



Early Years

Summer Term 2021 Newsletter



Welcome back after the Easter break!



Welcome back everyone - hope you all had a lovely Easter break. We are now into the home stretch before the summer - how quickly the time has gone. It has been another disruptive year but hopefully things for the whole country are now beginning to improve!

Tapestry



Please remember to check the Tapestry account for your child regularly. Teachers will post observations and photos/videos of things your child has been doing. There will also be important messages and letters posted here as well as links to newsletters.

It is also a good communication tool between you and the class teacher and we are able to respond to queries and messages quickly via this platform.

If you are struggling to access your account please speak to your child's class teacher.

PE



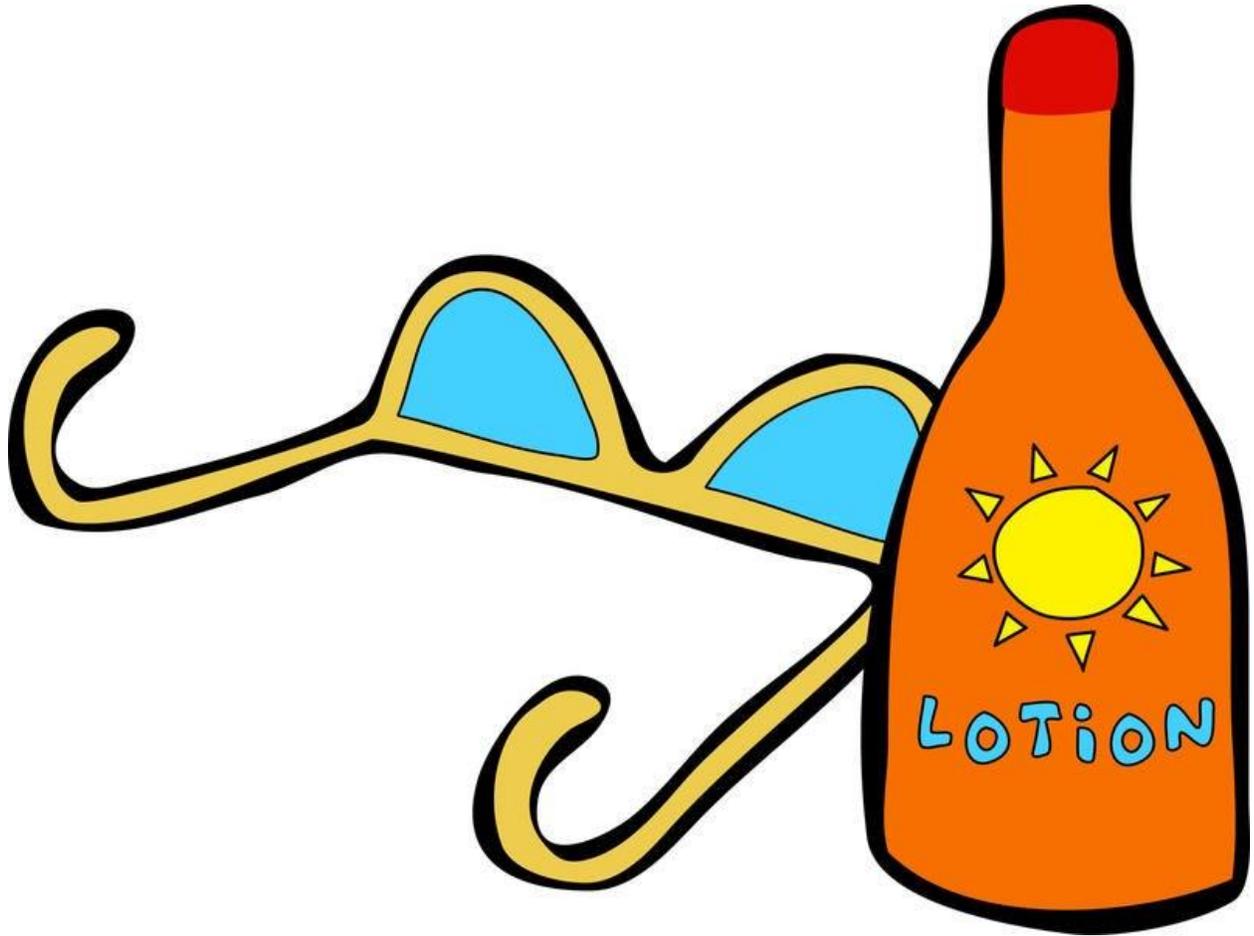
PE for Reception will be on a Thursday this term. Please send your child to school wearing their PE kit on a Thursday if they are in Mrs Bradley's or Mrs Caffery's class.

