



Acorn Summer Term 1 Newsletter 2026

We have reached the last term in F1. The time it seems to have flown by! The EYFS Team are so very proud of how far the children have come since September, in all aspects of their learning, and particularly in the steps they have made to become more independent. During this term, we know the children will continue to progress in their independence and this is great preparation for when the time comes to either move to a new school or join our Reception class. Over the term, we will be helping children with the important transition. The children will be spending more time in Rowan Class over the term to help to familiarise them all with the surroundings. I will also keep you posted on providing a "PE kit" so they get used to changing in the school environment, this will be towards the end of this half term so more details to follow (it will be a change of clothes not the school PE kit so please don't buy anything especially for this.)

As we are hoping to be outside even more this term, it is essential that your child is ready for the weather. On hot days, they should always bring a hat and applying sun cream before they come to school is advisable. We would also request they have a coat at school for those unexpected rain showers. A light water proof will be fine for this purpose.

We would like to encourage you to inform us of anything that your child does at home that is significant in all aspects of their learning, particularly if it is something that they may not do at school. This may include progress in any clubs that they attend, something that they have learnt to do independently, visits to interesting places or any maths or literacy that they do independently at home. If you let us know about it via Tapestry we can use them to help inform our judgments. Summer 1 we are talking about hobbies and pastimes so please update me of any clubs they attend so we can talk about these and potentially show us some Tapestry videos or demonstrations in class

A huge thank you to all the kind people who have contributed by donating any resources to the class. It is very appreciated. If you wish to donate anything this half term we are hoping to do lots of gardening and planting so any compost or seeds would be very appreciated. We are also running very short on craft supplies like lolly pop sticks, pom poms, feathers, coloured card/paper, flour, salt and cream of tartar.

If there is anything you wish to discuss, or you have any questions or worries please do not hesitate to come in and talk to us. Many thanks,

The Foundation Team

