

Welcome to Nursery!





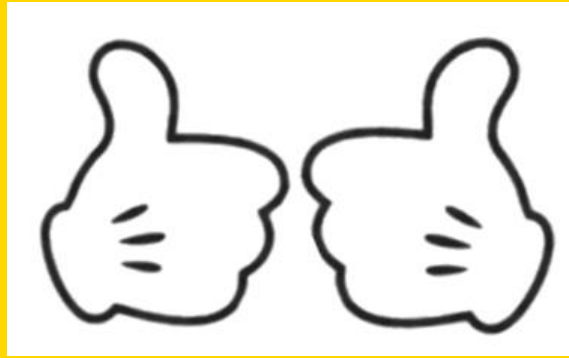
The



Way



I can



You can



We can

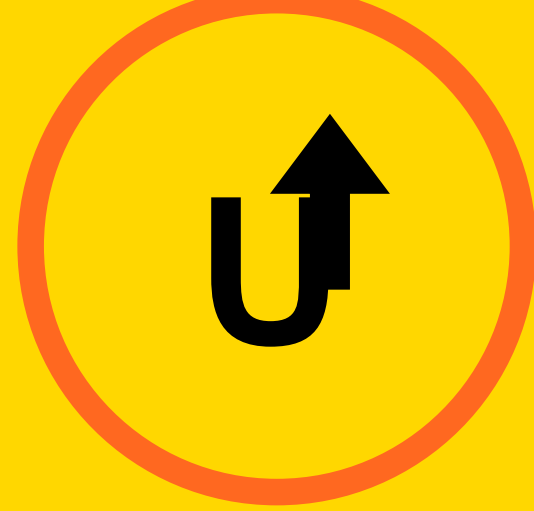
Confident

Curious

Caring

Cooperative

The Nursery Team



Mel - Class teacher

Helen - Level 3 Teaching
assistant

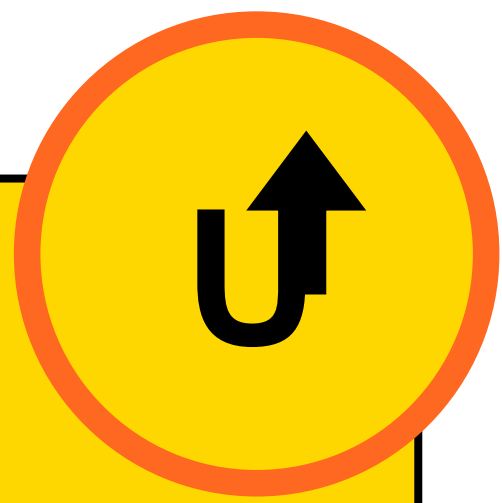
Barbara - Teaching
assistant

Georgette - 1:1 support

Emily - Wednesday AM for
P.E

Eloise - Monday PM for P.E

Conker
Class

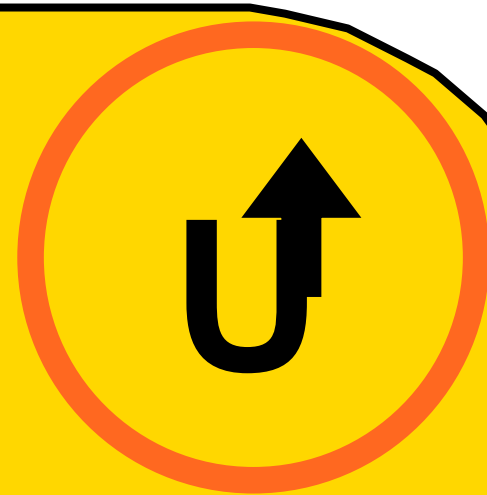


The Morning Nursery day starts at 8.45 a.m. and finishes at 11.45 a.m.
The Afternoon Nursery day starts at 12.30 p.m. and finishes at 3.30 p.m.

We will collect the children in the Nursery drop off zone.

If you are dropping a sibling off at an earlier time you can drop your Nursery child off at the same time.

Please enter the playground by the gate opposite the main office and follow the one way system. **Please wear a mask.**



If you are going to be delayed please let the school know as soon as possible- please note charges may be applied for late collection.

If you need someone else to pick up your child please let the office or the teacher know as soon as possible. They will need to know the password that you have created.

We will dismiss the children in the same area as the morning drop off zone. Please allow us time and space to get the whole class outside before we start dismissing the children. **Please wear a mask and follow the one way system.**

Nursery Clothes

For Nursery your child needs to be in appropriate comfortable clothing.

We get messy! Unfortunately we are currently not wearing aprons for messy play so our clothes may get extra messy!

Please provide spare, named clothes in a bag with their name on.

To support independence we also ask for them to have easy to put on and take off shoes if possible.

PE Day

Please make sure your child is wearing appropriate clothes for P.E on their P.E day.

P.E is on Monday PM session and Wednesday AM session.



Please put your child's name in ALL of their items



Messy Play



In Early Years there are lots of activities that we provide for children to explore that can be messy that help them develop important skills e.g. painting, mud kitchen. At the moment children are unable to share aprons so they may get messier than usual during this time although they will of course be supervised by our staff team.



Snack Time



Children under the age of 5 are entitled to a carton of milk for free.

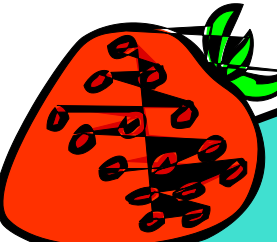
They are also entitled to a piece of fruit too.

Children will need to bring water to drink in a bottle clearly labelled with their name.

Lunches in school

We are a healthy school!

