

4th and 9th September

Me – What I like about me

During the first few days we will be supporting the children to settle into their new class. We will be establishing routines and encouraging children to follow them. We will be getting to know the children and finding out what the children can do. We will be answering the questions: What is my name? How old am I? What do I look like? What do I like to do?

30th September

Body Parts – Heads, Shoulders, knees and Toes

This week we will be learning to name body parts. The children will be answering the questions: What does a face need? What does a body need? They will learn to sing 'Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes' and will invite parents in to show them how well we can sing it. They will create face and body pictures.

7th and 14th October

Feelings

The big world of emotions! Our book for two weeks will be 'The Feelings Book' by Todd Parr and we will also use 'The Colour Monster' to explore different emotions. We will be talking about how to identify our emotions and what we can do to manage feeling sad, happy, or scared. We will make puppets and use them to say how we feel.

16th and 23rd September

Someone Special to Me

Over the next two weeks we will be exploring who is special to the children. They will be answering the questions: Who is special to you? What do you like to do with them? We will sing songs, rhymes and read stories about our families and friends to help the children to explore who is special to them and what they like to do with them. The children will begin to start to take part in Physical Development sessions, focussing on riding bikes and scooters and creating an obstacle course.



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21st October

In our final week of the half term, we will review all of our work so far. We will have a walk to the front of school and look at the houses that are around our school. We will look at other houses and at some different homes around the world. We will then use all the information that we have learned to build homes. We will use 'junk modelling' to build our homes and will be practising joining different materials, scissor skills and selecting materials that we need.

Spare Clothes

Sometimes children will have toileting accidents at school or get a bit wet when they are playing in the water. We would appreciate it if the children could keep a bag on their peg with spare pants, socks, trousers and a t-shirt so that if they are wet, they can change. You can leave this bag at school if you wish to. Also, please ensure your child's name is on all items of clothing.

Muddy Monday

Every Monday (starting 16th September) we will be going to explore our forest areas. **Muddy Mondays** will happen in all weathers unless it is raining heavily or extremely cold. The children will need warm clothes on a **Monday** with wellies, a warm coat and gloves. Please make sure that they are all labelled with your child's name. Thank you.

Snack Time

The children will be given a snack every day, either a fruit or vegetable, as well as milk. Please do not bring any other snacks to school so all children in Nursery have the same. It is your responsibility to provide your child with a labelled water bottle every day.