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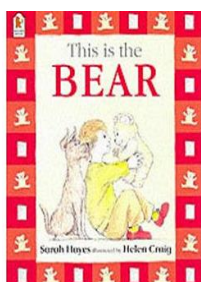
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Dear Parents/Carers;

Nursery learning next week

Every week on a Friday we send out a letter telling you what's ahead for your child. Please continue to check the PARENTMAIL APP to stay up to date news and information. Here's some information about what your child will be working on in class, including the lesson details for each day.



Here's some information about what your child will be working on in class next week. We will be continuing with our new topic 'Animal Adventures'. This week the children will be listening to 'Brown Bear, Brown Bear' and 'This is the Bear' stories.



As always, please come and see us if you'd like more information on the learning your child is working on. We can help you with tips on things to do at home and useful internet resources. We'd also love to hear about the fun you have at home learning new things together. And of course, keep an eye on Twitter so you can see what we're up to!

Remember communication is so important. If you're worried, unsure about anything or would just like to know how your child is learning, feel free to pop in and see us! It's good to talk.



- Cooking together – Thursday 23rd November
- Table Top Sale!
 - Friday 24th November
 - In the hall after school
- Starting reception 2023:
 - Apply online now!



We're a PAPERLESS School – so you must download & register your ParentMail App to receive e-newsletters, to book after-school clubs & Parents' meetings or to confirm consent for educational visits.



Please remember:

- ✓ No earrings or jewellery
- ✓ Names in jumpers, coats and shoes
- ✓ Water bottles
- ✓ Bring a clean set of clothes
- ✓ Welly boots for cold and wet weather



Please have a little look at the **pink box** below. I will be putting something new in it each week for you to do. Sometimes it will be about what parents can do, other times it will be for children to make something with you. Please read and enjoy the different activities and let me know how it goes. Remember to tweet pictures too!



Family Learning Together

Encourage your children to draw a picture of your home. Ask them what they need to draw – the talking is as important as the drawing.

Key vocabulary: door, window, roof, wall

Don't forget to tweet (X) a picture and tag us too! ☺
@TVInfants @AdamDobsonTVI @SamTVI1

We'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for your support and hope that you'll find this information helpful.

Yours sincerely,

Adam Dobson
Head of EYFS

| Nursery Timetable WB: 20th Nov | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
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| 8:45 - 9:00 12:30-12:45 | Welcome and settling period. Children find their name brick to complete their self registration, then choose an activity. | | | | |
| 9:00 - 9:20 12:45-1:05 | Reading familiar animal stories and exploring different fruits. | | | | |
| | I can listen to the story 'This is the bear'. | I will remember the animals from the story "Brown Bear, Brown Bear". | I can play a game with all my friends. | I can count the bears using my numbers 1-10. | I can join in and learn a new song. |
| 9:20 - 11:15 1:05-3:00 including freeflow | Free Flow Activities | | | | |
| | We will be pretending to play in the bear cave. We will be learning how to play with our friends and share our toys. | | | | |
| | Children are developing their fine motor skills with a range of mark making and construction activities. They can use paint to print patterns and shapes. | | | | |
| | Personal Social Emotional Development: We are encouraging children to be more independent and confident. | | | | |
| | Directed Activities: | | | | |
| | Children will be making a bear collage. | We will be printing fish shapes using sponges | Children will be counting natural resouce objects. | Cooking Together | Children will be making playdough. |
| | Outside: | | | | |
| | Children are developing gross motor (big muscle) skills. They are building with construction materials, and climbing on the climbing frame. | | | | |
| 11:15-11:45 3:00-3:30 | Snack time: | | | | |
| | During snack time children are encouraged to choose, eat, and drink their snack independently. They are encouraged to show good manners, saying please and thank you. | | | | |
| | We will read some of our favourite stories. Children will learn counting songs such as 'five currant buns' and are encouraged to join in with singing and actions. | | | | |
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| Home time | You can talk to your child about the activities and perhaps get them to show you. Read stories with your children and encourage them to talk about what they can see in the pictures. | | | | |