



HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
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Places To Play



**Year 1
Summer Term 1 2014**

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Places to Play!

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities, including:

- **Creating an interactive Places to Play area in the classroom.**
- **Planning and designing our own park equipment.**
- **Visiting lots of local parks and comparing the facilities.**
- **Collecting information and presenting it in a variety of ways.**
- **Finding out about the features of the seaside.**
- **Interviewing older members of the community about the places where they played.**
- **Going to the seaside for a day in Summer Term 2!**

**Your child needs your help and involvement!
Please get involved by:**

- ☐ **Take your child to the library & get non-fiction books about parks and the seaside.**
- ☐ **Look at maps of the local area and identify play areas in the town.**
- ☐ **Visit different parks over the weekends and discuss the similarities and differences. Take photos for a class display!**
- ☐ **Volunteer to come and help out on our visit to the park.**
- ☐ **Volunteer to come to the seaside for the day!**
- ☐ **Participate in our parent/carers workshop.**

What does your child know about Places to Play?

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate ‘mini-topics’.

This half-term, your child will be learning about ‘Religious Stories’.

Values Education

The children have really enjoyed learning about the values of politeness and kindness. In March we will be exploring the value of ‘Thoughtfulness’ so we are very much looking forward to hearing about how polite, kind and thoughtful your children are being at home!

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis.

Homework flyers will be sent out on a Friday with a homework task that you can complete with your child in their learning log. This learning log needs to be returned every Wednesday to be shared with the rest of the class. Please see inside of learning logs for more instructions.

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Tree House After School Club	Every day 3.15 – 6.15pm
Skills 7 Football	Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm
Family Learning	Mondays 9.00 – 10.00am
Credit Union – Dining Room	Tuesdays 3.15pm
Lower Building Games Library & Shared Reading	Fridays 8.50 – 9.10am
Family Lives Coffee Morning Lower Building Family Room All parents/carers & babies/toddlers welcome	Every Thursday morning 8.30 – 11.00am

Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 22nd April	Start of Summer Term
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday Monday
Monday 26th to Friday 30th May	Half Term