# **Nursery Newsletter**

Summer Term 1 2024

### Once upon a time

Our new Unit of learning is 'Once upon a time?' We will be learning to recall stories and rhymes. We will base our learning around stories e.g. Goldilocks and the three Bears, Little Red Riding Hood and There was a Princess long ago.



## Fun in the sun

As usual we will be using out outdoor area every day during Nursery sessions. On sunny days please could you provide your child with a named hat. If necessary sun cream should be applied before school. Thank you.

<u>Remember:</u> Please could you inform the school if your child is absent from Nursery. This will help us to complete our daily registers. Thank you.

## **Phonics**

This half term we will be playing listening games e.g. What's that noise? And 'I spy'. If you play 'I spy' at home say 'I spy with my little eye something beginning with e.g. ssssss'

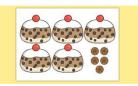
Look out for letters that children know in books and say the sounds they make.

Read stories every day and ask children to join in, turn pages, point to words etc. <u>Read, Write, Inc.</u> We will be learning the picture cards and saying the sounds in our daily lessons.

#### **Wow Moments**

We enjoy hearing about all of your children's achievements and celebrating your child's special moments. From name writing to doing up zips and buttons. Please fill in a WOW moment for the display in the cloakroom.

Marvellous Maths In Maths this half term we will be counting accurately, matching numerals to sets, weighing (heavy and light) and measuring using cubes. We will also be continuing with our favourite rhymes. See below.



5 currant buns in a baker's shop Round and fat with a cherry on the top Along came (child's name) with a penny one day

Bought a currant bun and took it away.



5 little speckled frogs Sat on a speckled log Eating some most delicious bugs Yum! Yum! 1 jumped into the pool where it was nice and cool Then there were 4 green speckled frogs Glub! Glub!

#### Independence

In Nursery we are trying to help children prepare for their Reception classes in September.

You can help your child by teaching them to

- Put on and do up their coat.
- Remove socks and shoes and put them back on again.
- Recognise their names in their jumpers/cardigans/coats.
- Use the toilet on their own.
- Cut up their food and use a knife, fork and spoon.
- Change into shorts and tee-shirt for PE

