

# TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2019



## Sand Play

Take a look at a snapshot of our play from Friday

<https://bit.ly/2mr3T5W>

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SAFE, RESPECTFUL & READY

# Dear Parents and Carers,

## Well done to our new Reception Children

Today our new YR children, in Elm and Ash classes, started full-time. They are handling the transition really well and enjoying getting to know everyone else in their class.

## School Open Days

We have arranged a series of four Open Days for parents of children who are looking to start school next year to visit the school. If you know anyone who may be interested please let them know. The dates are:

- Tuesday 5th November 2019
- Thursday 7th November 2019
- Wednesday 13th November 2019
- Thursday 14th November 2019

On these days there will be tours of the school at 9:30am and 11:00am.

Parents can book a place by completing an [online form](#):

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSflnmbj9Lvi6mxMnI1EVkF5lmcYBwWaNzadD3Np7RKiKrfSiQ/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSflnmbj9Lvi6mxMnI1EVkF5lmcYBwWaNzadD3Np7RKiKrfSiQ/viewform?usp=sf_link)

## Harvest Celebration 9:15am on Wednesday

Please join us on Wednesday morning for our Harvest Celebration. We will be singing a few songs (some familiar, some new) and we will be meeting Rev Richard White, the new rector at St Michaels Church in Twerton.

Please bring along any food donations for Foodbank that you can spare.

**fruit juice, sponge puddings, tinned meat, tinned tomatoes, tinned vegetables, chocolate, pasta sauce, tinned rice pudding, drinking chocolate, teabags, coffee, instant mash, jam, baked beans, tinned custard, tinned fish**

## Nursery News

There are exciting times ahead for Mrs Arthur, who is beginning her Maternity Leave in a couple of week. Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October will be Mrs Arthur's last day in Owls Room (for a while).

We are very pleased to have secured a very experienced team, whom many of you may already know, to provide temporary cover for Mrs Arthur.

On **Monday** and **Tuesday** the Owls Room will be led by **Mrs Alison Underdown** and on **Wednesday, Thursday** and **Friday** it will be led by **Mrs Amy Skuse**.

**School Meals Menu** [click](#)

here=> <https://bit.ly/2BDhpIj>

This week we are on **Week 2** of the menu. Please encourage your child to eat a school dinner. They are **nutritious** and **free to all families**.

## LEAVES

The following children were awarded Leaves recently:



### Chestnut Class (Y1/Y2)

- **Ethan** – for some fantastic writing about his Mr Man character;
- **George** – for trying really hard at everything and following the rules.

### Oak Class (Y1/Y2)

- **Anneliese** – for creating a super opposite character in English;
- **Esme** – for always listening carefully on the carpet and during Thrive.

### Maple Class (Y2)

- **Beau** – for fantastic story sequencing;
- **Kaci-Mai** – for always trying her best at everything she does.

# Dates for the Diary

- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> - **Harvest Celebration with Rev Richard White** (9.15am)  
*Food donations for Food Bank are welcomed.*
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> **October** - **Year 1 Trip to Bath Literature Festival**  
"Show and Tell" by Rob Biddulph
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> - **Year 2 Trip to Bath Literature Festival**  
"Giraffe's Can't Dance" by Giles Andreae and Guy Parker-Rees
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> - **Sharing Assembly** (2:20pm)
- Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> - **Flu Immunisations**
- Friday 11<sup>th</sup> - **Poetry Assembly** (10:00am)
- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - **School Photographs - Portraits**
- Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> - **End of Term 1**
- Friday 25<sup>th</sup> - **INSET Day – School Closed**
- Monday 28<sup>th</sup> - *Holiday (1 week) – "Half-Term"*
- Monday 4<sup>th</sup> **November** - **Start of Term 2**
- Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> - **Open Day 1** – Tours at 9:30am and 11:00am
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> - **Open Day 2** – Tours at 9:30am and 11:00am
- Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> - **Open Day 3** – Tours at 9:30am and 11:00am
- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> - **Open Day 4** – Tours at 9:30am and 11:00am
- Friday 6<sup>th</sup> **December** - **Christmas Fayre**
- Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> - **Nativity Performance** (2:00pm)
- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> - **Nativity Performance** (9:15am)
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> - **End of Term 1** (1:15pm Collection)
- Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> - *Holiday (2 weeks) – "Christmas"*
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> **January** - **INSET Day – School Closed**
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> - **Start of Term 3**
- Friday 14<sup>th</sup> **February** - **End of Term 3**

The dates for the whole of the academic year are on the school website.

**Please do check these before you book any holiday.**

<http://www.twerton-infant-school.co.uk/cms3/drupal-6.24/?q=node/120>

You can send us an SMS message to: **07786 201170**

School telephone numbers: **(01225) 423526 & 314745**

**Please contact the school if your child is unwell and cannot attend school.**