

NURSERY NEWSLETTER

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Welcome!

We can't wait to welcome the children into our school nursery; we are delighted that you chose to send them to Guardian Angels'.

Class Teacher – Miss Davenport
Teaching Assistant – Miss Ashworth

Communication

You can pass on any messages on the door at drop off or collection.

SeeSaw is our online platform where we will share your child's learning as well as send messages and provide updates. You must let us or the office know if someone else is collecting your child.

Absence

If your child is absent, you must inform the school office.

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School Grid

School dinners are ordered on the School Grid app.

Weekly Reminders

Monday – Library book

Please ensure your child's reading record and library book are packed in order to be changed.

Tuesday – PE

Nursery do not need a PE kit. Their uniform is designed to be safe for physical activity.

Friday – Forest School

Your child will come into school with their uniform on and their puddle-suits on top. Their wellies can remain at school on the rack.

What do I need to bring to school?

- Labelled school bag
- Labelled water bottle
- A healthy snack (fruit, veg, cheese, crackers, breadsticks)
- Spare clothes bag

'Wow' Moments

Please remember that you can send us photographs of your child on SeeSaw for us to share in school. We love to start our week with a recap of our weekend in photographs.

NURSERY CLASSROOM

Our Classroom is ready for you!

When we come into Nursery, we put our water bottle on the trolley and put our bag in our locker. If you have a lunchbox, we keep them on the top of the lockers. We then join our friends on the carpet. Everyone will have a leaf to sit on.



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Toilets

Our nursery classroom has two small toilets and two sinks. In Nursery, we try to use the toilet independently. But, your teachers will be there to help you when you need it. We must wipe, flush and wash our hands, putting our tissue in the bin.



NURSERY CURRICULUM

Let's look at the areas in our classroom!

Our classroom areas are designed to support the consolidation of our curriculum through play. That's why, when we go into continuous provision, we call this 'choosing our learning'. The children will spend time choosing their learning in the morning and afternoon. During this time, the outdoor area will also be open. Reception also share this space with us.



NURSERY CURRICULUM

The Reading Area

Our reading area is a calm and quiet space in the classroom to enjoy a story.

We will be learning to:

Understand that print has meaning

Follow from left to right and turn pages in order

Recognise words with the same initial sounds

Recognise familiar logos and print

Follow print in books



Photos of your favourite books to go here!
Please send them on SeeSaw ASAP

NURSERY CURRICULUM

The Writing Area

Our writing area is ready for all our mark making and fine motor practise.

In Literacy, we will be learning to:

Create pre-writing shapes

Develop our fine motor strength

Give meaning to our marks

Start to draw lines, shapes and copy simple patterns

Recognise my name



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The Maths Area

Our Maths area has lots of resources that can be changed based on our interests.

In Maths, we will be learning to:
Sort and compare colour, shape and size
Notice the odd one out
Find, recognise, count and subitise
Correct, create and extend pattern



Subitising is when we say the amount without having to count.

We use the chant, 'sub-i-tise, use your eyes!'

The 'White Rose Maths 1-Minute Maths' app can help you to practise this at home!

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The Home Corner

Our home corner is where we will develop our role playing skills as well as our friendships. It will give us the chance to use our communication and language.

We are learning to:

Use the correct tense and plurals

Work towards the correct pronunciation of words

Develop our pretend play and narrate what is happening

Start to say how we are feeling with words and actions



**Can you spot Jack the dog
hiding in his basket?**



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The Well-being Table

We will use the Zones of Regulation and The Colour Monsters to start to talk about our feelings. We will teach the children that all emotions are okay and demonstrate tools to try and manage the different emotions.

In PSHE, we are learning to:

Understand the importance of rules and how to follow them

Talk about our feelings

Play with other children

Develop a positive attitude towards the differences between people



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The Construction Area

Our construction area is where we use our imagination to create small worlds with materials, characters and vehicles. We have a map of our local area set up, too!

In Geography, we are learning:
The name of our new school
That our school is in Bury and Bury is in England
That our houses can be different
That in autumn, some leaves change colour

**Can you spot yourself on our map?
If not, please send a full length picture
on SeeSaw!**



NURSERY CURRICULUM

Our Science Tables

Our science tables are ready to help us learn about how to keep our body healthy.

In science, we are learning:

The names of our body parts and facial features

How to keep our body and teeth healthy

How to wash our hands to stop germs from spreading

About the people who help us in our Health Service



Do you remember the dentist table from our Stay and Play session?



NURSERY CURRICULUM

Our Creative Area

Our creative area has a work bench and painting wall for you to create and make with our resources and paints.

In Art, we are learning:

To make marks with a chosen medium

About the works of Leonardo Da Vinci

To give our opinions on his paintings

To draw shapes independently

To create a picture of a face using shapes and lines



We wear an apron when we are painting.

There is space for 2 friends to paint at our art wall.

