

Nursery Newsletter Aut 2 2023

Can you believe its already Autumn 2! We are so excited for another term of busy learning in Nursery! Below is some information about what we will be learning this term, as well as some important information and dates for the lead up to end of term.



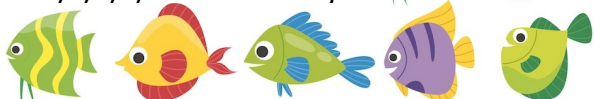
Topic

Our topic for this half term is A Taste of the World. We will be learning about different communities, events different people celebrate, and foods around the world. If you have a food or dish you would like to share with the children we would love it if you could bring these in to share! Please speak to Ruby or Tina if you are interested! As always we are a nut-free school and will be mindful of all allergies/dietary requirements.

Maths

This term we are focusing on counting carefully, ensuring we count one number for each object, we will be practising this with a range of exciting activities counting different things!

We will also be learning to count past 5 using some more counting songs, such as 1,2,3,4,5 Once I Caught A Fish Alive!



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Now we have settled into our new classroom we will be focusing on building our skills in making friendships. We will also be thinking about how important it is to look after our friends, our things and our community and practicing tidying up mess around us!



Physical Development

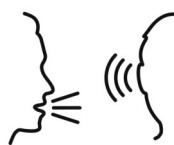
We are still enjoying using tyres, crates and balance beams to develop our gross motor skills outside, as the leaves fall and the floor gets slippery we are progressing our spatial awareness and skills in walking carefully on different surfaces!

We still love playdough and will be exploring with this all term as well as a range of different fine motor activities and crafts by painting, printing, cutting and sticking!



Communication and Language

We will be focusing on learning new vocabulary to match our experiences this term, this will involve trying new foods and learning about different celebrations! We will encourage the children to share their thoughts and opinions.



We will have lots of practice singing songs in preparation for our end of year performance!

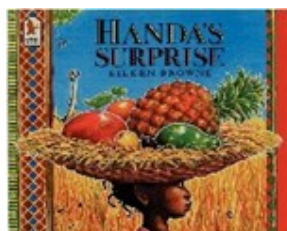
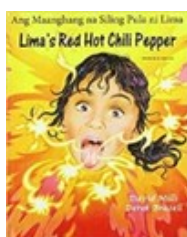
Literacy

We will enjoy lots more stories this term and continue to enjoy quality stories and nursery rhymes everyday! We are now growing our interest in reading and choosing books we know well to re-tell to our friends!

Mark making is an important introduction to forming letters and writing. We will continue to explore lots of different tools and resources to mark make and talk to an adult about the marks we have made! We are enjoying using large chalks to make large marks on the chalkboards!

Key texts

Our key texts this term are 'Lima's Red Hot Chilli', 'Handa's Surprise' and 'My World, Your World'. We will enjoy listening to these lots of times, participating in repeating phrases and playing the stories in our small world and role play areas!



Messages

- Please check the change of clothes sent in for you child are weather appropriate (children need full length bottoms and a spare jumper for the colder months).
- Alongside welly boots, we are happy to keep 'messy coats' in school if you would prefer your child to wear an old one when playing outside.
- This term our topic is 'A Taste of the World'. We would love the children to be able to try some different foods as part of this, if you have a food or dish you would like to share with the children we would love it if you could bring these in to share! Please speak to Ruby or Tina if you are interested, as always, we are a nut free school and will be mindful of all allergies with donations.
- Nursery and Little Stars Christmas performance will be on the **15th December at 9:10 am.**
- The Winter Fair will be on the **15th December.**
- The last day of term will be on the **20th December**, and we will have a **2pm finish** for all full time children (part time as usual).