

Dates for the diary...

Date	Event	Comments
Friday, 14 th February	Last day of term	February half term
Monday, 24 th February	Back to preschool	February half term
Tuesday, 10 th March	Fire Service Visit	During the morning session
Tuesday, 10 th March	Sleep Workshop (3pm until 5pm)	Details to follow
From 18 th - 27 th March	Parent Meetings	Keyperson will book times if required
Friday, 20 th March	Mother's Day Stay and Play	Details to follow
Friday, 27 th March	Last day of term - Easter Holidays	This date may differ from other schools
Tuesday 14 th April	Back to preschool	Easter holidays

Full list of terms dates for 2020 can be found on our website www.stmarysunder5spreschool.com

Please remember...

Lunchboxes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please ensure lunches are placed in appropriate lunchbox including ice packs please - no carrier bags please Please ensure grapes are cut in half to avoid choking hazard Due to peanut allergies please avoid including in lunch boxes Please provide healthy eating lunches as per our policy
Lateness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please ensure your child arrives on time for session as lateness can unsettle the child and interrupts the preschool routines
Phone/office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please note, there is not always a member of staff in the office, particularly at the beginning/end of session - therefore, please do leave a message as the answerphone will be listened to throughout the day

Preschool Termly Themes:- Maths/Literacy/Understanding the World

Lisa (Maths): we are settling in new starters and also linking maths with number puzzles/games, 3D shapes, sizes. Walk around estate to look for numbers/shapes, what's in the bag linking numbers songs/rhymes. Linking new starts with me and my family by bringing in pictures of family in.



Jane (Literacy): familiar stories and rhymes. Books to go home to share with parents. Mark-making tools. Letters in our environment. Linking speech and language; who, what, where, why and how questions. Character storytelling eg. 3 bears/3 pigs. Linking speech and communication literacy and maths. We are going on a bear hunt; linking action words, positional language - letter/word sounds.



Ashlee (Understanding the World): during this term we will explore different job roles. If you have a profession you would like to talk the children about please speak to your child's keyperson to book in a date. We will be looking at how plants grow and what happens if they do not have what they need to grow. We will be holding a stay and play for Mother's Day on 20th March. Further information on this to follow.

