



Robins Nursery School

Message from Heather



Hello

How was your half term break?

Did you have a fabulous time with your child?

Did you dive off on holiday, visiting theme parks or beaches?

Did you stay at home and enjoy some chill out time getting wild and woolly in our temperamental English weather?

Are you a beach and rock pool sort of family?

Do you prefer muddy country walks in the hills to tire out the children with woods to explore?

Did you go off to work each day dropping your child off on route to the delights of holiday clubs?

We are all so different and unique in our own special way and at Robins we embrace this individuality and know that it enriches life for us all.

Whatever you were up to I hope you enjoyed a break from the norm and are refreshed and ready for the Spring months.



Quick plea from your children's key workers.

Please complete the 'All About Me' section of the online Tapestry learning journals that we provide for your child. It is of great benefit for us to learn about your child from you, as no-one knows them as well as you do. It should only take a few moments.

Please let me know if you have any problems accessing, finding or using this journal.

If you have forgotten your password or PIN number, we do not have access to this but we can send you an email so you can reset this. Once the email has been requested you will have 24 hours to respond otherwise it will expire and need to be requested again.



We have been talking over the last half-term to the children about trips to the dentist and to the opticians. It is a good age for them to start to get used to the idea of making these visits so they understand that these are a natural part of life and nothing to be scared about. It is best to start these trips when they are young and there are no problems which helps remove any fears or anxieties they may have. Why not ask the professional if they can pop on the chair for a moment for a quick inspection after your own appointment?

STOP PRESS!!!!

It has been brought to my attention that the school terms are a bit out of sync this year due to a very late Easter date. This means that the Spring term is longer than usual. As the funding provided by the council only covers 38 weeks this means that we currently have an error in our summer term dates.

Our term will finish for funded hours on **14th July 2017**. Please make a note of this as it is one week earlier than originally stated.

Holiday weeks

I am happy to open for another week if there are enough children that would like to attend and parents happy to pay for this.

Our rates are £5 per hour and a child must attend for the morning session or all day.

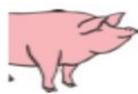
I am also happy to consider staying open for some of the long summer holidays but will need your feedback so that I can put these arrangements in place before the end of this term.

The best way to let me know about your choice would be to complete the survey by following the link below.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/VTPLVL6>

Alternatively, you can let me know in writing either by email, text or letter what your wishes are for these times.

Your child will be enjoying the exciting topic of farm animals over the next 7 weeks. Please take a peek at our Topic Plan in the parents' area to see how you can help support your gorgeous little one in their development of this subject area. There is lots to explore and I am sure they will thoroughly enjoy learning all about it.



Farm animals and Spring

Talk about your visits to farms and the farm animals you have met

Have you fed a baby lamb?



Meanwhile, please call me for a chat about your child, any concerns, or any advice you might like from an old timer like me. Being a parent is the most challenging and also the most rewarding job in the world and is best done with lots of support.

Talk soon

Heather

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