

## **Nursery Parent Information for the Week beginning 21<sup>st</sup> October 2024**

The children in Nursery have learnt so much this week about different cultures and communities. They have enjoyed learning about the number 3 and making it in lots of different ways in class this week. They have also loved looking at their pictures of their families and Baptism/celebration photos sent in by parents. Thank you ever so much to the parents who have sent in these images to add to the Nursery lesson plans it is much appreciated.

## **School Uniform and bags**

- Please make sure that you are labelling all of your children's belongings including spares
- Please send your child to school with a suitable coat and a pair of clearly labelled
- Please label your child's uniform. Please may we also ask that children wear school shoes, not trainers.
- Please provide a bag of spare clothes, as sometime children may need to change, due to a toileting accident/ engaging in messy/water play throughout the day.
- Please send your child to school with their maroon book bag every day. They take
  home letters and any crafts they have done in their book bags and will take home
  reading books after half term.
- Remember to send your child with a labelled water bottle every day.

## **Phonics**



During the first half term we are looking at Phase 1 in phonics and exploring several types of sounds in the world around us. This week we will be exploring rhythm and rhyme again and exploring lots of different rhyming words and nursery rhymes.

In order to allow all of the children to fully settle into the Nursery we are yet to hand out any lilac reading books to date. We will be handing out these reading books in the first week after the half term.

Please share rhymes with your child at home and take them to the library to share books with them.

## Literacy



This week we will be looking at the book 'Leaf Man' by Lois Elhert. We will be exploring the Season of Autumn further and thinking about all of the different colours and changes that occur in this season. We will be making our own leaf man pictures and doing leaf and bark rubbings as well as leaf printing.



At home collect lots of different coloured leaves and bring them into school on Monday ready for our leaf man lesson on Tuesday. Please try to dry the leaves a little before putting them in a bag.

Maths



In maths this week we will be looking over numbers 1-3 and thinking about one more and one less within these numbers and how to find these numbers. We will be creating the numbers 1-3 in a variety of different ways.

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At home think about where you can see 1, 2 and 3 things. Find the numerals on the houses or objects in the house.

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This week in RE we will continue our half termly topic 'Covenant and creation' We will be looking how we should be looking after God's world



At home think about how we can look after the world around us. By turning off the tap or the light switches, putting our rubbish in the bin, Recycling etc.

**Topic** 



This month we will continue to be looking at the season on Autumn and the signs of the changing seasons.



We will endeavour to answer any questions at pick up times throughout the Nursery day but it can be quite rushed as we have so many children and parents. Please use the following email to contact your class teacher if you have any questions or queries: nursery@olopprimary.co.uk

We hope you all have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Miss Petford, Ms Richardson and Mrs Featherstone

