



All Souls Nursery Autumn Newsletter 2026

We are very pleased to be working with you and your child this year. This newsletter will share some of the routines, activities and curriculum for the first term.

This term, we will be focusing on helping the children to feel happy, safe and secure in their new environment, becoming familiar with the staff and making new friends. They will begin to learn the new rules and routines, while exploring their classroom and the wider school, both inside and out.

We are looking forward to a wonderful year together

The children will need to bring a book bag and a water bottle each day. They will have milk and a piece of fruit during the morning, but they can drink from their water bottle whenever they would like to during the session.

At the beginning of the morning, the children will have 15 minutes of free-choice time to settle in, explore and talk with their friends before we stop to register. We will then have our morning prayer, followed by changing the daily calendar and talking about the weather.

Once we feel the children have settled, we will complete our daily Maths session. This is part of the school's Maths scheme and is kept very short, with lots of practical activities provided afterwards to help embed the children's learning.

The children will then have snack time, when they sit together with the staff and have an opportunity to share their news. This will be followed by guided learning and free-choice learning. The session will finish with some physical activities, followed by phonics and a story.

PE - On Tuesday, the children will have a PE dance lesson with Miss Jade. Please can your child come into Nursery wearing their PE shirt. Their pumps will need to be in a bag on their peg, and we will help them to change into these.

Tapestry - We will post 'wow' moments and photographs of our activities on Tapestry. I will also post a week-ahead memo on Sunday, so that you have an idea of what we will be learning and doing during the week and can talk about this with your child at home.

Please feel free to add any activities, experiences or outings that you enjoy with your child at home. Tapestry provides a wonderful record of your child's year, which you will be able to download and keep at the end of the year.

RE - We will have a weekly RE lesson, beginning with learning about the Creation story.

Special Events - We will be visiting the Warwick Arts Centre at Christmas, performing a Nativity and sharing some special sessions with parents. You will hear more about these events throughout the term.

Please feel free to ask any questions or speak to a member of staff at the door if you are worried or unsure about anything. We are always happy to help. We look forward to getting to know the children even more during the coming term and sharing lots of special experiences with them.

Mrs Jilks & Mrs McCloskey