



Nursery (FS1)

Teacher: Mrs Warrington

Teaching Assistants: Miss Knaggs, Miss Martin

PPA teacher: Mrs Dixon

Spring

As we welcome everybody back to nursery we say a big welcome to the children who started nursery this week. You are a very welcome and happy addition to our nursery class.

This term we are watching the weather; looking at the clothes we wear in the cold, painting with ice, finding out about the animals that live in very cold parts of the world. We will experiment with freezing and melting.

We will do all we can to help the birds in winter time as we go to Forest school to make bird feeders.

As we read the story Owl Babies, we will explore the theme Light and dark, looking at sources of light, working with torches, the light box and reflective materials.

General Information

As the weather can be variable children must bring a coat to school every day.

All garments including coats, shoes and bags, should be clearly marked with your child's name.

A spare set of clothes should be brought to the nursery each day in case of accidents.

Children must wear strong sturdy shoes at all times.

In the interest of safety, jewellery must not be worn.

We encourage children to bring a named bottle of water to nursery every day.

Monday Nursery 50p fund money

Please support the work in the nursery by contributing weekly on a Monday.

Money collected helps us to purchase fresh ingredients for cooking, play dough resources and other everyday materials as well as special treats.

Monday Library

Children are encouraged to choose a book from our Nursery library every Monday. Books are to be returned to school on a Friday

Tuesday Forest School

Forest school takes place in all weathers within reason. Please ensure your child is appropriately dressed for working in the outdoors. It can often be cold and muddy and cooler than expected under the shade of the trees.

We would encourage children to come to nursery in wellies on a Tuesday. It is highly likely that children will get muddy at Forest school. We will put waterproof coats over your child's coat to minimise the impact. It is not necessary for children to wear uniform, old clothes that will keep them warm and a hat would be appropriate.

Typical Forest School Activities

Splashing in puddles,
rolling in leaves,
catching rain on a tarpaulin,
making mud pies,
looking for worms,
painting on a leaf,
painting with mud,
exploring and collecting woodland materials to make natural art
shelter building and mini beast hunts

Friday PE sessions

PE takes place every Friday in the school hall. In addition to the nursery uniform we would encourage children to wear a sunshine yellow PE t-shirt which can be purchased from the school office.

Friday Healthy Snack Tuck Shop

We have our healthy snack tuck shop every Friday following our PE session. Children can purchase up to 3 snacks.

Snacks cost 30p each. A named envelope for each child will be kept in school. Any change will go back in the envelope and can be added to the following Friday. Snacks include rice cakes, bread sticks raisins and crispy fruit slices.