

**Starlings Summer Newsletter**

**Spring Topic: Teddy Bears Picnic**

This term our topic is ‘Perfect Picnic Fun’. The nest has got lots of exciting activities planned such as a multi-sensory story, sensory cookery sessions, dance sessions, ponies, swimming sessions, art activities and lots of picnics at different venues!

**Home / School Communication**

We aim to report to you daily in their home / school diary and give you some information about what your child has been up to that day and any other relevant information. We may also include important letters and photographs from recent activities in the home / school diary. Please feel free to write anything that you feel would help us to further support your child at school or would be useful for us to know. Please also see the class website to view photos of us busy at work.

**Class Fund**

We like to ask for a voluntary contribution of £1 a week to make it possible for us to buy cookery ingredients, sensory play materials and resources for class sessions and activities. Please can you send in the £1 every Monday or for the whole term if preferred.

**Coffee Morning**

Parent coffee morning is every Wednesday from 9-10.30 in the meeting room. This is a great opportunity for you to meet other parents and chat to Sue our parent support advisor.

Hello parents and carers - welcome to back to school, we hope you and your child have had a lovely Easter break and are ready for the new term and topic!

We have lots of learning opportunities throughout the school this term including Soft Play, using the Sensory Room, Swimming, the Swings, Forest School, Yoga and Ponies. Please can you continue to provide appropriate swim wear for your child every Thursday morning

*Please pack some spare clothes for your child in their bag!*

*If you have any questions or want to get in touch about anything, please don’t hesitate to contact the team either via the school number (0161 359 5322) or through our emails on* [h.smith@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:h.smith@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk), [k.rankine@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:k.rankine@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk) or [f.mill@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk](mailto:f.mill@ashgate.manchester.sch.uk)