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Dear Parents/Carers

It is an exciting half term for the children in Early Years and we have a few dates in addition to the whole school dates coming up we would like to share with you.

People Who Help Us

This half term we are learning about people who help us and how we can help the world. We would like to invite any of you into school who have a job linked to our topic such as police officers, post deliverers, dentists, doctors, librarians etc to share with us part of your role this will help us learn and understand the importance and significance of these roles.

We would like this to take place week commencing **Monday 20th June at** drop off or pick up times (9am or 2.50pm for about 10-15mins) if you are interested and available please let your child's class teacher know by Wednesday 15th June on the door or via Tapestry and we will set up a day and time.

Circus Skills

Roll up, roll up, next week our Early Years children are in for a bit of fun with our Circus Workshop! We are going to explore balance, rhythm, timing, hand eye co-ordination whilst developing confidence, dexterity and performance skills.

Our circus entertainer will visit school on **Tuesday 14th June for Class 1 and Nursery 1** and again on **Thursday 16th June for Class 2 and Nursery 2**. We can't wait. The children will attend school normally in their school uniform. Look out for photos on Tapestry!

Reception Class Assemblies

Our Reception Class assemblies are coming up too. For our class assemblies we would love you to be our audience. We are inviting two grown-ups per child to come and watch in our school hall. Our assemblies start at 2.50pm in the top hall.

Class 2 – Monday 4th July

Class 1 – Tuesday 5th July

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Reception Forest School Day

As you will remember Reception children visited Seven Stories as our trip this year, but we feel that this was such a long time ago we would like another day out of the classroom to maximise our learning opportunities. Therefore, we have planned a whole day up at our very own Forest School!

Class 1 Monday 11th July.

Class 2 Tuesday 12th July.

The Reception children will go to Forest School after registration and stay up there all day long, even having our own picnic style lunch on the grass. We will join in Forest School activities where we will learn more about our environment, looking after the environment and minibeasts. For this the children will need to attend school in their normal school uniform, but with additional appropriate clothing such as a rain coat and wellies or sunhat and sun cream depending on our lovely English weather. Children on school meals will be given a school packed lunch. Those children who bring their own packed lunch should bring this as normal.

If you are concerned about allergies or dietary requirements of the school packed lunch, please come and speak with myself or your child's class teacher.

Sports Day

The last date for your diary is our sports day. You will receive further information about Sports day, however **Reception's Sports Day is Thursday 14th July at 1.30pm.**

Tapestry

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to say that we will be ending your child's Tapestry journey on **1st July**. This means that there will be no more school communication through Tapestry and you will not be able to upload anything. During the 2 weeks following the 1st July, you will be sent a download link to the email account registered with Tapestry enabling you to download your child's Tapestry journey and then your child's account will become inactivate for a year before being deleted. Any problems or issues after the 1st July please contact the school office who will be able to pass your message on.

Thank you

Kind regards.

Mrs Nelson and The Early Years Team

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