



### WEEKLY PARENT NEWSLETTER – Pre Nursery 16 June 2014

#### Messages

- Our end of year class party will be Tuesday, 24<sup>th</sup> June. 9.30 – 10.30. Parents are invited to this event. We hope to see you all there!
- The last day of school will be Thursday, 26<sup>th</sup> June.
- If you have plans to start your holiday before these date please kindly let us know
- The weather is really hot now and we do not want our little ones getting burnt in the sun. Please ensure you put sun cream on your child before school and send them with a cap or a visor. We are reminding them to drink plenty of water.
- We will be talking to the children about transition next week and exploring the Nursery areas, having a go on the climbing frame and meeting some of the current Nursery staff.
- Class Allocations 2014-15  
We are currently finalising class-teacher lists for the new school year and we plan to share these with parents early next week. If you have any questions or concerns about your child's placement, please contact Ms Meehan, Head of Primary by [n-meehan@bisspuxi.com](mailto:n-meehan@bisspuxi.com)

#### Learning theme of the week – Aliens love underpants



*When aliens fly down to earth,  
They don't come to meet YOU...  
They simply want your underpants-  
I'll bet you never knew!*

The children had a great time playing with the rockets in the classroom and making trips to the moon.

We will continue our outer space theme with a delightfully animated and engaging story in which the aliens feel that they do not have enough underpants in space and they therefore decide to come down to Earth to collect some additional pairs of underpants.

**Vocabulary:** spaceship, earth, pants, underpants, bloomers, long-johns, washing, washing line, peg

#### Understanding of the world

We will talk about the planets and the sun how some of the planets are hot and some are cold. We will look at other hot and cold things that we know. We will play with ice, make constructions from ice-cubes and make ice lollies

**Vocabulary:** hot, cold, warm, frozen, ice, ice cube

#### Expressive arts and design

We will use a wide variety of media to design our aliens. We will talk about the colour and the texture of the materials we are using.

**Vocabulary:** colour names, body parts, soft, hard, rough,

#### Expressive arts and design

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- Beginning to be interested in and describe the texture of things.
- Uses various construction materials.
- Respond creatively to various stimuli.

## **Mandarin**

We will continue our topic about spaceship and review some topics we learnt before.

### **Vocabulary:**

spaceship-fei chuan, alien-wai xing ren, earth-di qiu, moon-yue liang, star-xing xing.

## **Dutch**

Deze week zijn de Cito-toetsen afgenomen tijdens de lessen Nederlands, Tevens hebben we oud Hollandse liedjes gezongen en woordkaartjes geoefend.

Please let us know if you have any questions or comments.

Many thanks again.

**The Pre Nursery Team.**