

# EYFS SUMMER 1 NEWSLETTER

## Where in the world is important to you?

APRIL 2024



### Welcome back .....

This term we will be exploring our locality and the places which are important to us. We will be learning how to care for our community and creating a 3D map of our local area.

Our church school value this term is **Thankfulness**. We will be spending time talking about those things we are thankful for and sharing these with the class. This links in well to our over arching question this term 'Where is important to you?'

The children will be doing Forest School and PE during the week but as we start to spend more time outside in our garden area you may wish to leave the children's forest school kit in school for the whole week.

Please could you ensure that children have named PE kits and Forest School kits. This does not need to be complicated or time consuming - a permanent marker on the inside labels works brilliantly!

As the weather starts to get better please could you ensure that your child has long lasting 8 hour suncream on every day as we are unable to apply it for them and they are likely to miss patches if they do it themselves.

### Important Dates:

16.04.24 Summer Term begins

22.05.24 Stay and Play at 2.30pm.

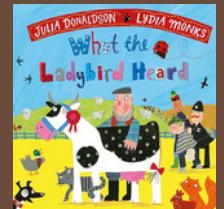
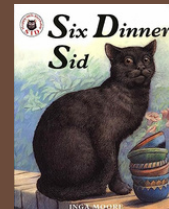
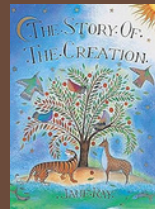
23.05.24 Children break up for Half Term

## Literacy

We will be exploring The Story of Creation at the start of the term to support our learning in Religious Education.

We will then move onto the text Six Dinner Sid which is a great story about a cheeky cat.

In weeks 4 and 5 we will be reading the wonderful story What the Ladybird Heard. At the end of the term we will be writing our own acrostic Spring poems.



## Maths

In maths this term we will be focussing on number. We will be comparing quantities of objects of different sizes and looking at ordinal numbers.

We will be looking at number bonds to 5 and then 10 and learning about the relationship between these numbers.

We will be doubling numbers and recognising doubles and non doubles.

## Understanding of the World,

## RE and Art

In Geography we will be reading maps and making observations of what we can see in maps.

In Religious Education we will be finding out about The Creation Story and finding out how God impacts the lives of Christians.

In Expressive Art and Design we will be constructing 3D maps through junk modelling. We will be learning skills to join different materials together.