

EYFS NEWSLETTER

AUTUMN 2024

WELCOME BACK!

We've loved welcoming all the children, old and new, to the Early Years unit this week and can't wait to get stuck into our learning this term!

Our Enquiry question is based on a History topic and asks "What is the history within me?"

The children will learn about who they are, where they live, things about their families and how these things may have changed through History.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPT

18

9am - Phonics & Reading Morning

SEPT

26

8.45am - Macmillan Coffee Morning

SEPT

27

Inset day (all day)

READING BOOKS AND DIARIES

Each child has been given a Reading Diary and a book to take home. Please make sure these are brought to school every day. They should be reading at home at least 3 times a week to help develop their skills and encourage a love of books.

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

- **Friday 4th Oct:** EYFS Stay and Play, 8.45-9.15am
- **Thursday 17th Oct:** Grandparents Tea and Cake Afternoon, 2.15-3.15pm
- **Friday 18th Oct:** Last day of half term.

P.E. DAY

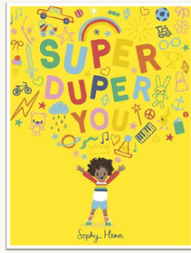
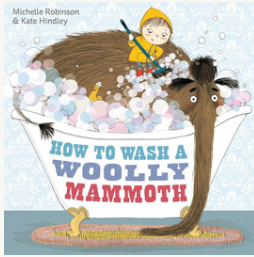
Both Nursery and Reception classes will be doing P.E. on

MONDAYS

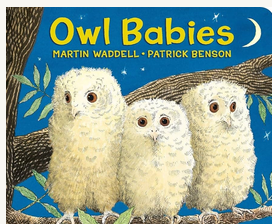
Please send your child to school in their P.E. kit.

LITERACY

In Literacy, Reception will be learning how to write instructions by making jam sandwiches. The book *How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth* will help us.



We will also be reading *Super Duper You* and writing our own autobiographies.



Nursery will start the term by reading *Owl Babies* by Martin Waddell and learning all about families.

PHONICS

Reception have started their learning to read journey, with our Phonics scheme *No Nonsense Phonics Skills*.

They will learn that the letters in the alphabet are code for the sounds they hear in words.

For more information, please come along to our Phonics and Reading information morning on Wednesday 18th September at 9am.

No Nonsense
Phonics Skills

MATHS

In Maths this term Reception will be exploring the numbers 1 to 10. They will learn different counting strategies with some help from the Numberblocks.



Nursery will begin by exploring the numbers 1-5 and how to compare numbers.

KEEP IN TOUCH

We use two online platforms to keep in touch and share your child's learning with you.



ClassDojo is our messaging app, where we will keep you up to date with any important information. If you haven't yet joined the EYFS 2024-2025 class, please let us know.

Tapestry is an online learning journal used to share your child's milestones and experiences whilst they are with us at school



If you have any other questions about your child's learning or their time in EYFS, please feel free to speak to us on the door.