

## School Events Dates for your diary

### INSET

**Monday 3rd July 2017**— Staff training  
School will be closed to pupils.

### GENERAL DATES

**Tuesday 6th & Wednesday 7th June**—  
Nursery parents consultations

**Tuesday 13th June**—Safer Internet show-  
case and workshop

**Saturday 17th June**—Summer School Fair

**Monday 19th June**—Class photos

**Tuesday 20th June**—Nursery trip—Calke  
Abbey—all day

**Wednesday 21st June**— Reception induc-  
tion meeting 9.30-11am & Nursery induction  
meeting 1.30-3.15pm.

**Wednesday 28th June**—Sport's Afternoon

**Thursday 6th July**—School readiness  
meeting 1.30pm & 4.30pm.

**Friday 7th July**—Reports out to parents

**Tuesday 11th July**—Open morning 9am &  
Afternoon 2.30pm.

**Friday 14th July**—Party day

**Monday 17th-20th July**—Transition week  
- in new reception classes. **Friday 21st July**  
— End of term & Y2 Graduation

## Teaching Staff Cover

Mrs. Thompson will be teaching  
in nursery every other  
Thursday and Friday Morning.

Each week I will send home a  
class newsletter to let you know  
what the children have and will  
be learning about in nursery.



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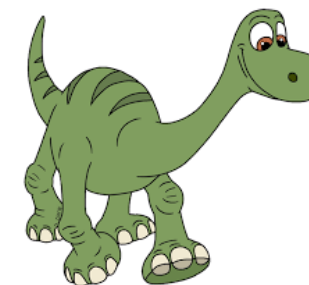


## Curriculum Newsletter

## Foundation Stage 1

## Busy Bees

Mrs. S. Cooper



## Summer Term 6

Could a dinosaur come  
to school?

## Foundation 1 Special events Summer Term 6

**Tuesday 20th June**—Calke Abbey  
'We're going on a bear hunt' school trip day!

**Tuesday 11th July**— Show and Tell  
Open mornings (9am—for AM nursery)  
and afternoons (2.30om for PM nursery)

**Wednesday 12th July**—Special themed day—more info to follow

**Friday 14th July**—Party day in party clothes. *Please see weekly newsletters for any additional special events.*

### Targets for Term 6

Some of our ongoing targets  
in nursery are.....

- I am learning how to be independent
- I am learning how to take turns
- I am learning how to pour my own drink
- I am learning how to get changed for PE — with help from the grown ups! - Please encourage getting dressed at home

## Throughout the term Foundation children will be learning to:

### Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Some of our ongoing targets in nursery are...

- Talk to friends in play, about their play and adapt play where required.
- To offer help to others
- Begin to understand why something might be wrong or why a friend is upset
- Beginning to solve conflicts with peers.

### Communication and Language & Literacy

- To be a good listener. Doing good looking, good listening and lips closed when someone is talking.
- To ask and answer questions
- Can join in with stories that I know
- To listen for rhyming words and the first sounds in words
- To write my name independently

### Physical Development

- Take part in fiddly activities to help my hands get strong
- To develop my balance and coordination through a range of gross motor activities.
- Throw and catch a ball
- Use my whole body to travel in different ways
- To have fun in PE! :)

### Mathematics

- Begin to record my numbers using marks, pictures or writing numbers I know
- Recite numbers to 10 and beyond
- To recognise numbers to 10
- Count carefully a set of 10 objects on lots of different ways
- To begin to join two groups
- To name all the 2D shapes accurately.

### Understanding the World

- Talk about things I have seen in the natural world and in information books
- Talk about some features of dinosaurs
- Talk about why things happen during experiments!
- To complete simple computer programs linked to our topic.
- To learn how to care for animals and all living things

### Expressive Arts and Design

- Explore what happens when I mix colours.
- Pretend play in our home corner
- Copy a rhythm using instruments and clapping
- To introduce a storyline or narrative in to my play.
- Use the scissors in the making area.