

NURSERY NEWSLETTER

Spring Term Curriculum

Our topic this half term is Pirates. This topic will offer a range of fun opportunities including developing our writing by making treasure maps and sending messages in bottles. The Nursery class will enjoy playing with our new role play areas, inside we will have a pirate café and outdoors we will have a pirate ship.

During the second half of the Spring Term, the children will be learning about transport and travel. We will look at the different types of travel such as land transport, air travel, boats and space travel.

The scope of learning will cover the seven areas of development in the Foundation Stage. In addition to the above topics, we will continue to develop our understanding of the changing seasons.

Every day the children experience carefully planned activities that inspire them to learn through play. The Nursery team work hard to ensure that we provide resources that follow the children's interests so that they are highly motivated to explore and learn.

For the children working from home we cannot wait to see all your hard work in your home learning books or any pictures via email.

Reminders

- Please provide your child with a water bottle every day. Unfortunately, fruit cordial or flavoured water is not allowed.
- A change of clothes is needed in the event of an accident; please ensure that they are clearly labelled.
- Please check all garments (particularly cardigans and jumpers) are marked with your child's name.
- Please dress your child in loose clothing that is easier for them to manage i.e. track suit bottoms or leggings for when they need to use the toilet.
- Please ensure that your child brings their book bag every day so that we can put their pictures and school letters in it.
- Children take home a sharing book on Tuesday and Friday. Please read this to your child and write a comment in their reading record.
- The children are not allowed to bring toys from home to Nursery unless asked to do so.

Thank you for dropping off and collecting your child punctually, as this makes such a difference for a smooth start to the day. We would just like to remind you that the Nursery gate opens at 8.45am/12.30pm and we aim to start the session as soon as possible.

The gate is open until 8.55am/12.40pm to give your child time to settle in and for you to fill the staff in on anything that we need to know. Please aim to arrive at 8.45am/12.30pm.