

KIRTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

TERM 6 NEWSLETTER 2021



Nursery

June 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to term 6. I hope that you all had an enjoyable break.

Our Theme

Our theme this term is 'The Sea'. We will be exploring different vehicles used in water, pirates, the seaside, our own experiences and the creatures which live in the sea.

In phonics, we will be consolidating our knowledge of s, a, t, p, i and n, as well as the letters in our names. During literacy sessions, we will continue to identify rhyming words.

In maths, we will continue to increase our fluency in counting up to ten, and will introduce mathematical language such as 'add' and 'take away'. We will also be developing our understanding of repeating patterns.

Reminders

Please ensure that all your child's belongings are clearly named.

We have started PE sessions twice a week. All children require a PE kit which needs to be left at Nursery. Thank you to those of you who have already provided this. We have been practising hard.

Please continue to share books with your child, read and reread stories. Talk about the characters and storyline, link/compare what has happened to events in your life, come up with alternate endings or what might happen next. Books are changed once a week, either on Tuesday or Wednesday.

Warmer weather

As the weather is getting warmer, children will begin to bring hats into school. Please ensure that these are clearly named. Sun cream should be applied at home before coming to school.

Important Dates

30.6.21 New Reception Intake Evening 5pm

5.7.21 Nursery Sports Day (morning and afternoon sessions)

22.7.21 Last day of Term 6

1.9.21 First day of Term 1

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT YOUR CHILD'S LEARNING THIS TERM:

Key things that parents can do to support their child this term related to things they will be learning about:

- Talk to your child as much as possible, correcting them if they mispronounce a word and extending their vocabulary by using a range of words with the same meaning.
- Use letter sounds rather than names when referring to letters and emphasise the initial sound of keywords by repeating it twice before the word – 'K K Kirton'.



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- Try to count as often as possible with your child – count how many steps you take, how many items of clothing they are wearing. Talk about amounts using the language of more and less.
- Encourage your child to notice and recognise numbers and letters in the environment.
- Point out rhyming words in conversation or when sharing books.

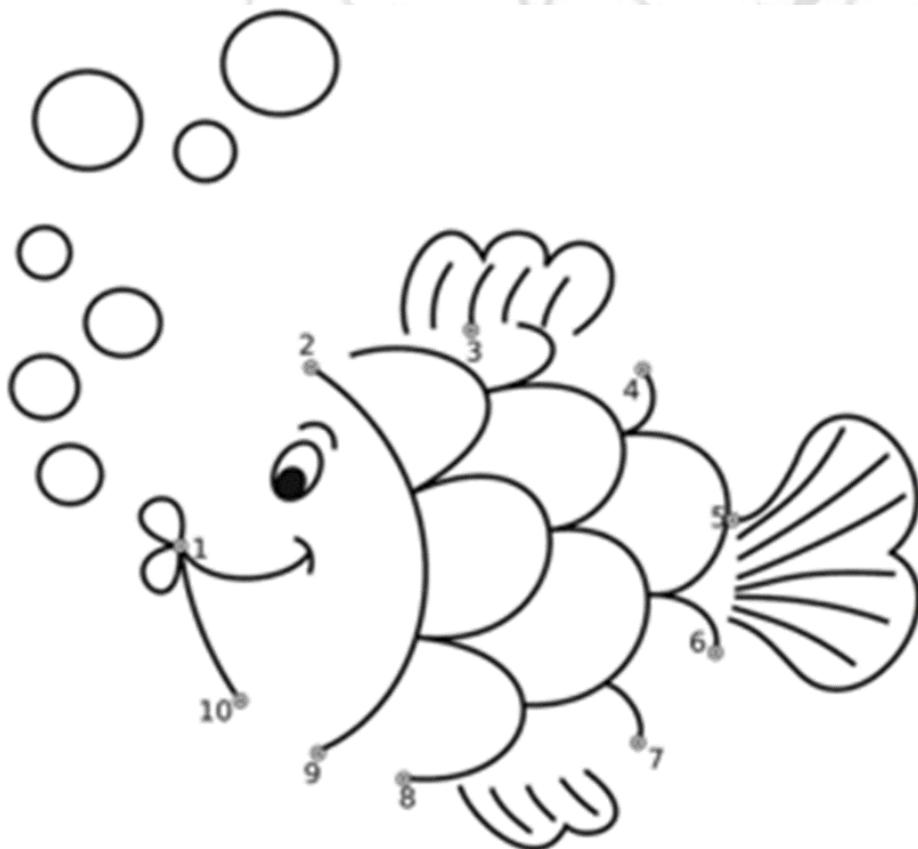
Yours sincerely

Mrs Rennie
Nursery Teacher

Activities

Dot to Dot

Have a go at completing the dot to dot below. You can use the number line below to help. When you have finished, add colour to the picture. Remember to use your 'pinchy' fingers to hold your pen.





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Repeating Patterns

Try making some repeating patterns at home. You could use toys, food, playdough or many other items found inside your house or things you could collect from outside.





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Ss. Objects

Look at the picture. Can you find the things that start with the sound /s/?



sandcastle

seagull

sunglasses

sand

spade

sandwich

spots

stripes

starfish

swimming costume

straw

sea