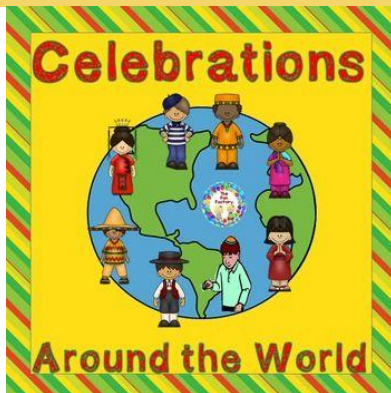


# Tywardreath Pre-School Playgroup

July 2021 Summer Term News (3)

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## Important Dates

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July – Last day of pre-school.**

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1.00pm – 2.30pm whole group end of term party, Village Hall.**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 10.30am – 12 noon, School Risers sports day and graduation. Southpark Road field.**

**Families welcome. (Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September reserve date).**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Start of Autumn term.**



## **As the academic year ends....**

Please see important dates on the left!

We have had lots of our pre-school friends poorly with a virus. Thank you to all our families for keeping us updated with your child's health news. Six children and one staff member with virus symptoms took PCR Covid tests and all results were negative. Hopefully the virus will slow down now and we will see better health for the end of term.

All our Covid procedures remain in place, including the requirement for adults dropping or collecting children at the door to wear a face mask please (unless exempt). Full details of our Covid procedures can be found on our website

[www.tywplaygroup.co.uk/documents](http://www.tywplaygroup.co.uk/documents)

## **July Topic Themes & Intentions**

Our July focus is 'Celebrations from around the World', so the whole month is like a multicultural party! Last year we explored Holi, Dia De Los Muertos, Rio Carnival and Independence Day. I wonder where our celebrations will take us this year?

## **Parents as Partners**

How can you extend your child's learning at home?

**Independence and responsibility** – Encourage your child to tidy up after themselves. Ask your child to help with basic chores, putting washing in the machine, counting out knives and forks, using a dustpan and brush. All great for family community, co-ordination and supports school readiness!

## **July Maths Focus – Supporting Number**

Numbers can be incorporated into many different everyday activities. Target - Recite numbers past 5. How to Support - Regularly say the counting sequence, in a variety of playful contexts, inside and outdoors, forwards and backwards, sometimes going to high numbers. For example: hide and seek, rocket-launch countdowns. Number songs are great fun.

**Please get in touch with any questions or feedback.**

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