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## Nursery Summer 1 Newsletter 2024



Dear Parent/Carer,

We hope you and your child/children have had a lovely Easter holiday, enjoying spending time with family and friends.

As always in Nursery, we have a new focus each week with various activities that fit with our theme.

We practise phonics every day, learning a new sound each week. This focuses on hearing sounds, forming sounds and blending sounds. We follow a scheme called 'Little Wandle' which the children will continue with in Reception.

This half term we are focusing on animals/creatures in various settings:

### Week 1 – Pets/Vets

Story: Hairy Maclary Word of the week: Veterinarian

### Week 2 – In the Wild

Story: Dear Zoo Word of the week: Safari

### Week 3 – In the Woods

Story: Goldilocks and the Three Bears Word of the week: Hibernation

### Week 4 – On the Farm

Story: Little Red Hen Word of the week: Harvest

### Week 5 – Minibeasts

Story: Hungry Caterpillar Word of the week: Lifecycle

### Week 6 – Nocturnal Animals

Story: Day Monkey, Night Monkey Word of the week: Nocturnal

### Bright Futures Week:

The week commencing 20<sup>th</sup> May is also our Bright Futures week. If you have an occupation you would like to come in and talk to our nursery children about, please let us know!

Home learning activities will continue to be sent on Seesaw on a weekly basis, I really do love the work that the children send back and I very much appreciate the time and effort that many of you put into this with your child. It really does reinforce the link between home and school which is such an important part of every child's learning journey.

As always, a polite request to ensure that all of the children's clothing is named and that your child's bag of spare clothes is always stocked with: a spare t shirt, jogging bottoms (shorts in the warmer months), socks and pants. If your child does take home some of our spare clothing, please can you wash this and bring it back to school.

A huge thank you to those of you who donated kindly to our toast fund last term, this is so much appreciated.

Finally, if you have any queries, please do not hesitate to ask a member of the nursery staff and we will be happy to try and help.

Thank you,  
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