



# Nursery Newsletter

Autumn 1, week 2, 20<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Dear families,

What a busy week! All the children have started now and we have loved getting to know them all a bit better this week. Children are starting to settle into some of the simple routines already and some have formed some lovely friendships already. We have continued to focus on thinking of some good rules for the Nursery this week to keep this happy and safe. In fact we are putting it into a song that we hope to perform for you at some point in the near future!

**Send in a photo** – to support our topic “You and Me”, we would love if you could send in a photo of your family that we can talk about in class with the children. This could be of your child’s immediate family or extended family, or pets – anything to get them to start talking about home. Please email your photos to [mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org](mailto:mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org). Thank you.

**Water bottles** - We have noticed that children are getting quite involved in play and are forgetting to drink much water during the sessions. So, we will be incorporating this into our teaching this week and will be having regular water breaks throughout the session and teaching children about the importance of drinking water. Please make sure they have a water bottle in school every day, filled with water (no juice or squash please).

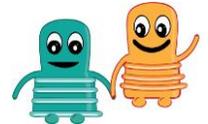
## Walk to School week.

There is a walk to school week starting **the week commencing 30<sup>th</sup> September** where we aim to promote physical activity. We know how hard it is, if you live far from the school, to walk every day when children are still so little. So, in conjunction with the Children Centre, we are launching our Nursery Walk to School week where every morning that week, you can meet a member of staff at 8.15am or 12.00pm every day at the beginning of the alleyway that runs alongside the school (the Elmbridge Drive end) and we can all walk to school together. If children manage to complete the walk for the whole week, they will get a prize. We will pin up a map on the notice board so you know where to meet. There’s no need to sign up, just turn up before 8.15am/12.00pm.

**DB Workshop** – Thank you for those to attended the workshop. If you missed it we will have another session you could sign up for on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September 11.15am or 3.00pm. Please either email Ms Myzer [mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org](mailto:mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org) or speak to a Staff member to reserve a place.

Have a great weekend.

The Nursery Staff ☺



## This week...

We have been:

- Making new friends.
- Talking about rules and why these are important to keep us safe and happy.
- Played some games like hide and seek and What’s the time Mr wolf, and introduced fun ways of counting.

## Next week....

We will:

- Learn why drinking water is important for us and getting into a good habit of drinking throughout the day.
- Talk about our families and homes.
- Continue learning our rules song.

## How can you help at home?

You could:

Log onto DB and look at the photos with your child in the Nursery community photo gallery. Ask open questions such as:

- What were you doing in this photo?
- What did you do next?
- How did it make you feel?

Send in a family picture to [mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org](mailto:mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org).

## Nursery Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
23 Topic: You and Me	24	25	26	27 DB workshop @ 11.15am or 3.00pm in Nursery - please email <a href="mailto:mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org">mmyzer1.312@gfmail.org</a> to reserve your place.
30 Walk to School week - meet your teachers at the end of the alleyway that runs alongside school at 8.15/12 to walk to school every day for a prize. Topic: You and me	1	2	3	4

## Picture of the week:



Yoga!