

Nurture Newsletter-Term 2- 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! I hope you all had a lovely October break. Here is some information about what we will be getting up to in Term 2. We are well into the swing of things and are continuing to focus on language development, maintaining friendships and working on our personal targets. The children will continue to build their listening skills through a variety of activities. As a reminder, children who attend Nurture are in the Badgers' Den in the morning, returning back at lunch time to join their class for the rest of the afternoon.



** Some children will be graduating in December - keep your eyes peeled! **

Health & Wellbeing

The group will be developing their social skills through a variety of activities. These include:

- Circle time
- Visits to the park and library
- Arts and crafts
- Sensory activities
- Role playing
- Board games and jigsaws
- Memory games
- Baking and cooking
- Puppets
- Junk modelling
- Music and singing

Literacy

We will continue to read lots of social stories to build our understanding of friendships, kindness and our sense of self. The children will also choose stories that they would like to read building their own reading identity. They will write recounts about any trips they have been on. We will be completing writing activities linked to 'Autumn' and 'Halloween.' The children will practise their spelling words and sounds provided by their class teacher. There will be plenty of Talking and Listening focusing on sharing an opinion and waiting our turn to speak.

Maths

We will continue to revise numbers and have opportunities to say, write, make and do these every day. We will look at number patterns including counting in 2's, 5's and 10's. We will build our knowledge of telling the time and recording the date in various ways.

Friendship Friday



On a Friday we have 'Friendship Friday'. Your child will be able to invite one friend from their class to take part in the morning activities and join us for snack in the Badger's Den. This will help build strong relationships.

Snack Time



Every morning the children take turns to help make snack and wash the dishes. Snack includes toast, milk, juice and a piece of fruit.

Please advise the school of any allergies.

Things have been a little bit spooky...



Kind Regards

Miss Kennedy & Miss McNealy

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