

Fernwood Primary & Nursery School Curriculum Newsletter Summer Term

Dear Families,

We hope you have had a lovely Easter break. We would now like to share with you a brief guide to the Summer terms curriculum. The Summer term is always a busy, exciting one and this year does not disappoint! We will have our play to practice and perform to you, sports days, the year 2 sleepover and the Fernwood Festival!

Dates for your Diary:

- Friday 26th April—Green Day
- Thursday 23rd May— Wellbeing Afternoon
- Bank Holidays—Monday 6th May
- INSET days: Friday 24th May, Friday 5th July
- wc 3rd June—History walk around Wollaton.
- Week commencing 24th June—Big Arts Week.
- Friday 28th June—Whole School picnic lunch.
- Wednesday 3rd July—Transition morning
- Open Evening—Thursday 4th July
- Thursday 4th July Year 2 Sports Day.
- Friday 12th July Sleepover— for Penguins, Dolphins and Turtles
- Monday 15th July Whales and Turtles Year 2 Play, 2.15pm
- Tuesday 16th July Dolphins, Seals and Penguins Year 2 Play, 2.15pm
- Friday 19th July Sleepover for Seals and Whales
- Friday 19th July Fernwood Festival









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Reminders

Please read with your child at least 4 times a week and record it in their Reading Record on the correct day.

Friday is spellings day. There will be a spelling test and new spellings will be given out.

PE kit: black shorts, white t-shirt, jogging bottoms and a warm jumper or hoody, plimsolls or trainers. PLEASE NAME YOUR CHILD'S CLOTHES and SHOES. We have a huge box of lost property! :(

If you have any messages for the class teacher, there is space in the Reading Record under 'Home School Communication' or you can contact us on Dojo.



English

We will be writing describing the Tin Forest, going on an adventure with Traction Man, writing non-fiction texts about our local area and writing a sequel to Gorilla.

Maths

This term we will be looking at the following areas: fractions, time, statistics and position and direction. Please practise telling the time at home as children do find this tricky.

History / Geography

The History of Wollaton will be our focus for History this term. We will be learning about the Willoughby family and comparing past and present in our local area.

Music/Art / DT

In Music we will be learning all the songs for the year 2 play 'Hoodwinked'. In Art we will be creating worry dolls. In DT we will be designing and sewing purses.



Science

Our topic is plants—we will focus on what they need to grow and stay healthy, making observations using scientific vocabulary, gathering and recording data to help answer questions.

Computing

In computing we are creating our own music using Chrome Music Lab and writing algorithms with Beebots We will also be programming our own quizzes!

French

We will be learning how to say how we feel. Ca va bien?

RE / RHSE

We will be continuing our learning on Judaism and Christianity. We will be looking at important leaders of faith and faith stories. In RHSE we will be focusing on healthy eating, fire safety and relationships.

PE Days	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Outdoor PE	Turtles	Dolphins	Whales	Seals	Penguins
Indoor PE	Seals	Whales	Penguins	Turtles	Dolphins