

Week beginning 09.07.2018

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The Vale Academy Reception Newsletter

Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 17th July - Stay and Play 10.00 -11.00 a.m. and 2.00 - 3.00 p.m.

Friday 20th July - Last day of term (12.30 p.m. finish)

This Half Term

This half term has been extremely busy. We started the term with our Early Years Sports Day. The children did really well and enjoyed themselves immensely. It was lovely to see so many parents and family members there to support their children. The children had a fantastic time when Ark Farm came to visit. They were interested to learn all about the animals, which included goats, sheep, a donkey, a pig, ducks, chickens and a dog, and asked lots of questions. Once they had learnt about the animals, they had the opportunity to go into the pen and pet them. On Wednesday 4th July, the children spent the day in their new Year 1 classrooms. They enjoyed lots of activities and were able to start familiarising themselves with their new spaces.

Last day of Term

On the last day of term the children will be having a Teddy Bears Picnic. Children do not need to bring their bag to school on this day but are welcome to bring a teddy with them.

Stay and Play

Our next stay and play sessions will be on Tuesday 17th July 2018. As always we will be holding a morning session from 10.00 a.m. - 11 a.m. and an afternoon session from 2.00 p.m. - 3.00 p.m.

Thank you

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our families for your support over the past year. We hope you all have a lovely summer and wish the children all the very best as they move into year 1 in September.



Some Useful Websites

Listed below are some websites you might like to visit to support your child in their learning at home:

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/ParentsMenu.htm>

<http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/phase-2-games.html>

Wish List

We do a lot of junk modeling in Reception, and need a regular supply of materials. If you have any empty packets or tubes you could bring in we would be very grateful.