



## This week in Nursery...

Welcome back! We hope that you have all had a lovely half term break. Thank you to those parents who shared some lovely home learning with us via Tapestry. This week during our circle times, we have talked about the things we have done during the holidays, talked about Bonfire night and where the celebration comes from. The children have enjoyed taking part in lots of different activities to do with Bonfire night, especially making chocolate apples! We also talked about how to stay safe around fireworks. Next week, we will be focussing on Remembrance Day, World Kindness Day, Children in Need and Diwali.

### Home learning

This term, I will post a home learning activity for you to do with your child each week. Please ensure you post up to Tapestry when you have done the activity so I can see how you get on!

#### This week...

Play a memory game. If you have a set of cards like 'pairs' use this. If you don't, you could make your own cards with some paper, card or paper plates. You could play this game with numbers to 5, colours or shapes.

Encourage your child to match the items on the cards, taking turns and remembering where each card is. Let me know how you do!

### We are now in a second national lockdown.

When you are bringing your child to school, please ensure you are wearing a mask and maintaining a 2 metre distance from us and other parents.

If your child has symptoms of coronavirus, please keep them home and get a test. It is so important that we protect ourselves and one another. Please be assured that we are keeping your children as safe as possible in school.

Remember, **HANDS - FACE - SPACE.**

If you have not sent in wellies and a change of clothes for your child, please can you do this as soon as possible. We will be outside as much as possible this winter and we need the children to be dressed appropriately. Please also ensure that your child's belongings are labelled.

### SNACK

Thank you to those parents who have paid their snack money regularly this term. It is really appreciated. Please remember if your child is AM only we ask for £1, if they stay all day, £2. You are welcome to pay week by week or the full half term.

### Independence

It is **so** important to help your child develop independence. Putting on their coats and shoes by themselves is an important skill to learn and we need your help at home to encourage your child to do this. Although things may take a little longer, encouraging your child to do things by themselves will benefit them and you! Please help your child to do these little things at home!

### Star of the week

This week, our star of the week is

★ Paige ★

For always being ready to try all the activities we have on offer in Nursery



### Tapestry

Please ensure you are logging on to Tapestry regularly to stay up to date with what your child is doing in school.

### Busythings!

Well done to those children (and parents!) who have accessed Busythings at home. I love seeing the Avatars that you have created together. If you need some support to get online with Busythings, please let me know and I can arrange to call you and talk you through it.

Have a great weekend.  
Mrs Holland and Mrs. Passmore