# Summer Term Already!

It's hard to believe we've reached the children's final term in Nursery ....and we still have so much to do!

Here's a little taster of some of the things we have planned...

- On 12th May the Road Safety Advisor will be coming in to school to talk to the children
- This term The Friends of Broadwood will be organising a sponsored event.....we'll let you know more about it as soon as we have more details
- On 2nd June we're off to the farm...we've booked a big coach so you're all very welcome to come along with your chi
- This term your children will also get the opportunity to spend some time in Reception with their new teachers to help them prepare for September.

We'll give you more i for on about all of these every er to the dates.



### So....what will we be learning this term?

All about babies and change .... with all the lovely baby brothers and sisters that have arrived this year lots of the children have been interested in role play with babies...so we decided to explore this a little more!

As you know we've looked at the children as babies and how they've changed and we're now exploring other things which change. This will include things such as...

- \* Seasonal changes in the environment.
- \* Growing plants
- \* How other creatures grow and change...including invert ting tadpoles, caterpillars ar creatures (please keep th quiet...we don't want to spoil any surprises for the children!)

#### So...how could you help with this?

- Talk to your child when you're out about what they can see around them...what has changed (trees, flowers, weather etc.)
- Look at farm animals in books or on the internet...does your child know their names and what the baby animal is called?

## In Literacy we'll be learning...

- To hear individual sounds in words and link them together e.g. c-a-t makes cat.
- To begin to recognise familiar words including their name (if they don't already know it!)
- To write their own name and give meaning to other marks they make.
- More about books...including information books.

You could help by ....



- Playing games like I Spy
- Encouraging your child to draw and write and talking to them about what they have done.
- Reading lots of stories and encouraging your child to talk about the story with you....who are the characters?....what happened?...did they like the story?

## And in maths....

- About shapes...noticing and talking about shapes around them in their environment and using the names of simple 2D and 3D shapes.
- To understand and use other mathematical words related to position and size.

#### It would really help if you...



Could talk to your child when you're out about the shapes they can see around them such as the fact that house bricks are a rectangle shape etc.

# Have you seen our Blog Page?

Each week staff put information and photographs on our school website to let you see what your child has been doing in school or to celebrate something special such as an attendance award.

You can find Nursery's blog by going on to our website and clicking on to 'Nursery' on the blog list.

Or if you have a QR reader on your phone you can scan this code.





tographs of your children on there and we'd love you to comment on the stories and let us know what you think.

In fact there is a little bit of a completion running in school this term and Mr Morri-



Just a note to let you know our class library will continue to run on a Wednesday throughout this term.

You are welcome in to school from !!:30 until 11:45 to choose a book with your child to take home. If you haven't already used our library so far...why not come along...we have loads of lovey books to borrow.



