



Nursery Parent Information for the week beginning 3rd June 2025

The children have learnt lots about growing and lifecycles this half term and we all had lots of wonderful learning experiences with the highlight being our 10 days with the ducklings.

Next week is half term and we hope the children have a wonderful week of fun.

Monday 2nd June is an inset day. The children will return to Nursery on Tuesday 3rd June

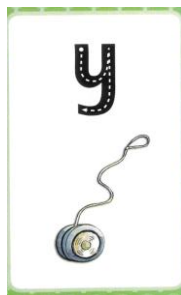
School Uniform and bags

- We are in summer term so summer uniform can be worn. Please see details of the uniform on the website. The school dress is for girls is checked pink with white socks. The boys wear a maroon polo shirt and grey shorts.
- It has been rather hot with week please remember to put sun cream on your child before they come to school and provide them with a suitable sun hat for when we are playing and learning outside.
- If you have not done so already, please send your child in with a pair of clearly labelled wellies.
- Please label your child's uniform. please may we also ask that children wear school shoes, not trainers.
- Please provide a bag of spare clothes, as sometime children may need to change, due to a toileting accident/ engaging in messy/water play throughout the day.
- Please send your child to school with their reading books in their maroon book bag every day. They take home letters and any crafts they have done in their book bags too.
- Remember to send your child with a labelled water bottle every day.

Phonics



This half term we will continue to look at phase 1 elements of phonics in addition to continuing to learn our next first few phonics sounds.

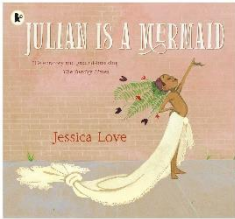

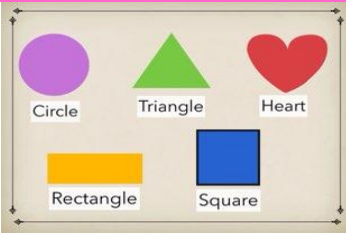




This week we will be recapping the sounds we learnt last half term through different phonic and fine motor opportunities in the class room activities and playing phase 1 sound games.

We will also be learning the new sound 'y' as in yo-yo.

Please remember to read with your child and sign their reading record book each time. Please read the book with your child multiple times over the week. You can split the book over several sittings. Discussing 3 pages each night for example. Please bring the reading record and book in daily in the maroon book bag. Children's books will be changed on **Thursdays/Fridays**.

The lilac books are wordless to build up spoken vocabulary and storytelling language. Discuss the pictures in the book and allow them to make up the story from what they can see encouraging the use of full sentences. There are also

	comprehension questions at the backs of the books which will give you an idea of some of the question you can ask your child when reading with them.
<p>Literacy</p> 	<p>In Literacy we will be looking at the book Julian is a mermaid by Jessica Love. We we will learning about how we are all sepcial and unique and this book links to our new topic this half term of under the sea.</p> <p>At home think about all of the different animals that live under the sea. Can you find any non-fiction books about the sea in the library?</p> 
<p>Maths</p> 	<p>In maths we will be looking at 2D shapes and discussing their characteristics. We will be feeling shapes and trying to guess what shape they are based on the number of sides and corners and whether the sides are curved or straight.</p> <p>At home see if you can find different shapes in the environment. Discuss what attributes that shape has.</p> 
<p>RE</p> 	<p>In RE we will be beginning our new topic 'Dialogue and Encounter'. In our first lesson we will be learning about Saint Peter. We will be learning about the story where Sainter Peter walks on the water with the children.</p> <p>At home talk about any saints, you might know. What made them special enough to be a saint?</p> 
<p>Topic</p> 	<p>Our topic this half term is under the sea and we will be sharing lots of fiction and non- fiction books about animals under the sea and jobs around the seaside.</p> 
<p>We will endeavour to answer any questions at pick up times throughout the Nursery day but it can be quite rushed as we have so many children and parents. Please use the following email to contact your class teacher if you have any questions or queries: nursery@olopprimary.co.uk</p> <p>We hope you all have a lovely half term.</p> <p>Best wishes</p> <p>Miss Petford, Ms Richardson and Mrs Featherstone</p>	