

## Welcome to Nursery!

In Nursery the teacher is Mr Tunnell and Mrs Rashid is the Early Years Practitioner.

Passion

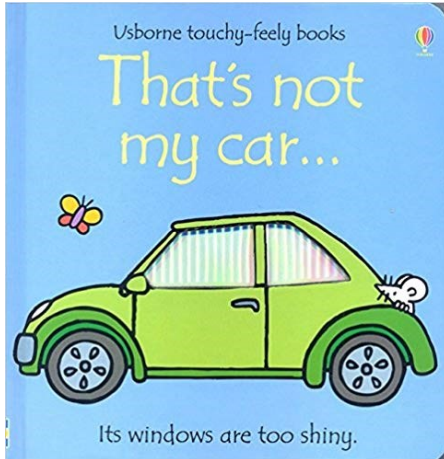
Opportunity

Well-being

Expression

Reflection

### Reading



In Nursery we are always following the children's interests. Our children have a curiosity around 'cars' at the moment. So our talk for writing story is 'That's not my car.'

We will be encouraging our children to learn the story by using actions. Ask your child about this story at home.

### Writing

This term we are thinking more about writing our names. Some children have done a wonderful job and know how to write their name but others are still struggling. We would like all children to be able to leave the Nursery writing their name independently. Each child has a name writing card. You will have been sent one at some point to practice with at home. If you would like another please speak to one of the staff.

### Maths

This term we are focussing on the numbers 1-5. Counting groups of objects, recognising the numeral, writing it and performing up to 5 actions such as 3 jumps, or 4 head bops. Practice these at home with your child wherever possible. A good understanding of 1-5 will support them as they learn the numbers to 10 later.

## Wider Curriculum

In Nursery our priority continues to be developing spoken language, the ability to move our bodies the way we want to and to learn how to work with others.

Each child has a specific need/target in these areas. Please continue to work with your child's key person to develop these targets further.

## Vocabulary

Each child has a different set of language skills and are working at different levels. There are some specific words we are leaning about which are linked to our Talk 4 Writing story. Children need to learn about these words at home too:

**Lumpy Bumpy Rough Squashy Shiny**

## Snack

We ask for a contribution of £10 per term towards our snack. This allows us to provide the children with additional snack and cooking experiences linked to our learning themes. So far we have had pasta with tuna and cheese, toast galore, cereal and much more.

We kindly request that this is payed via parent pay. It does not need to be payed in one sum and can be spread across the term. If you require any help with parent pay please see the office staff.

## Things to remember

Your child should try to wear their Uniform everyday.

Please make sure your child has suitable clothing for the weather which includes a thick waterproof coat, hats, gloves etc.

We will support your child in getting themselves dressed.

## Learning Together Time

We invite parents to stay in Nursery at time to work with their children (from your child's second term.)

## Behaviour

For a safe and happy school we are expected to:

Be respectful

Be kind

Be truthful

