

Infant 4 Weekly Newsletter –Friday 22ND April 2022

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Our class moto: “Challenges hep our brain to grow stronger”



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**Welcome back to school and
another new term!**



Diary dates and reminders...

Lego Club starts again next Wednesday until 4pm.

- **Monday 2nd May** – May Day. School closed.
- **Thursday 5th May** – School closed. INSET day.
- **Friday 27th May** – Last day before half term.
- **Saturday 25th June** – Summer Fair 10-12.

PE will be held outside on Wednesdays as long as the weather permits. Please can children make sure they have trainers or pumps, a white PE top, navy or black shorts or leggings/joggers. Please can all items of clothing be labelled. We remind children to keep their own clothes in their place while getting changed but things can get mixed up!

Spanish: Days of the week

song <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C4fREj60Crk>

Home learning

During this half term, Y2 children will take part in end of key stage 1 SATS. This is nothing to worry about and we explain to the children that they are going to take part in some fun quizzes!

To support their school learning, the following would be very helpful to work on at home...

- **Reading daily** – This is the most important thing they can do at home. We want the children to be as fluent as possible so they can read texts confidently and answer questions.
- **Practise counting in 2s and 5s** as much as possible.
- **Practise recalling the answers to x10, x2 and x5 tables** – recalling by heart where possible.

Next week’s learning...

In **English**, we will be writing a description of Paddington Bear and comparing the new film to the original TV show. We will also be planning our own chapter!

In **maths**, we will revisit counting in 2s, 5s and 10s, as well as revisiting addition and subtraction.

In **geography**, we will begin to explore Australia and locate Alice Springs.

In **science**, we will go on our seasonal nature walk and collect signs of spring.

In **DT**, we will revisit bridges from around the world and begin to find a bridge design we could use in our town!