staff | |