

Telford Infant School

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Dear Parents and Carers

We hope you had a lovely half term break as usual, we have a busy half term ahead of us with lots of exciting learning opportunities for the children. Our topic this half term is 'The Natural World' and the children will be learning about a range of different animals including what they look like, where they live and what they eat. The table below shows which animals we are learning about each week.

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Domestic animals	Large mammals	Small mammals	Reptiles & Amphibians	Primates Range of	Birds Emu,
Cats, dogs, fish, hamster, rabbit	Lion, rhino, leopard, zebra, giraffe, camels	Pigs, ponies, sheep, goats, giant anteater, wallaby, red panda, porcupine, sloth, otter	Stimulus of an egg Selfish crocodile Crocodiles, frogs, snake, tortoise	monkeys, lemurs, gorilla	ostrich, vulture, owls, parrots, penguin, stork, flamingo, cranes

If you have any information about the animals that your child would like to share with their class then please send it in (named) or pop it on tapestry. Our topic will be complimented by the whole school trip to the Cotswold Wildlife Park and a visit from the animal man. An attached overview provides more detail about what the children will be learning across the different areas of the reception curriculum.

Key dates coming up

Reception weight and height – Wednesday 9th March

Red Nose Day - Friday 18th March - further information to follow

PTA Mother's Day present room - Friday 25th March - further information to follow

Cotswold Wildlife Park trip - Monday 28th March - please refer to the letter sent out before half

Celebration of learning – Friday 1st April – parents/carers will be invited into school to see their child's learning from science week - further information on timings to follow

Learning reviews via Teams –Monday 4th April and Wednesday 6th April – details on how to book a time slot will be sent out in due course

Easter celebrations - Thursday 7th April – the children will be visiting St Mary Magdalene's church with a Easter celebration lead by year 1 (please note this is for children only)

Across reception we are still gathering a lot of lost property that is not named. We would be very grateful if you could please check your child's uniform and belongings are all named including shoes.

Please continue to check tapestry for your child's learning and the memos section on how to support your child at home. Your continued support really makes a difference to the achievements of your child.

If you have any questions about this terms learning please do not hesitate to ask your child's class teacher or email admin2326@welearn365.com

Kind regards The Reception Team















