



## KEMPSHOTT INFANT SCHOOL

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Newsletter 26  
18<sup>th</sup> April 2024

Dear Parents,

Welcome back everyone! We all hope you had a good Easter break. This term:-

Year 2's topic is 'All Around the World'. They will be learning about hot and cold countries, making bags for a journey and researching countries in other continents.

Year One's topic is 'Fabulous Forests'. They will be learning about different plants and trees, a variety of different wildlife and completing a seed investigation in Science. The children will be visiting Hillier's this term to consolidate their learning.

Year R's new topic is Bears. They will be exploring different bear stories and looking at bear habitats. In Science the children will be learning about growing and they will be planting flowers. They are very excited about their trip to Wellington Country Park!

### Year Group News

#### Year 2

This week Year 2 have been talking about their special places and have enjoyed sharing them with others. They have explained why they are special and have drawn pictures of them. In Maths the children have been learning to measure using cm and have been reading scales. The children have started to practise for sports day and had great fun running the relay race! In English, they have listened to the first part of the book they will be reading in lessons and have drawn an image to match it.

#### Year 1

It has been lovely to hear the children talking about what they have been up to over the Easter break. This week the children have started looking at the story 'Follow Me Little Fox', exploring the suffix 'ing' and writing a poem about nature. In Maths, the children have been adding two-digit numbers together. They used their observational skills to draw a flower and have labelled part of a plant. In RHEd they have been talking about the meaning of 'special'.

#### Year R

Wow what a busy week! The children have started their new topic all about bears. They had a wonderful time exploring in the woodlands looking for parts of a bear story and observing the beautiful bluebells. They found a broken chair and a bowl and spoon! Can you guess the story? In Art the children have been doing observational drawings of bears and in P.E they have started practicing their races for sports day!

- **Year R visit to Wellington Country Park and Year 1 Hilliers Arboretum - Reminder**

Please use the school money app or this link [SchoolMoney](#) to login in, give permission and pay for the visits. For more information please see the email sent on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024.

- **Picnic Lunch orders Year R Wellington Visit and Year 1 Hilliers Visit:** Please remember to complete the Google form (see letter dated 15th April) to pre-order your child's picnic lunch. If your child wishes to bring their own packed lunch please choose this as their preferred option.

*Please remember the deadline to pre-order your child's packed in is Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024.*

### Easter Challenge Reminder

Our Easter challenge this year was to take a photograph of the most unusual place you can read a book. Please remember to bring your pictures in to school by tomorrow, **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April**. Thank you!

### Class Photographs

The school photographer will be visiting our school on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April to take class photographs.  
**Year 2 – Please wear normal School uniform on this day (not P.E. Kits)**

### Tissue Box Appeal

With Hay Fever season arriving, we are running low on tissues at school and we would greatly appreciate any boxes that you are able to donate. Please send them in with your child. Thank you for your generosity!



### Year R, Year 1 & Year 2 After School Clubs

Clubs for children will start on Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April. Please look out for an email soon with information on how to book your child a place.

### SENDCo Surgeries

This term our SENDCo Surgeries will take place on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May** and **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June**. SENDCo surgeries are an opportunity for you to discuss any concerns you have about your child's progress, academically or socially/emotionally, with the SENDCo. If you would like to make an appointment, please drop Mrs Clarke an email at [s.clarke@kempshott-inf.hants.sch.uk](mailto:s.clarke@kempshott-inf.hants.sch.uk).

### Are you looking for a new challenge and interested in training to be a teacher?

St Mark's Primary School are holding a drop-in event on *Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April, 9am-1pm*. There will be member of South Farnham SCITT (<http://www.ssfscitt.org.uk>) available to answer any questions and talk through the options available. Please have a look through their information leaflet on our website [Kempshott Infant School Community News](#)

### Diary Dates

Please see the separate sheet for forthcoming events at school.  
 New dates will be highlighted in our weekly newsletter and can also be found on our website; [School Calendar](#)



Yours sincerely

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