

Dates for your diary

Week beginning Monday 12th October 2020: World Week & Democracy Day

PE

Nursery PE day is .Wednesday for AM/ FT children and Thursday for PM/ FT children

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school on their timetabled PE days. It is advised your child keeps their kit in school throughout the week in case of any timetable changes. Children must have a full PE kit: a white t-shirt (long sleeved), black shorts or jogging bottoms, plimsolls or trainers. Make sure you label all items to prevent loss. PE will be held outside until further notice.

Spare Clothes

We know that children in Nursery are at different stages of toilet training.

We ask that all children come to school in pants (no nappies or pull-ups please). A set of spare clothes can be brought in and left on your child's peg in case of any accidents.

Nursery Autumn 1 Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the start of an exciting year at Southwold Primary School! We are excited to welcome our new families and welcome back everyone else.

Our Autumn 1 topic is 'All About Me'. This includes learning about our families, traditions and ourselves. Information about what your child will learn this half term is on the inside of this booklet.

Please support us to provide smooth transitions for all children by arriving at school on time at 9:25 AM. We also ask that you say goodbye to your child at the gate so as not to become overcrowded. This will help to ensure your child's safety.

Should you have any concerns or wish to discuss your child's progress, please feel free to arrange an appointment with us via the school office.

Best wishes,
Nursery team

Our topic this half term is Wonderful Me

Literacy

We will enjoy a range of stories and picture books.

We will retell familiar stories using props and puppets.

We will be singing and adding actions to nursery rhymes.

We will enjoy a range of mark making opportunities.



Understanding the World

We will be exploring different objects by looking, tasting, touching and smelling.

We will explore the outside area and notice detailed features.

We will be talking about our friends and families.

We will be using Bee-Bots and iPads.

Communication and Language

We will be learning to listen to stories.

We will be learning new words to talk about our favourite things.

We will be learning to understand simple instructions.

We will be learning to use simple sentences when talking.

Physical Development

We will be using a range of equipment to make marks.

We will practice holding our pencil with a tripod grip.

We will be using ribbon sticks, paintbrushes and chalk to make large scale movements.

We will be talking about ways we can keep our bodies healthy.

We will be playing moving and stopping games.

We will practice getting ourselves dressed, putting on our coats and taking our shoes and socks off for PE.

Expressive Art and Design

We will be experimenting with blocks, colour and materials.

We will describe the texture of things.

We will be experimenting different ways of painting.

We will be learning new songs and rhymes.
We will be learning instrument names and how to play them.

Mathematics

We will be learning to sing number rhymes.

We will be reciting numbers in order to 10.

We will be counting objects and actions.

We will be using the language of quantities e.g. 'more' and 'a lot'.

We will be making patterns with shapes.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be learning to follow class rules and routines.

We will be making our own choices during play.

We will be making friends with the other children in Robin Class.