



NURSERY LETTER

AUTUMN 2018

Welcome to our first Nursery Curriculum Newsletter.

A very special welcome to our new Parents and Carers.

You will receive a newsletter each term, highlighting the learning that we will cover in each of our curriculum areas plus any other key information.

We are very pleased with how all the children have settled into Nursery; they are all happy, eager and very active!

We are excited to be moving away from 'Topic' based planning this year. In its place we will be planning directly from the children's interests and ideas; deepening the level of child-led learning to enhance all areas of the Early Years Curriculum. We are really looking forward to seeing where the children take us!

This half term, the focus will lie mainly upon the prime areas of learning: Personal Social and Emotional Development, Communication and Language and Physical Development.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will be getting to know one another and making new relationships as they settle into Nursery. We will be discussing how to resolve conflicts and talking to each other about our interests and strengths.

We will be talking about our School/Nursery rules and discussing how to keep these rules when we are learning and playing.



Communication and Language:

The children will be learning how to be a good listener in different situations including whole group and one to one interactions.

We will be encouraging the use of language to recreate roles and experiences in their play, providing the opportunity for children to practice listening to each other.

Nursery Staff

Mrs Westerby

Miss Haylett

Miss Howley

Mrs Sicurello

Mrs G





Physical Development

We will be discussing and demonstrating good practices regarding exercise, eating and sleeping as well as developing independence when managing dressing and toileting needs.

Please return your
home link books
every day.

Please name
everything!

Open Door Policy
for everyday
questions or
worries

Activity Afternoons

We would like Parents and Carers to be involved and feel included in their child's journey through Nursery. With this in mind, we would like to invite you into school to spend some time with your child. This will provide the opportunity for you to look at some of their past learning and activities, complete an activity together and share some stories.

We aim to give these dates with plenty of notice in order to provide working Parents/Carers the best opportunity to attend. If for any reason you are unable to attend, you are welcome to invite a relative or close family friend in your place. If the 'Join Us' afternoon takes place during a session your child does not attend, you are of course welcome to come along together.

Our first 'Activity Afternoon' will take place on -

Wednesday 24th October - 2pm - 3pm

**If you have any concerns please do not hesitate
to contact your child's key adult.**

*Thank you for your continual support
The Nursery Team*