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FULL STOP
TO LEARNING**

NURSERY NEWSLETTER – SPRING TERM 1

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the break, we are ready for another fun term in Nursery!

This term we will be enjoying a range of stories by Julia Donaldson such as The Gruffalo, Room on the Broom and The Snail and the Whale. We will be reading the stories and carrying out lots of related activities in class. The attached topic wheel shows how each area of the curriculum is covered through this topic.

We have really enjoyed taking part in a range of activities this term, both indoors and outdoors. Please continue to send a spare set of clothes to school in case we get messy!

In Nursery we really value the input of parents and carers in your child's learning and school life and we will continue to offer 'Stay and Play' sessions in Nursery on Thursday mornings from 9-9.30am. This is a chance for your child to show you some of their favourite activities and for you have an insight into how the children engage in activities in our Nursery setting. If this time doesn't suit please let me know if you would like to come along another time, we can be flexible.

The Early Years Curriculum takes a whole child approach and therefore we are always interested to hear of new skills and interests that your children demonstrate at home. We can add this to their learning profile of achievements at school. Please do give us a note or photo of any exciting things happening with your child at the weekends or out of school hours.

We enjoy sharing photographs and information about our learning on our school Twitter account, if you wish to follow us my account name is @mrsrachelreay. If you do not wish for your child to be included in any photographs on the school twitter please let one of the Nursery team know.

Please be reminded of the following session times for Nursery:

Morning session 8.55am – 12 noon

Full time session 8.55am – 3.25pm

Afternoon session 12.30pm – 3.25pm

Thank you for supporting us in dropping off and collecting your children promptly. This term if families are more than 15 minutes late at pick up or drop off, more than 3 times in one week, we will invite you to a meeting to discuss this. Of course we understand there are unforeseen circumstances sometimes but regular lateness has an impact on the children, their learning and their confidence within the setting.

Many thanks for your continued support, we look forward to a fun and exciting term ahead!

**Yours sincerely,
Caroline Rachel, Tsimba and Rachel**