

## Nursery

# Class Newsletter Autumn 2

#### **Welcome and Special Announcements**

We hope that you all enjoyed your half term break, it has been wonderful to have everybody back in together and settling in fantastically! Everyone in Nursery has been busy making new friends, and we are now looking forward to an exciting half term and the build up to Christmas. As the weather begins to get colder, please remember that the children will still choose to spend a lot of time outside. Many learning opportunities take place outside in Nursery and therefore it is important that children have suitably warm outdoor clothing and footwear.

### Your Nursery Staff are:

Mrs Collins, Miss Wright, Miss Layton, Miss Berry, Mrs Jones, Miss Peterson and Miss Edwards.

#### Our Learning this term

#### **Phase 1 Phonics**

This term, we will continue to learn different nursery rhymes along with songs related to special celebrations.

We will also be listening to and identifying lots of different sounds in our environment.

#### **Mark Making**

This term, the children will be working towards developing a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils. We will continue to support the children to develop increasing control when using one handed tools e.g. scissors

#### **OUR THEMES:**

#### **Celebrations**

#### **All About Me**

- Parts of the body
- Families
- Homes
- Favourite things
- Colours
- Homes
- Relationships
- Special occasions

#### Our special books:



#### **MATHS**

The children have learnt all about colours and sorting different sized and shaped objects and are now moving onto counting and recognising numbers 1-5. They are learning to recognise the number of objects there are without individually counting, we call this subitising.

#### OTHER LEARNING AND NEED TO KNOWS

Please support your child to be independent whilst using the toilet and whilst washing and drying their hands. This is important to be encouraged at home and at school to ensure they are progressing consistently.

#### **Key Information This Term**

We are working hard with the children so that they can put on their own coat and take it off independently. Please support this at home.

School closes for half term:
Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>
December
We return:
Monday 5<sup>th</sup>
January

#### **Polite Reminders**

Please make sure your child's coat, cardigans/jumpers have their names in.

For safety reasons, the only earrings permitted in school are studs. Hoops should not be worn. Necklaces of any description are not permitted.