Reader in Residence



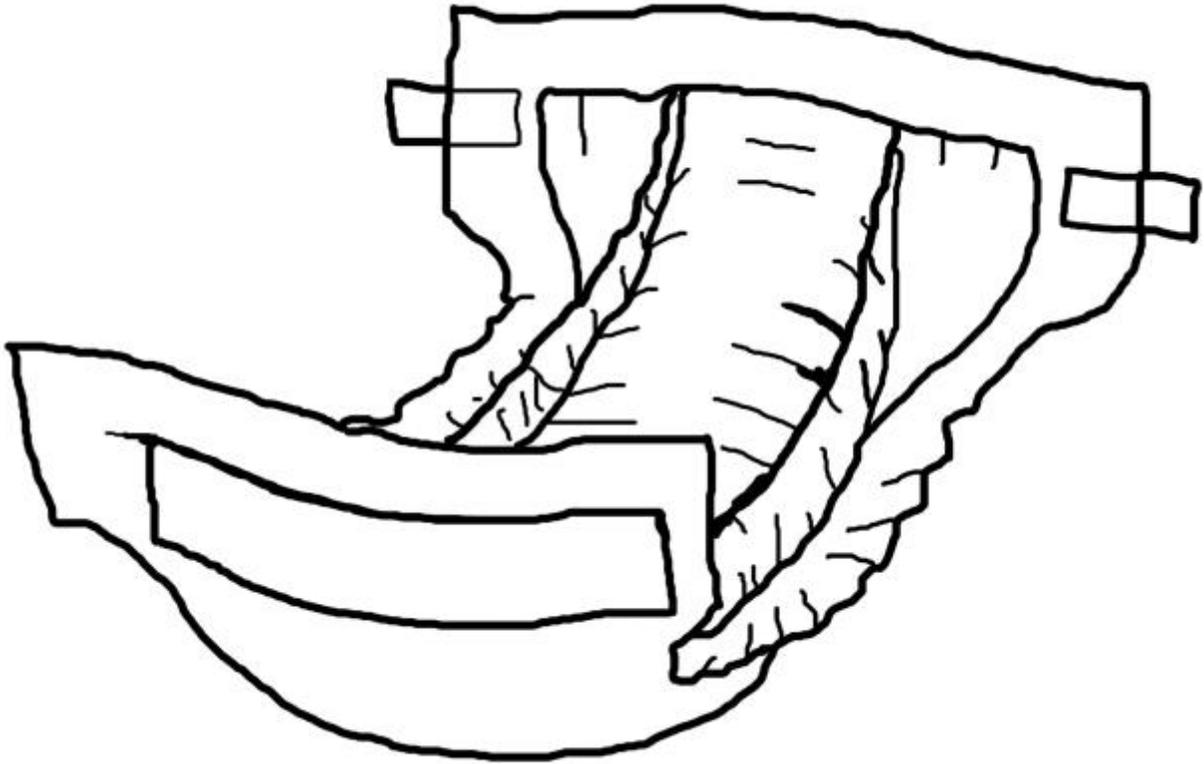
We are very lucky to have been selected to be part of the 'Reader in Residence' Programme that is being run by Seven Stories. Reception children will take part in a session with a member of staff from Seven Stories every Thursday. They will complete literacy activities linked to a story. Next year the new Reception cohort will also get the opportunity to take part in this initiative.

Suncream



Hopefully the sun will start shining more if we're lucky! Therefore please remember to put suncream on your child before they come to school in the morning.

Nappies and Spare Clothes



If your child uses nappies, please remember to supply nappies and wipes. Staff will let you know when supplies are running low for your child so they can be replenished.

If your child is toilet training - please send spare clothes in case of any accidents.

Book Bags and Reading



It is essential that children come to school with their book bag every day. Children may be called to read on any day of the week if they are in Reception class. Also, children will only be allowed to bring home pictures etc that they may have completed if they have a book bag to put them in.

It is vitally important that all children practise their reading every night. Children have missed a lot of school and we are working really hard to make sure the children are working at a level expected for their age but your support with reading is really important and greatly appreciated.