# Nursery Autumn Term 1- All about Me Topic-People Who Help Us

#### Dear Parents/ Carers,

This is an overview of what the children in the nursery will be learning during the first half of the Autumn Term.

#### **Being Imaginative**

This term our role play in the classroom will be a home corner to promote speaking and listening about home life and how to care for others. The role play outside will be the mud kitchen and the builders yard.

#### Art and Design

The children will be painting a portrait of themselves, building models and using collage materials to create different pictures.

#### <u>Literacy</u>

The children will have a daily phonics session where they will be taught Phase 1 phonics using the 'Letters and Sounds' framework. They will be encouraged to listen to environmental and musical sounds and encouraged to talk about what they see, hear or do.

## Physical Fine Motor Development

The children will be encouraged to draw circles and lines, use one-handed tools such as scissors and glue sticks and make marks using different media. Physical Gross Motor Development

The children will be encouraged to throw, catch and kick a large ball, climb on the outdoor equipment and move freely in a range of ways such as skipping hopping and running.

<u>R.E.</u> The children will be learning about 'Special People'. They will be learning about religious festivals that take place during the Autumn term such as The Harvest Festival, Bonfire Night and Eid.





# HOME LEARNING

Children will receive a home reading book at the end of this term. Reading books will be changed once a week. Please bring your child's book bag into school on their specified day. Please ensure that you have made a comment about your child's reading in their school reading diary. Your child need to be read with at least 3 times a week.

#### Monday - Monkeys

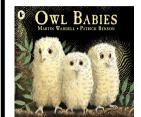
Tuesday – Tigers and Zebras N1 Wednesday – Giraffes Thursday – Elephants Friday– Zebras N2 Websites to support your child's learning

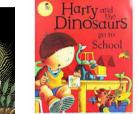
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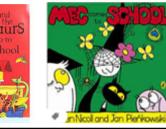


# <u>Reading</u>

The children will be reading stories about going to school followed by the topic, 'People who help us'.



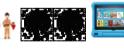




## **Mathematics**

The focus of this term for the children will be counting objects, reciting numbers in order, making comparisons between quantities and using the language more and a lot. The children will also be learning how to complete jigsaws, how to make structures using blocks, filling and emptying containers and learning about 2d shapes.





The children will be learning about the changes in the weather during the Autumn season and will go for an Autumn walk in the local environment.

#### People and Communities

The children will be talking about what they enjoy doing with their family and friends. They will also be learning about different jobs that people have to help us. Technology

The children will be learning how to use the interactive whiteboard and play games on the iPads.