

Nursery Newsletter

14th December 2018

This week we have been...

- Performing our Christmas show! ©
- Learning about the concept of the 'under'.
- Searching for hidden 'bad' characters around our classrooms and ticking off who we have found.
- Learning the story of 'Billy Goats Gruff' and creating a story map as a class.
- Making Christmas cards for our family and using the words longer and shorter when doing this.

Important Dates and Messages:

- Thank you for coming to see our Nursery Christmas show. We are so proud of all of the children and hope you enjoyed it!
- All Day Children: *On Wednesday 19th December there will be no hot dinners; instead the kitchen will be providing a packed lunch for the children who pay for hot lunches. This will comprise of a sandwich, yogurt, piece of fruit and a biscuit.
 - * On Thursday 20th December the kitchen will be providing a Christmas dinner for the children. This needs to be paid for in cash asap. This applies to children who have hot dinners <u>and</u> children who have a packed lunch but would like a Christmas dinner. Please note that the kitchen will only be providing a Christmas dinner on this day and will not be offering jacket potatoes or any other option, so if you do not want your child to have a Christmas dinner please send in packed lunch instead.
 - * On Friday 21st December there will be no not dinners. Please send in sandwiches for your child. We will top up their lunch with tasty party food!
- Friday 21st December will be Party Day. Children can come to nursery in their own clothes or party clothes. We ask for parents to donate party food for the children to enjoy. Please can Morning children send in cakes, can All Day children send in crisps and can Afternoon children send in biscuits. If possible please send in any party food donations before Friday so that we can share it between the three classes. Thank you in advance! ©

Happy 4th Birthday to Nancy, Ruby, Esme and Oliver!

Weekend Activity

At the end of term we will be sending home your child's 'self-registration' boy or girl. Next term the children will need to find their name at the start of each Nursery session. Therefore, we ask that over the Christmas holidays you spend time with your child practising recognising their name.

When encouraging your child to recognise their name, please ensure that the first letter is a capital letter and the remaining letters are lower case letters, e.g. 'Daisy' (not 'DAISY').

If you would like to challenge your child, you could write your child's name and other family member's names on different pieces of paper and hide them around a room at home. Then play a game with your child to see if they can find their name! their brother's name! the dog's name etc.)

This will be the last weekend activity we will send this term, so we would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support with your child's weekend activities as well as taking the time to write on SPTO each week. We really do appreciate it!

The Nursery Team