



FS1 - Class MB - Summer Term 1

School Opening Hours

We would like to remind all parents that our doors are open at 8.45am and you are welcome to stay and play with your child until 8.55am. All children must be in school before 8.55am as this is the end of registration.

Morning sessions end at 11.45am and gates will be open to collect your children at this time.

Afternoon sessions start at 12.15pm, please ensure your child arrives before 12.20pm to be registered.

Afternoon sessions end at 3.15pm and gates will be open to collect your children at this time.

Class Pet

Thank you to everyone who has helped make our class pet Patch a real success. We would like to develop our class pet project further by inviting your family to take Patch on all your exciting adventures outside of school. Please talk to a member of staff in advance if you are visiting anywhere extra special and could accommodate a guest.

Voluntary contributions

If possible we would be very grateful if you could contribute 50p a week towards the cost of replenishing resources for activities we provide, such as : play dough, baking, craft activities, etc. We have a money box where donations can be placed if you would like to help.

Welcome back to St. James' CE Academy

We hope you all enjoyed a lovely Easter break!

We would like to take this opportunity to update you on the main topic we will be covering this half term, which will be 'At the Seaside'. As part of this topic we will read various stories such as 'Rainbow Fish', 'Toddle Waddle' and 'Lucy and Tom go to the seaside'.

The children will also be continuing their learning independently through play activities which will reflect their learning needs, and we will work on developing children's learning based on their interests.

School Uniform

All the children in nursery are looking really smart in their uniforms. We would like to thank you for your support with this and ask that you put your child's name on all of their school uniform. This will help to avoid any upset over lost items of clothing.

Tapestry

Thank you for your support with our 'Tapestry' assessments. It has been lovely to see some of you adding comments or your own observations onto your children's learning journeys. Please continue to add on your own observations from home. We would love observations showing your child's progress towards meeting their summer term targets. These were given out at the end of the spring term but if you need reminding of these please ask a member of staff for a further copy. Also if you would like to discuss these targets please make a pupil progress meeting appointment with Mrs Moore.

Lunchtime payments

If your child attends the beginning of the week sessions or end of the week sessions you are required to pay lunch time cover of £2 per day (£4 in total). This amount needs to be paid on the first day your child attends each week, either a Monday morning or Wednesday afternoon. Unfortunately if you fail to pay, your child will not be able to stay at the nursery across lunchtime. If you have any queries regarding this please see Mrs Daniels.

Class library

Children are given the opportunity to borrow a book from our class library.

Class MB's special events:

Pupil progress meetings will be held throughout the day on **Wednesday 3rd May**.

A parents **Marvellous Math's** session will be held on **Wednesday 17th May** at **9:00-9:40** or **2:30-3:10**

Class MB will be hold a '**Big Chocolate Tea party**' on **Wednesday 24th May** at **11:30 -12:15** to raise money for, 'The Sick Children's trust'.

Your child will also have the opportunity to take part in a **sponsored assault course** on this day.

Further details of all these events will follow shortly.

Questions/ concerns

Please see your child's key worker or teacher if you need any help or advice.