

Half Termly Newsletter



Class: Nursery

Teachers: Miss Hodder, Miss Bostan, Mrs Barlow, Mrs Abedin, Mrs Ditta. Mrs Walker covers during Miss Hodder's non-contact time on Tuesday afternoons.

Phonics

In Phonics we will be reading the book *Floppy at the Farm* as well as working on Environmental sounds, Instrumental sounds, Body percussion (e.g. clapping and stamping) Rhythm and rhyme., Alliteration, Voice sounds, Oral blending and segmenting (e.g. hearing that d-o-g makes 'dog')

Maths

In Maths we will be learning to remember that the last number said gives the total so far and to represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures. To understand position through words alone e.g. "The bag is under the table." To use words such as 'in front of.'

Our Topic—'I wonder what I was like as a baby'

We will be looking at what we needed when we were babies and then how that changes as we grown up. We will be reading the book *Peepo* by Janet and Allen Alberg. We will be working on talking in sentences by answering questions such as 'What do babies need?' 'Is that the same as animal babies?' 'Can you talk about babies you know?'

Clothes

Please ensure your child has a named bag with spare clothes in it in case they need to be changed. When it is bad weather please could children wear wellies and a waterproof coat. Please make sure children are in clean clothes each day.

Tapestry

Thank you to all parents who are now logged onto Tapestry and are adding observations of their children at home. If you are unsure of how to use Tapestry please speak to Miss Hodder.

Reminders

Session times 8.45-11.45 and 12.15-3.15

Please be on time

Stay and Play– TBC

Visit from a parent with a baby –TBC

Half Term– Friday 17th February