

Nursery News!

May 2023

Hello everyone!

What a very busy half term we have had, the highlight of which was the arrival of the eggs and incubator and then watching the chicks hatch out. The children have absolutely loved the whole experience and have talked non stop about everything that they saw. There is nothing better than having a 'real' experience of something, it just has so much more meaning 😊.

Sports Day was also a very exciting experience and thank you to all those who were able to come along and support the children. They loved showing you what they could do and taking part as a team. It also gave them the opportunity to experience playing on the all weather pitch and listening to instructions from the Sports Coaches who they are not very familiar with just yet. They did really well with their "good listening ears" and "remember buttons" turned on; well done children! 😊

The children have had the chance to meet all of the Reception teachers as we have done some class swaps during the last part of this half term. Next half term we will be visiting the Reception classrooms for story times, will let the children have a play on the big playground at the back of school and point out to them how Reception carry their own tray at dinner time. Once the children have been allocated a teacher for September you will be informed by letter.

Outdoor Learning Area and Coats

Please can you make sure your child has a coat every day; just a thin one in case of a rain shower. We are outside for most of the day and much of what the children play with is not undercover. The rain also provides valuable learning experiences so, even though we are in summer time, a thin coat is still needed. Thank you.

Moving to Reception

Please talk to your children at home about moving into Reception in September. Focus points to talk about can be;

- Making new friends
- Going on the big playground at the back of school
- Still using the Early Years outdoor learning space with the new Nursery children
- Learning how to carry their own tray at lunch time if they have hot dinners

Please remember.....

- To apply sun cream **BEFORE** your child comes to Nursery in the morning during the summer term
- To send a sun hat in with your child (labelled with their name please)
- **No sunglasses are needed**
 - To label **all** items of clothing
 - To make sure your child's blue book bag comes in every day.
 - To send in a named water bottle for your child with **still water** only ☺.
 - If your child is well enough to come to school but has been prescribed a course of antibiotics, please take this to the school office and fill in a form. The office staff will then bring the medicine to Nursery and we will administer it.
- We are unable to administer 'off the shelf' Calpol or Ibuprofen unless it has been prescribed by a GP.

Thank you!

