



Hemyock Pre-School
Newsletter - Summer Term (1)
2018

This month's theme is
'In the Garden'

It is lovely to finally see signs of spring popping up everywhere and we are hoping that the brighter weather will lend itself to us doing more outdoor learning this term.

Our over-arching topic for the whole term is "Out and About". We will start with the familiar by looking at things "In the Garden". We have been looking closely at flowers and have had a visit from a local florist- JW Blooms.

The children have planted up some hanging baskets and are busy taking care of them. They have also planted a sunflower seed to take home and we are looking forward to hearing about how tall they grow!

We will be investigating what else lives in the garden- building on the children's curiosity about bugs, beetles and worms! We have some great books to share with the children around these themes and hope they will tell you all about them.



Mrs Alison Field
Pre-School Leader



Mrs Sarah Goodwill
Pre-School Class Teacher

Our Learning will include:

- Personal, Social and Emotional development - working collaboratively.**
- Developing communication and language skills**
 - asking and answering questions
 - observing closely and commenting.
- Thinking critically when problem solving - offering solutions.**
- Mathematical Thinking — developing a mathematical vocabulary around size and shape.**
- Physical Development - moving confidently in a variety of ways.**

Fees:

Invoices will be sent home next week and will require payment in full by 20th July 2018.

Funding:

Our claim for the Summer Term funding has been submitted to Devon County Council. Any over claims will be invoiced in July 2018.

Arrival times - 8:50, 11:30, 12:45

Please ensure your child arrives promptly at the beginning of each session as late arrivals interrupt our daily schedule and the children's learning.

Collection times - 11.30, 12.45, 15.15

If you are unable to collect your child at the given time please call ahead to alert us.

Summer Diary Dates:

18th June	Sports Day	9.30am
26th June	Parents Evening	4-6.30pm
27th June	Pedal and Push	9.30am
17th July	Summer Show	9.15am
20th July	Summer Trip	All day
24th July	Graduation Party	TBA

Safe-Guarding

In line with our safe-guarding policy we are unable to let a child go with someone who is unknown to us or for whom we have not had confirmation from the parent/carer.

Please remember to inform us if your child is being collected by someone other than yourself.