

Welcome to Nursery!

We are so pleased to welcome you into Nursery. Your teachers this year will be Miss Kelly, Miss Stubbs and Miss Pszenyczniak. We are going to learn lots and, more importantly, have a fantastic time. In this newsletter, you'll find everything you'll need to know to have a successful Autumn term.



Things you'll need

Monday	Book bag, diary and reading book	Bag with spare clothes small, clearly labelled water bottle
Tuesday	Book bag, diary and reading book	Bag with spare clothes small, clearly labelled water bottle
Wednesday	Book bag, diary and reading book	Bag with spare clothes small, clearly labelled water bottle
Thursday	Book bag, diary and reading book	Bag with spare clothes small, clearly labelled water bottle
Friday	Book bag, diary and reading book	Wear own clothes to school. Wellies (that stay in school all year) suitable coat, waterproof pants, spare

Things you need to know

- We have fruit, milk and water each day.
- Children can bring their own **small, clearly labelled** water bottle each day.
- On your birthday you can wear your own clothes as a treat.
- On a Friday someone is picked to be the star of the week.
- You pay for all school-related activities on **Arbour**. You order your child's lunch on **School Grid**. You follow your child's learning journey on **Tapestry**.

Our learning in Autumn 1

- As the children start in the Nursery we will spend time developing the prime areas such as personal, social and emotional development. The children will take part in activities that develop their confidence and enable them to form friendships. We will also introduce the children to the class routines and rules, including the school Always Rules.
- In Literacy, we will be learning about Nursery Rhymes and All About Me! We will be singing "Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes", "Humpty Dumpty" and "When Goldilocks Went to the House of the Bears". We will be learning how to sing the rhymes using actions. We will be reading the stories *Happy to Be Me*, *Things I Like* and *Family*.
- Your child will be given their first reading book to practise at home. Please focus on using the pictures to retell the story. Talk about the beginning, middle and end of the book. Please note: this is a sharing book for enjoyment and not directly linked to your child's phonetic ability.
- In Maths, we will be learning how to recognise given colours and to sort and match objects by their colour. We will learn about size by looking at the story *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*.
- In Religion, we will be learning about the dignity of the human person, focusing on the people that love us. We will also be studying ourselves and the story of our creation.
- In Understanding the World, we will be learning about our body parts and the five senses. We will also be talking about our interests and hobbies. We will look at the people in our family and different types of families.
- In Art, we will be learning how to use different tools for crafting and how to put our ideas on paper.
- In Music, we will be learning traditional nursery rhymes and songs. We will experiment with instruments and have a singing assembly.



Dress to impress

We take great pride in our school and our uniform. Please make sure you're wearing your full school uniform at all times. School shoes must be all black and bows/accessories in hair must be blue, white or black. **Please write your child's name in all of their clothes.**

Dates for your diaries

School photograph day — 22.9.26

We use Tapestry to share key information and new learning throughout the year. When a post is uploaded you will receive an email notification.

