

# Newsletter

14th June 2024



## Message from the Headteacher

Dear Taywood Families,

At the end of the term, Susan will be retiring after 37 years at Taywood Nursery School. Susan has spent many years caring for our babies, and more recently moved to Orchard. She will be missed by our staff team, as she is always committed and willing to help others. We wish her a long and happy retirement.



### Attendance Stars

Seedlings are our attendance winners again with 93% attendance. Please remember to contact the office if your child is ill.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Slater

Headteacher head@taywood.lancs.sch.uk

## Upcoming Dates

### July

- 12th July- Pre-School Sports Day
- 17th July- Pirate Day for all children and author visit for pre-school
- 18th July- Leavers Performance
- 19th July- School and Seedlings closes for summer

### September

- Tuesday 3rd September- School and Seedlings opens

## Extended Services

Claire is our Extended Services Co-Ordinator and can be contacted at c.farr@taywood.lancs.sch.uk

We loved our kitchen area this week and have enjoyed playing together playing 'families'. Our breakfast and after school club is getting a revamp over summer too.



## Reminders

**ONLY ONE ADULT TO ENTER SCHOOL AT OUR BUSY PERIODS PLEASE. THIS IS TO ENSURE CHILDREN ARE SAFE AT PICK-UP AND DROP-OFF.**  
**THANK YOU**



# Our Learning



## Seedlings

Our Seedlings children have been exploring their new maths resources this week, including stacking and shape toys.



## Orchard

We have been developing our fine motor skills by threading pasta to make African necklaces. We really had to concentrate to thread it on to the string!



## Willow

Our pre-school children took part in their PE skills session to help prepare them for Reception PE lessons. Your weekly £2 contribution is helping to fund this. Thank you to those who are continuing to donate.



# Nursery Messages



## Reports and Parent Meetings

You will receive an end of year report from your child's key person on Monday 8th July. You will then be able to book in for a meeting or phone call to discuss this report. We are also running Two Year Check meetings over the next few weeks, although these may also take place after September depending on your child's age.

## Reminder: Summer Term Events- Save the dates

Friday 12th July- Leavers Sports Day: 10:30am and 2:00pm. Parents welcome!

Wednesday 17th July- Pirate Day: All children will take part in our Pirate Day, including fancy dress and lots of activities. We have booked a storyteller for our pre-school children as an extra leavers treat.

Thursday 18th July- Leavers Performance: Our pre-school parents (those who have children starting school in September), are invited into nursery school to watch our end of year performance. Times and details to follow.

## Orchard

Unfortunately, Sarah is unwell and will be absent for two weeks. Orchard children are in safe hands with our core team of Debbie, Susan, Shannon, Anete and Vicky, with Claire running our Forest School sessions. We do have an additional member of staff supporting in Orchard in Sarah's absence. Any member of the team will be happy to help if you have any questions.

