



What are we learning in Nursery this term?

Spring Term

January 2025



Dear Parents/Carers



We hope you had a restful and healthy Christmas and New year. It has been great to welcome the children back to nursery and listen to them excitedly tell us about their presents!



This term we will kick off learning about the season of Winter. We will ask the children 'What is Winter?' finding out what they already know and expand their knowledge by exploring any questions and interests they have on the topic.



We will learn about garden birds and will make bird feeders to take home. We will put information on Seesaw about the RSPB's 'Big Garden Bird Watch' If you would like to participate, this will link well with our learning.



As we approach the end of January, we will explore Chinese New Year, which this year is the Year of the Snake. We will celebrate this cultural event with lots of creative and sensory activities.



In February, we will take part in Children's Mental Health Awareness week, exploring all the emotions we have through the use of stories such as Dr Seuss' 'My Many Coloured Days'.



After half term we will move onto our Spring topic where we will look at growth in the natural world.



This busy half term also sees many events and cultural festivals for us to enjoy, such as St David's Day, World Book Day, and St Piran's Day to name but a few.



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We will continue using the White Rose Maths scheme to help embed early mathematical skills providing hands-on activities to develop the children's understanding of number, shape, space and measure.



As always, if you have any queries or concerns about your child, please do let us know either in person, via Seesaw messaging or via emailing your child's keyworker:



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Kind regards



Miss Miller, Mrs Symons, and Mrs Gates.



*****IMPORTANT INFORMATION*****

- Please ensure children come dressed in clothes suitable for the weather, as well as a full spare set of clothes.
- If your child wears nappies/pullups please provide nappies, wipes and disposable nappy bags.
- **ParentPay** - please ensure there are funds available in your account to pay for any childcare sessions.



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