

Nursery Spring term 2020 News Letter



Story sack sensation!

Mrs Bansal has been hard at work putting together her story sacks for the children to enjoy at weekends. If your child comes home with a sack, please enjoy the book and the toys inside, but please make sure you bring all of the contents of the sack back the following week for someone else to enjoy. We'd love to hear how your children have engaged with our story sacks, so please feel free to tell us all about it by writing a note in the enclosed notebook.



Nursery children will bring a book home every Friday with their home work.

Please help them do the activities, to develop their understanding and skills. Please return homework on the following Wednesday with anything they need to bring into share with everyone.



Welcome!

A huge Nursery welcome to all our new parents and children who have just started with us.

The new children are settling well into Nursery routines and the older children are doing a brilliant job of setting the example to them. Miss Kick, who is also new, is thoroughly enjoying getting to know each and every one of the children.

A reminder that children are welcome to bring their own water bottle to school each day, and a spare change of clothes on their pegs is always useful as we are planning lots of messy play for the new term.

Thank—you for your support
Miss Kick

Spring 1—Toys

Stories / rhymes	Ideas for home
Old Bear	Talk about favourite toys.
Jungle Boogie (The animal man comes to visit)	Investigate animal noises and animal patterns.
Elmer and the Lost Teddy	Design a colourful, special teddy bear!
Kipper's Toybox	Decorate a box to put a special toy in.
Toy story	Watch some clips and talk about the story.
Whatever Next	Play pretend and go to the moon in cardboard box rocket.

Fruit and milk time

Each day your child will have the opportunity to sit down and a talk with their friends at snack time. This is a very important, social part of our nursery session and there is milk and fruit available to them.



Please let us know if your child is allergic to anything. Some allergies were not mentioned on admission forms.



Dates for your diary :
Open evening 5th February.



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Spring 2—Eggstravaganza

It's all about eggs!



Purple Prickles perfection

The children have been perfecting their fine motor and markmaking skills with a bit of story telling! They have been learning how to make simple line patterns whilst telling a story or describing a character. The animal man didn't come with any elephants or tigers, but our book about animals Animal Boogie gave lots of ideas for describing animals.

We came up with these descriptions, can you guess which animals we are talking about?

"It's got big ears, a long trunk and two black eyes" - Nahia

"It's got black and orange stripes, a long wiggly tail and sharp teeth."- Aaron and Sulayman.



Stories / rhymes	Ideas for home
Owl Babies	Go on a spring walk, what do you see?
We're Going on a Dragon Hunt!	Design and describe a made up monster!
Dinosaur stories	Use the internet to find out about a dinosaur.
Monkey Puzzle	Can you find the rhyme? Find rhyming words for bat, cat...
Mother's Day poems/stories	Talk about special mums/nans.
Chicken Licken	Talk about baby animals.
We're Going on an Egg hunt!	Play some positional language games, hide the egg above, under, on etc.

