



# Nursery

Autumn Term Newsletter 2022

Welcome! It has been great to meet and get to know the children over the past week. They are settling into Nursery well and have started making new friends.

<p><b>Nursery Classes</b></p>	<p><b>Seahorses</b> (Nursery AM) – <b>Mrs Bishop</b> (Class teacher) and <b>Miss Shaw</b> (TA)</p> <p><b>Turtles</b> (Nursery PM) - <b>Mrs Bishop</b> (Class teacher) and <b>Miss Shaw</b> (TA)</p> <p><b>Our 30 Hours provision</b> is staffed by <b>Mrs Mullard</b> (all day), <b>Mrs Gray</b> (am), Mrs Tingley (am) and <b>Mrs Gibbons</b> (pm)</p> <p>Morning Nursery: 8:30 – 11:30</p> <p>Lunch club: 11:30-12:20</p> <p>Afternoon Nursery: 12:20 – 3:20</p>
<p><b>This term learning will focus on</b></p>	<p>Learning routines, making friends, sharing and taking turns. Getting to know each other, sharing our likes and dislikes, exploring feelings and behaviour.</p> <p>Enjoying a range of stories &amp; learning poems. Developing gross and fine motor skills.</p> <p>Playing number games and developing counting skills.</p> <p>Finding out about different celebrations including Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day, Diwali, Hanukkah &amp; Christmas</p>
<p><b>What to bring to Nursery</b></p>	<p>-<b>Named</b> water bottle. This will be sent home to be washed and refilled daily.</p> <p>-Spare clothes – kept in a bag</p> <p><b>Please do not send any other toys, books or personal possessions into Nursery.</b></p> <p>Please check your child's tray regularly (in the cloak room) for artwork.</p>
<p><b>Lunch Club</b></p>	<p>Please remember to cut grapes/olives lengthwise (to avoid choking hazard).</p> <p><b>Do not send any food items containing nuts or nut butters.</b></p> <p>Please make sure your child's lunch box is clearly named.</p>
<p><b>Creative/messy play Fund</b></p>	<p>We would really appreciate a contribution of <b>£5 each half term</b> will help to provide cooking ingredients, craft materials and other special resources. Please place your contribution (£10 for the whole term if preferred) in an envelope and give to a member of the Nursery team.</p>
<p><b>Learning Journals</b></p>	<p>During the year, staff, parents and children create and add to your child's individual Learning Journal. This contains observations, photographs and samples of work and provides evidence of your child's learning journey.</p>
<p><b>Google classroom</b></p>	<p>We will be sending logins for Google classroom shortly so you can join the Nursery classroom. Do look out for weekly updates, each Thursday, on learning in school and how you can help at home.</p>
<p><b>Winter clothing</b></p>	<p>We aim to go outside everyday so please make sure your child has a coat and appropriate footwear, <b>clearly named</b>.</p> <p>When the temperature gets colder, please send a named hat and <b>mittens</b> (not gloves) for your child to wear.</p>
<p><b>Future dates</b></p>	<p><b>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> 9am</b> New to Nursery Parents Meeting</p> <p><b>Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October – Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October</b> Half Term holiday – school closed</p>

