

Nursery Autumn News!



Welcome in Nursery

Welcome back little stars! We can't wait to hear what you've been up to during summer time! Please remember that transition is a process, not an event. Over the coming weeks your child may express a range of emotions about being here, and away from you, even for those children who are returning to a relatively familiar space. I can personally assure you that the staff are experienced with supporting children in settling in. Please speak to your child's key person if you have any concerns!

Home School Communication

We would like to thank everyone for their brilliant use of online links through Tapestry. Sharing learning at home with school is an essential part of supporting your child.

You will receive at least one observation of your child's learning through Tapestry so please look out for these. Keep up sending your home learning its brilliant!

PE Dates

Nursery PE is on Friday. Please remember to come to school wearing suitable clothing for the everchanging

Rhyme Time



Topic

Our topic this half term is Rhyme Time!

Our children will be learning daily rhyming songs, explore instrumental and environmental sounds and investigate body movements.

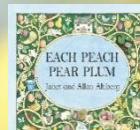
We will use this as a tool to include storytelling, introducing new vocabulary and role play to support our experiences.

In Science, we will be learning about weather changes.

We will also be learning about the use of different tools to recreate some flicking paint drawings linked to our theme. Our Artist of the half term is Jackson Pollock who is an expressionist artist famous for his "drip technique".



Our Book of the half is Each Peach Plum one of our Star 6 books!



Name writing

When you arrive at school you will find your writing book and practise your name daily. Bagels are available in classrooms while we learn!

Reading books

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home or access Bug Club. Ask if you have any questions about this.

Nursery Essentials

- A named water bottle
- A complete change of spare clothes
- Nappies and wipes
- Wellies
- Coat

A Guide to using Tapestry



To view your child's learning journal

1. Login
2. Go to the 'children' tab (you will see your child's name only).
3. Click on your child's photo
4. Select 'view *Joe's* journal.'
5. Select the observation you wish to view.
6. Add a comment if you wish e.g. *well done, or Joe also took turns in a board game at home this weekend.*

To add your own observation at home....

To add notes....

- Click on 'obs' tab at top of screen.
- Click on 'add observation.'
- Type in information; title, date notes.

To add a photo.....

- Click on 'add media' to upload a photo.
- Click on 'add file'
- Click on 'start upload'

Finally...Click save!

Your child's key person will then be notified of your observation and use it to support your child's learning and progress.

