

Nursery Weekly Newsletter

12th October 2018

Thank you to all of you who came to the Tapestry workshops this week. We are very excited about being able to use this tool to share your child's learning with you. Please ensure you regularly check the app (you can set your notifications to alert you when we post something about your child) for things that they have done at school. Thank you to parents who have already uploaded observations of home learning! We have loved seeing your pictures.

Notices:

- Please **do not** park in the drop off area. This area is for parents to drop off older children (to breakfast club) and drive away. You have to park outside of the school gates to walk your child into nursery.
- Children may not play in the bushes at the front of the building. Some of the plants are getting damaged.
- Please encourage your children to leave the rocks (outside the main entrance). We have found a number of them in children's pockets.

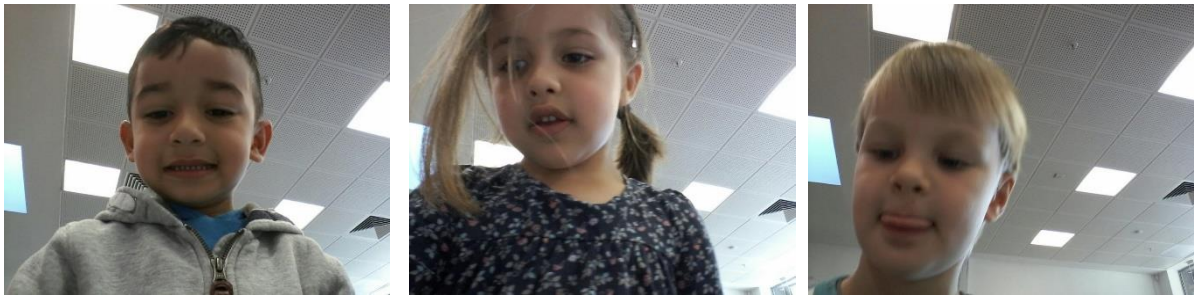
Reminders:

- Remember to bring in your child's water bottle every day - we still have a number of children without a bottle. Please ensure **all** bottles are **named**.
- Book bags can be purchased from the school office for £2.80. Thank you to those of you who have already purchased one.
- Please continue to work on encouraging your child to be independent. It is extremely helpful if children have clothing and fastenings that they can manage themselves. Please consider tight/skinny trousers and laces - children find this particularly difficult.
- We are aiming to have 5 minutes of Zumba every day. Once all of the children are in (at 9.05am and 1.05pm) we then go off into our groups. Please be on time for nursery as it disrupts our groups if you arrive late and an adult has to answer the door.
- Doors at 8.30am and 1.30pm are only open for 5 minutes. This is for the safety of the children. If you arrive after the doors have closed, you will have to wait until they open again (9am and 1pm).

This Week:

We have enjoyed our second week of group time this week. The children have been working on doing good sitting and good listening (i.e. sitting still and listening to the adult!) as well as retelling stories, following instructions and counting.

Here are a few photos of what we have been getting up to this week:



Taking selfies!



1:1 counting.

Requests:

We would love any donations of unwanted toys that you think the nursery children would enjoy. We'd particularly like animals, cars, puzzles and games. Thank you!

Term dates:

Half term - 22nd - 26th October 2018

Parent's Evening - 30th October 2018

Rock your Spots! (Children in Need) - 16th November 2018

Thank you for your support. Have a lovely weekend!