

Nursery Autumn Term

Welcome to Nursery! We are excited to share our learning for the Autumn term. Below is an overview of the exciting things that we will be exploring together and some ways you can support your child at home.

English

- Hello Friend!
- Ketchup on your Cornflakes?
- The Great Big Book of Families
- Ten Little Pumpkins
- Peppa's Diwali
- Dear Santa
- How to handle books
- Mark making

How you can help at home:

Read together daily and talk about characters and events

Maths

- Comparison- more than, fewer than and the same.
- Counting- hear, say and order number names.
- Space, shape and measure- exploring and building with shapes
- Pattern- exploring repeats.
- Subitising to 3

How you can help at home:

Count everyday objects and spot shapes around you.

Phonics

- Tuning into sounds
- Rhyme time
- Oral blending

How you can help at home:

Enjoy nursery rhymes and songs together to help your child hear patterns and sounds in words. Play listening and sound games such as spotting environmental sounds.

PSHE

- Confidence to talk to adults
- Setting rules and boundaries
- Making relationships
- Begin to express their feelings
- Naming basic feelings- happy, sad, angry and scared.

How you can help at home:

Build confidence to talk to adults by encouraging your child to greet familiar adults, answer simple questions and speak for themselves when appropriate.

Key Skills

- I can put on and take off my coat
- I can wash my hands
- I can take off and put on my shoes
- I can take off and put on my socks
- I can flush the toilet
- I say please and thank you
- I can use a fork and spoon
- I can recognise my name
- I can put my bag on my peg
- I can blow and wipe my nose
- I can pull clothes up and down on my own

These skills will be taught and revisited over the year. Please support by practising them at home.

Expressive Art and Design

- Singing familiar songs and nursery rhymes
- Experimenting with colour
- Exploring different materials
- Experimenting with movement

How you can help at home:

Sing nursery rhymes, action songs and favourite family songs together. Learn colour names together.

Physical Development

- Fundamental skills- PE
- Managing own toileting needs with support
- Use large-muscle movements
- Move in different ways
- Use large apparatus

How you can help at home:

Practise throwing and catching and encourage active play outdoors.

Communication and Language

- Talking to adult and peers
- Joining in with familiar songs and rhymes
- Action words
- Using talk in play

How you can help at home:

Engage in imaginary play- taking on different roles. Sing a variety of songs and rhymes.

Understanding the World

- All about me
- Celebrations
- Exploring nature

How you can help at home:

Look at old photos of when your child was a baby and discuss how they have changed.

Tapestry

Every week we will update you on the learning for the coming week and share more ideas of how you can support your child at home.

Reminders

Please send in a name change of clothes and a water bottle each day.

School Values: Autumn 1 - Respect
Autumn 2 - Community.