



Little Fishes Class News

A newsletter for Little Fishes Parents

Spring Term 2024

We would like to wish you all a Happy New Year and extend a big welcome to all new Little Fishes pupils and parents! The children are settling in well and we are looking forward to a fun packed Spring term.

After the Easter holidays we will start to prepare some of the children in readiness for school. We are currently sharing lots of books to develop the children's awareness of rhyme and alliteration. We will be using the Read, Write, Inc (RWI) program and will be introducing them to some of the letter sounds.

Thanks for all the lovely messages and comments on Tapestry. We love to hear how much your children enjoy Little Fishes as much as we love it too!

CAN YOU HELP?



As you are aware Nursery can be a messy place! We are looking for any spare knickers, socks and trousers (ages 2-5) that you may be able to donate for our spare clothes box. Thank you!



As we follow your children's interests when planning, we are unable to predict what our focus will be in advance. We will however, inform you of the main area of learning we are concentrating on each week on Tapestry (Please let us know if you have been unable to log in to Tapestry). If you would like to see what your child has been learning over the week, please feel free to ask us and have a look at our Learning Journey wall. We will also be having key worker meeting with you this term to discuss your child's interests and progress.

Don't forget to leave a drawstring PE bag with a change of spare clothes in at nursery. We will only send this home if your child has been changed.

Coats and waterproofs are essential this time of year in ensuring that your child can always access our outdoor environment, if your child could bring wellies that would be fantastic. As always, please name everything!



Please send in a **named water bottle** every day and please **name packed lunch boxes**. Just a reminder – due to allergies, no nuts, sweets or chocolates. And please cut up grapes to avoid choking. Thanks!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Easter Celebration
and
KEY WORKER MEETINGS
(Dates to follow)

Please come and speak to us if you have any queries or concerns –
We are ALWAYS happy to help!

Please remember to use Tapestry inform us of any observations of your child at home or a note to inform us of an event/special occasion which is important to them.

The link between parents and school is very important and knowing about your children's learning and experience outside of school helps us plan appropriate learning opportunities in school.

YOUR NURSERY TEAM...

Mrs H Allier - Nursery Teacher (Mon-Thur) - **stripy fish room**
Mrs M Cook – Nursery practitioner lead – **spotty fish room** (Mon- Fri)
Ms Bishop – teacher – (Wed pm)
Mrs M Manns, Miss B Prior, Miss K Simmons, Mrs H Murphy, Miss Jenkins, Ms Bailey Morris – Nursery Teaching Assistants

