



# Our Reception News

## Summer (2) Term Information

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### From the Reception Team

We would like to say a massive thank you for all your support this year. The children have made a fantastic start to their school journey at Coopers Lane and we are very proud of the progress they have made. It's always sad when we come towards the end of the school year but it also means that we have a jam-packed half term left in order to celebrate the children's achievements and enjoy our final weeks with them. We look forward to sharing the children's work with you at our termly Progress Party and hope to see you on the beach at Broadstairs!

Poppy Williams, Patsie Garcia, Jenny Eldridge

### Our Topic

For the final half term, we will be exploring 6 different 'mini' topics. Our mini topics for this half term are:

- Diversity
- Superheroes
- London
- Space
- Elmer
- Seaside

Please refer to the Summer 2 topic map in order to see the coverage within these topics. Alongside this, we will also be preparing the children for their transition into Year One.

#### Multicultural Day- 14<sup>th</sup> June (1.45pm)

As part of our diversity week, we would like to celebrate the different cultures within our school community. We would like to invite you to our '**Multicultural Lunch**' on **14<sup>th</sup> June from 1.45pm** onwards. We are asking that parents bring in a traditional sweet or savoury dish from their country of origin so that our children and parents can taste foods from all around the world. Each class teacher has a sign up sheet for you to list your chosen dish and will be based outside their classrooms every morning and afternoon this week. This is so that we can ensure that we have enough donations to ensure our 'Multicultural Lunch' is a success and that we have a wide variety of dishes. We would also like to encourage parents, carers, grandparents and children to wear their traditional dress on this day.

Finally, please ensure that any food brought in **DOES NOT contain nuts** in any form. Some of our children suffer from serious nut allergies and we can therefore not take this risk. Thank you for your help. (Please refer to the letter sent out on 25<sup>th</sup> May for any further details.)

### Things to Remember

#### Warm Weather:

Now that we are at the start of June, we are expecting warmer weather (hopefully!) Please make sure that your children's jumpers and cardigans are clearly labelled with both their name and class to avoid them getting lost! We also advise that the children bring in a sun hat (also labelled) and that you apply sun cream in the morning before you come to school.

#### PE & After School Club Kits:

We would like to remind you that your child's PE kit needs to be in a clearly labelled bag and left in the clear boxes outside the classrooms for the whole half term. If your child goes to an after school club (such as football), they do not need to bring in a separate kit but instead can use their PE kit for these sessions also.

#### Letters:

The final half term is always a busy one and there are lots of important days to remember. We have listed these dates below but wanted to take this time to remind you to check your e-mails in order to keep up to date with the letters that are sent out. (Any letters will be sent out on Tuesdays and Thursdays.) You can also download the 'Coopers Lane' school app from the app-store for free, where you can see the school calendar and newsletters at the touch of a button from your mobile device.



### Important Dates

DIVERSITY WEEK- 12<sup>th</sup> June- 16<sup>th</sup> June  
MULTICULTURAL DAY- 14<sup>th</sup> June (1.45pm onwards)  
CLASS PHOTOS- 21<sup>st</sup> June  
SPORTS DAY/ PROGRESS PARTY- 7<sup>th</sup> July  
WHOLE SCHOOL BBQ- 17<sup>th</sup> July  
LAST DAY OF TERM- 20<sup>th</sup> July