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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a lovely term we have had, with our animal topic. The children have really embraced learning about animals and habitat. The weather has not been kind, lets hope for some drier warmer spring days next term.

The children are really flourishing with the Early phonics and Read, Write Inc scheme throughout school and is a joy to hear of all their achievements.

The staff have continued to work extremely hard to ensure the children have every opportunity to explore and experience new activities.

I look forward to another exciting term in the run up to Easter.

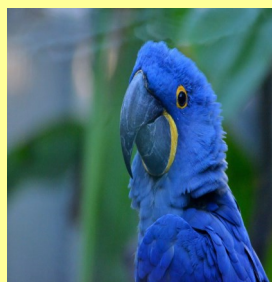
Best Wishes

Nikki



This term theme

Our learning
theme this term
is
animals around
the world



REMINDERS:

If your child is unwell,
you must call in or
message the team on
Class Dojo be-
fore 9am daily
to report any
absences.



Don't forget to label
clothing & per-
sonal items.



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Swimming is fun



This term, we have had happy children from Otters class and Woodpeckers class enjoying swimming sessions.



Otters and Woodpeckers will be continuing after half term. Classes for sessions in the summer term will be informed nearer the time.

Save the Dates

RED NOSE DAY

Friday 21st March 2025

We would like to celebrate that we have received £102.50 from Asda's Cashpot for Schools Scheme!



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Mental Health week



Last week, the children had great fun doing walking trips to the park and activities that were set for our Mental Health week.



TERM DATES 2024-2025

Term 3: Tues 7 Jan - Thu, 13 Feb 2025

Inset: Mon 6 Jan, Fri, 14 Feb 2025

Term 4: Mon 24 Feb - Thurs, 10 Apr 2025

Inset: Fri, 11 Apr 2025

Term 5; Mon 28 Apr - Fri, 23 May 2025

Bank Holiday: Mon, 5 May 2025

Term 6; Mon 2 June - Fri 18 July 2025

Inset: Mon, 21 Jul 2025

Congratulations



With joy and love we want to express our congratulations & well wishes to: **Sam**, (Rabbits) teacher, who welcomed her baby girl and **Zoe**, former LP (Otters) who welcomed her twins baby boy and girl.

Goodbyes

Happy maternity leave to **Saafa**, our LP in Otters, who is leaving by the end of this term to get ready to welcome her 1st baby.

And we are going to say goodbye and wishing good luck to our LP in Hedgehogs **Wing**, in her new job.

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Welcoming our new staff

Kayleigh

**Our new LP in
Otters Class**



Ali

**Our new teacher
in Rabbits class**



Sally

**Our new LP in
Badgers class**



Emily

**Our new LP in
Otter Class**



We would like to send our condolences to Jane and her family after the passing of Paul. We are all thinking of you and sending our love



Let us say "Hi" to our new midday supervisors

**Kelly
MDS in
Woodpeckers**



**Natalie
MDS in Rabbits**

