



Dean Field
Community Primary School



Parent Information Sheet – Reception Mexico (Summer Term 2)

Reading and Writing

As part of our topic, we will be looking at different texts about space. We will be sharing discussions on these. We will continue having daily phonics lessons using our scheme Read, Write, Inc. We are now working on reading and writing simple sentences independently. Please make sure your child has their reading book and reading diary, completed, at school every day.

Maths

In Maths, we will be using the scheme White Rose Maths and TenTown to continue our learning of numbers beyond 10 and will also focus on sharing and grouping.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be taking part in different social games to help us create more friendships at school. We are now following the PSHE scheme 'Jigsaw'. This term we will be focusing on 'Changing Me' as part of our whole school Relationships and Sex Education.

Physical Development

This half-term our PE session will continue on a Friday morning. Please ensure that your child's P.E. kit is labelled and left in school. We are developing our independence skills by dressing and undressing ourselves with less help from adults. **We will be having our Sports Day on Tuesday 8th July 9-10am on the back field.**

Important Information

- Please remember a school bag with a named change of clothes, and clothes which are weather appropriate. Please return borrowed clothes.
- Please ensure your child has a sunhat, sun cream and water bottle in school.
- Please make sure your child has their reading book and reading diary, completed, at school every day.
 - Don't forget to bring your child's named book bag to school so they can swap their reading books.
 - Every child has a box under in the cloakroom, please check these regularly for belongings.
 - Please send in £3.50 donation for snack.
 - Home time is a busy period – if you wish to speak to a member of staff please feel free to wait behind when the children have left or contact us via Seesaw. ☺

Communication and Language

We will be encouraging the children to engage in a variety of play which focuses on developing their communication and language skills. We have been updating our 'Word of the Week' display. Please encourage your child to use this language at home too. We will also be encouraging children to talk about their year in Reception and discuss what they are looking forward to in Year 1 – **transition morning will be Friday 4th July.**

Our topic this term is...

Space



Expressive Arts and Design

The children will have lots of opportunities to express their ideas through paint, collaging and playdough. Our small world area and role play area also allows children to be creative with their story ideas.

We will also be taking part in box modelling as part of DT week.

We will also be singing in our **Graduation on Thursday 10th July at 9am.**

Understanding the World

We will be exploring people and our communities. We will also be having our weekly ICT lessons with Miss Mullen to support us transitioning to Year 1 and preparing for the Computing curriculum.