

# Skylarks Newsletter

## Skylarks Staff

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## PE

We do PE on a Thursday and Friday. Although the children do not get changed, they do take off their shoes and socks. Please help your child become more independent by sending them to school with their Velcro fastening shoes and *not laces*.

## Snack

The children have snack together every day. They are encouraged to pour their own drinks and butter their own toast. You can help at home by encouraging this.

## Clubs we offer

Breakfast Club- running from 7.45am  
After-School Club: 3-6pm

## Parent Emails

You should be receiving our parent share observations. If you are not receiving these please let a member of staff know.

## Welcome back!

We hope you all enjoyed the Easter holidays. This term we will be talking about the seasonal changes in Spring and minibeasts. We will be sharing what we already know and learning new things to develop our knowledge. We will also be focussing on the children's interests. Our 'Talk 4 Writing' this term will be 'The Three Little Pigs'. We will also be sharing many other stories to develop your child's love for books and telling stories.

## Polite reminders

Please ensure **all your child's belongings are named**, including lunchboxes. It is very difficult for us to return lost property when items are not named.

Our morning session finishes at 11:45am, the afternoon session finishes at 2:45pm or 3:15pm, please ensure you are on time to collect your child, if you are late collecting your child you may be charged.

## WOW Moments

WOW moment slips are available from the 'At home I can' board. This is a way of telling us what fantastic things your child has been doing at home e.g. they can ride their bike, they can use the toilet independently, maybe you have been on a holiday or have some exciting news etc.... Please share with us anything you are proud of including pictures and photographs.

## Weather

We will use our outdoor space in all weathers. Please name **ALL** items of clothing, shoes, wellies etc where possible. We are supporting the children to become independent in dressing and undressing. At home, please encourage your child to put their own coat on/off independently. Now that the warmer weather is here, could parents please provide a sunhat and suncream.

## Self care

Children quite often have little accidents, please remember to put spare clothing in your child's bag.

## Home learning

You will find your child's home learning challenges on the reverse of this letter. Remember once your child has completed their challenges you can return it to Skylarks.