



Hill Mead Primary School

Reception

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Term 6 2010

Welcome back. We are looking forward to the warmer weather so we are able to use the outside area more.

What will my child be learning this term?

Reminders

Summer's here!
Boys may wear short grey trousers and girls may wear summer dresses. When the weather is hot, it is advisable for children to have a cap or hat to wear outside.

Home reading
Books are only changed on Fridays. Please keep the book at home during the week and read as many times as possible.

**Reception Sports Day
Friday 18th June 2010**

**PARENTS/CARERS
WELCOME!**

Film-making

Our animation project has now finished. The children have worked very hard and have made a fantastic film.

Their film of the story 'The Surprise Party' will be screened at the Ritzy Cinema.

We invite all parents, carers and friends to the premiere of our film:

DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED!

<p>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</p>	<p>Growing flowers And vegetable from seeds.</p> <p>Observing living things</p> <p>Minibeasts</p>	<p>The children will be planting seeds and looking after their plants as they grow. They will be observing minibeasts and learning how to have care and respect for living things.</p> <p>The children will be tasting different foods, expressing their preferences and talking about their experiences around food at home.</p>
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p>	<p>Information books about gardening, plants and animals.</p> <p>Stories:</p> <p>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</p> <p>Oliver's Vegetables</p>	<p>Children will be writing for different purposes.</p> <p>They will be making record books about how they planted their seeds and how they grow. They will be recording which minibeasts they find and what facts they find out about them.</p> <p>We are setting up a Medical Centre in the class to encourage imaginative play. The children will be writing doctor's notes and prescriptions.</p>
<p>Problem Solving, Reasoning and Numeracy</p>	<p>Calculating and solving number problems</p> <p>Shapes</p>	<p>Children will be continuing work on solving number problems involving adding and taking away.</p> <p>The children will also be revisiting work on flat shapes (circles, squares, rectangles and triangles) and solid shapes (cubes, cuboids, spheres and cylinders).</p> <p>You can help your child by looking for and identifying shapes in the home and when you are outside.</p>

If you have any questions or concerns about your child, please let us know.

Thank you

Ms Reid, Ms Bourke, Ms Djemali and Ms Watson