

Nursery Curriculum Letter Spring 2024

Friday 9th February 2024

Spring







Bear Cubs,

Fox Cubs,

Lion Cubs

We eventually managed to make our Gingerbread Men and they were super yummy! We also practised flipping pancakes so we will be super ready for pancake day next week!

Curriculum



As part of the whole school PE curriculum we are learning skills to help play tag rugby. In Nursery we will start this process by learning how to play Stuck in the Mud.

Literacy Communication and Language



We will read We're Going on a Bear Hunt and we will act out the story around the school grounds.

We will also practise making the letter shapes in our names using collage resources.

Phonics



We will think about syllables and initial sounds in some foods you might use to make a sandwich.



Maths



We will focus on careful one to one counting as we put the correct amount of natural objects in the Numicon holes.

Physical Development



Development of ongoing skills such as:

- Match their developing physical skills to tasks and activities in the setting. E.g. they decide whether to crawl, walk or run across a plank, depending on its length & width
- Skip, hop, stand on one leg & hold a pose for a game like musical statues
- Remember sequences and patterns of movements which are related to music and rhythm
- Be increasingly independent in meeting their own care needs e.g. brushing teeth, using the toilet, washing & drying their hands thoroughly
- Start to eat independently and learning how to use a knife & fork

Dates for the term



12th - 16th February - Half term

10th February - Lunar New Year

13th February - Shrove Tuesday

19th February - term starts

4th March - Book Week, including:

Tuesday 5th & Thursday 7th March

Nursery Reading Learning Together bookable sessions for one parent (sheets will be available nearer the time) 8.45 - 9.30 & 11 - 11.45am or 12.30 - 1.15 & 2.30 - 3.15pm Thursday 7th March - World Book Dress Up Day - Whole School

	Monday 11th & Tuesday 12th March - <u>Nursery walk to local shop</u> - details to follow Friday 15th March - Comic Relief - Children are welcome to wear Mufti (own clothes) and bring a donation for the Gift Box which will be donated to Comic Relief on your behalf 26th & 27th March - 3.20-3.40pm chance to visit your child's classroom 28th March - last day of term (times TBC)
Special Request	If you have any spare plant or vegetable seeds or seedlings, we would be grateful for any donations and would love to plant them in our Nursery garden.
Reminders Reminders!	Outdoor play equipment - please can you ask older siblings as well as your Nursery child/ren to not play with any garden equipment outside after school. Please keep checking jumpers and cardigans to make sure they are yours and the labels are still in place.

Learning at home

<u>Name writing</u> - please help your child to practise writing their name. You should all have a laminated name card to help, these can be used to trace the name or copy the name but we are hoping to move most children onto writing their name from memory as soon as possible.

<u>Half term news</u> - below is a rota for the week back after half term. Please can the children talk about an activity they have done in the holiday, please feel free to send in photos to prompt them or notes for me to help them.



BUG CLUB: We have a new book to look at online.

Thank you, the Nursery Team Mrs Towner, Mrs Ludlam & Mrs Willmont

Show and Tell Rota

Tuesday 20 th February	Wednesday 21st February	Thursday 22 nd February	Friday 23 rd February	
Bella	Daisy	Ibrahim	Jesse	
Kethara	Mailagh	Shiv	Siena	
Teddy D	William	Amelia	Athira	
Deccy	Dexter	Ellis	Halima	
Isabella R	Rose	Kaniesh	Lenny	
Louie	Yousuf	Whistler	Teddy H	
Ava	Vinnie	Amy	Willow	
Charlie	Ellie	Kevin	Della-Rose	
Rayyan	Riley	Yasin	Isabella S	
Stephanie	Valentina	Hunter	Esme	

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