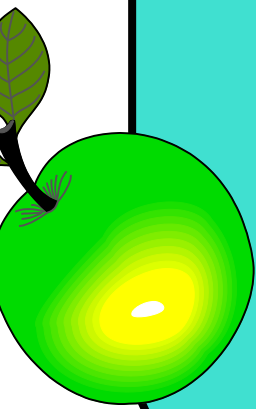
We are a nut free school!



Children who have a packed lunch should also not be bringing in sweets, chocolate bars or fizzy drinks.

If children are found with these items they will be taken off the child and given back to parent/carer at the end of the day.

Please name lunch boxes/bags so if lost they can be returned.



If you wish to change your child from school dinners to packed lunch or vice versa then please let the office know and they'll advise you when the change will be able to take place.

Rewards

Children will be awarded stickers (10 stickers = treasure!) for good behaviour, work and for following our Golden Expectations.

We look after property

We are honest

We listen well

We are kind and helpful

We try hard with our learning

We are gentle



Star of the Week



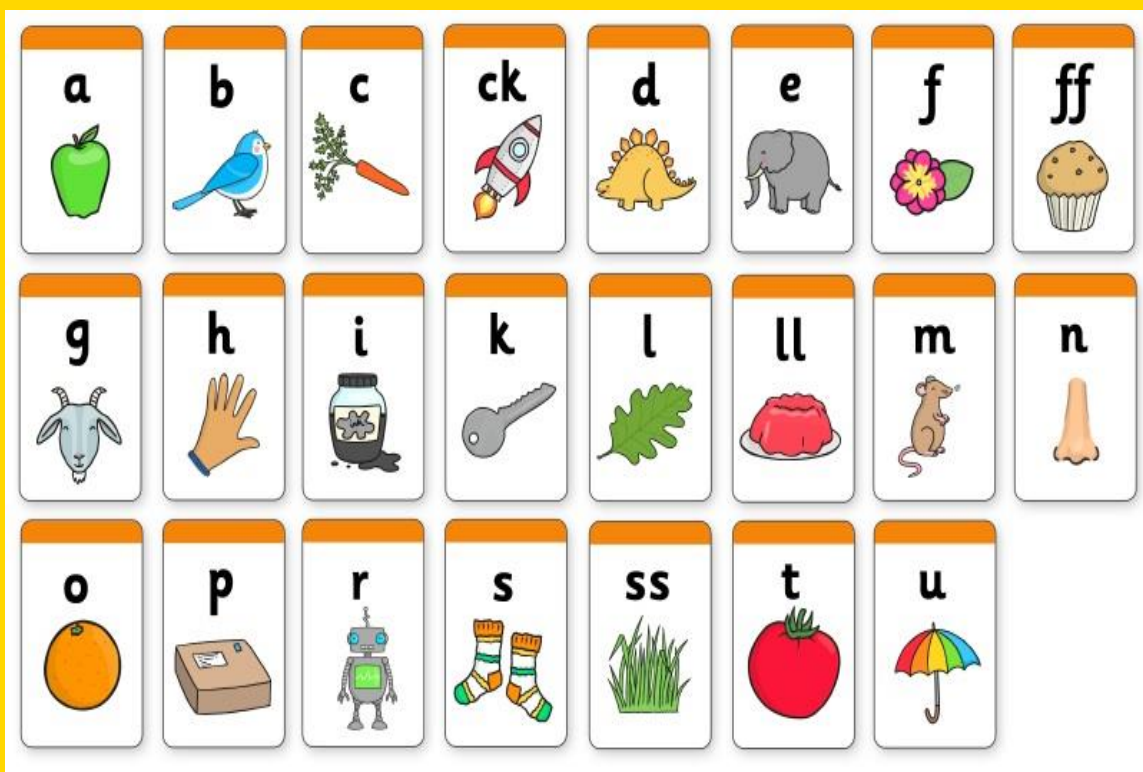
Each week we will choose a child to be our 'Star of the Week'. This is someone who has demonstrated our Golden Expectations. They will receive a certificate and get a special mention in our school newsletter!



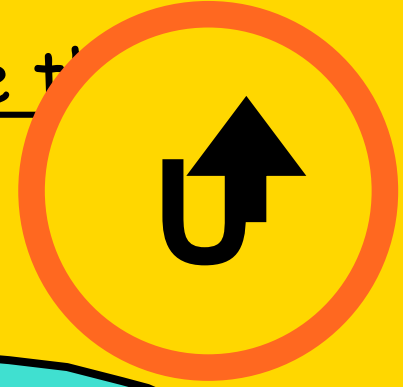
Phonics



In Early Years children learn the skills they need to be able to read and write through our daily Phonics lessons and activities. In these lessons they will learn about listening and sounds through stage 1 phonics. Along side learning different letters of the alphabet and the sounds they make.



Here are the topics we will be using to inspire the children's learning this year...



Autumn 1- Not all heroes wear capes! Why do you love me so much?	Autumn 2- Why do leaves go crispy?
Spring 1- How many colours in a rainbow?	Spring 2- Are eggs alive?
Summer 1- Why cant I have chocolate for breakfast?	Summer 2- Can we explore it?



SeeSaw

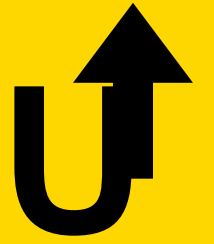


~Your child will have their own online learning journal where we can share photos and videos of their learning. You will be able to share photos and videos from home with us.

~It is also a brilliant way for us to share messages and reminders with you and for you to contact us.

~ Please make sure you respond when you receive an email from SeeSaw in order to create your child's account.

Home Learning



In Nursery we will send home any home learning on **SeeSaw**.
(our online communication system).

This will include our half term homework for each topic.

We also recommend reading with your child every day for at least 10 minutes.

In order for your child to reach their full potential, it is important for us to work as a partnership, supporting and communicating well with each other.

Please use our website to find out
information



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