

# Next Steps @ St Johns



Working together to build a firm foundation for learning and caring

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## This week at Nursery . . .









This week at Next Steps we have been talking all about holidays! The sun is shining and we have made the most of this by opening up the beach shop again, and pretending that we are on holiday.

The sensory room has been turned into a camp with a tent, chairs, and a mini barbeque. The children have been enjoying cooking for each other and sharing stories of their own camping adventures.

We have also enjoyed making our own s'mores, using a tea light as the fire and carefully toasting marshmallows on them. The children were taught about the importance of listening to instructions and keeping safe near the flame.

They did not need any help eating the s'mores though!!



### STAR OF THE WEEK



The Star of the Week was awarded for being a good role model and doing everything with a smile on her face.

























In the writing area, the children have been busy writing postcards from their holidays and have had fun posting them into the post box.

We have enjoyed different maths activities this week, including counting passengers onto a bus to match a number card and taking a trip down to the school car park to count all the different coloured cars and vehicles on the road.



















#### Parent's Evening

We will be hosting parents evening on **Friday 24th May**. Booking slots will be available online soon to book an appointment with your child's key worker.

#### Sunscreen

As the weather has finally started to become more like summer, please can we ask that you supply your child with a named sunscreen and a hat on hot days. We have a small stock of Nivea factor 50 that we use. Please make sure staff are made aware of any allergies to sunscreen and provide an alternative for your child to use while at nursery.

#### School Half-Term

The nursery will be closed on Monday 27th May for the bank holiday and the half term is from Tuesday 28th - Friday 31st inclusive. If your child will not be at nursery please let us know. Please note, the school kitchen will be closed on these days so a packed lunch will need to be provided for your child.

#### **Nursery Closure Dates**

Please note the following dates when the nursery will be closed:

Monday 27th May: Bank Holiday

<u>Summer Closure:</u> 5th August - 16th August inclusive. Nursery will re-open on Monday 19th August.

26th August: Bank Holiday