



# Cornbank Primary School

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to be their best now and in the future

## ELC Term 3 Newsletter

Hope you all had a wonderful Spring break. We have an exciting term ahead beginning our transition programme and seeing our pre-school learners off to school.

### Our Learning

This term we have been discussing and learning about Spring. We have taken an interest in spring planting and, in the process, have learned about what a plant needs to grow. Many of the children visited farms over the Easter break. They were keen to share their home links with us and tell us about all the different baby animals they had seen. Some of them have even been feeding lambs, goats and calves,

We have recently developed an interest in lifecycles. We are currently learning about the lifecycle of a frog. After singing 'Five speckled frogs', this led on to another learner sharing that they had some tadpoles at home.

Our ELC caterpillars have just arrived and so we have started looking at the lifecycle of a butterfly too.

We are about to begin our Pre-School Transition programme for Pre-School learners. More information about the planned experiences and learning will follow.

### Tissues and Wipes

We kindly request that, if you can, families donate one box of tissues per term.

If your child is toilet training or in nappies we ask that you supply nappies, wipes and nappy sacks please. Thanks

### Stay and Play & Wellbeing Meetings

Thank you so much to everyone who came to Stay and Play last week and this. It was lovely sharing your child's learning with you and the children were so excited to have their parents in to play with them.

### Dates For the Diary

Transition begins: 1<sup>st</sup> May 2023 (Pre School Learners only)

Sports Day: 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023 @2pm

Fun Day: 19<sup>th</sup> June - am

Graduation: 19<sup>th</sup> June - 3:30pm (Pre School Learners only)

More Info will follow shortly.

### Linking Our Learning

We hope you enjoyed looking through your child's learning journal with them. We really appreciate your feedback on the journals and your child's learning priorities for the term. New learning priorities are in the process of being set and we will send a copy home for you over the next couple of weeks. If your child does any work on these at home please do let us know.

### Comments & Feedback

Please remember we always welcome comments on what we do well and any areas for improvement. These can be hand written and popped in our feedback boxes in the entrance foyer, twitter messaged or emailed to the school [cornbank\\_PS@midlothian.gov.uk](mailto:cornbank_PS@midlothian.gov.uk)