Weekend Words - Nursery

What have we been learning this week?

- In Funky Fingers this week the children drew pictures of their families. We used their photos from the home corner to help them to draw their picture. If you have not given us a family photo, please email one to nursery@buckinghampark.org.

-In Maths this week the children have been singing nursery rhymes. We've been focussing on number rhymes and using our fingers to represent numerals.

- In Literacy we drew pictures outside on the playground and then talked about what they were. The children practised writing some of the letters from their names too. If your child is unable to write the letters in their name, please do practise this at home. You can use flour to write in, pens, pencils or chalk outside.

-In our Physical session, the children visited the play equipment on the school site. We are working on climbing. Park trips are great for exercise but also for hand and eye co-ordination which is needed for many things!

-In Jigsaw, we continued our learning about Relationships. We talked about how we can assert ourselves if we are ever unhappy about something. We are encouraging the children to be able to try and solve disputes themselves.

Reminders

- Please do check that your child's bag has a complete set of spare clothes, a packet of baby wipes and a plastic bag to put wet clothes in. Bags should not have toys, sunscreen or snacks in them and all items are to be named clearly. Thank you.

- Sunflower update: feel free to keep sharing their progress, we are particularly interested to know how tall they are (and is a great maths exercise with your child) by emailing photos directly to nursery@buckinghampark.org. Thank you.

*****Lunch boxes: if your child brings a lunch bag or box to school, please ensure that it is named. Names are best on the front of their bag/box so that staff can identify them easily. All items including clothing brought into nursery should be clearly named. *****
Thank you

What are we looking forward to?

-Shortly we will begin to practise for Sports Day.

-We also have a visit from Ark Farm coming up in June.

We've enjoyed the weather being dry this week, please ensure sunscreen is applied before school and is long acting. We are unable to re-apply sun cream or have it in their bags.

For those that will start school in September 2026, please ensure that you accept your school place. If you wish to join a waiting list for another school you can still do so even if you accept your offer. If you don't accept the offer, the place will automatically be given to someone else on the waiting list. Any questions, please ask.

English

-This week we have begun a new Talk for Writing story, Jack and the Beanstalk. We pretended to call Jack and his mum on the phone and the children were asking suitable questions. Ask your child if they were able to think of a question.

-This week's story was Jasper's Beanstalk. See the PDF that you can share with your child: https://www.fairways.southend.sch.uk/_site/data/files/migrated/monday-18th-may/jaspers-beanstalk.pdf

-We've been to the library again today, books are due back in school ideally before the following Friday so that your child can change their book. New books are not issued until old ones are returned. Thank you.

-Neli (Language group for school starters) has begun again, this week the story was The Three Little Pigs, see attachment to accompany the story. You may wish to complete this with your child.