Nursery Newsletter

Spring 2

Welcome Back!

Welcome back after the half term! We're excited to share all the wonderful activities we have planned for the next few weeks in Nursery. To start things off, we will be baking pancakes to celebrate Pancake Day, where the children will get to explore measuring, mixing, and enjoying a delicious treat. We will also be diving into the exciting world of dinosaurs as we learn all about these fascinating creatures. A special visit from the team at Teach-Rex will bring a real-life dinosaur named 'Jam' to our classroom, sparking curiosity and imagination. Finally, we will be celebrating World Book Day with fun activities that encourage a love of reading and storytelling. We can't wait for another fun-filled half term!



Don't forget to log into your child's tapestry journal to see what we have been learning!

This half term I will

- Be able to identify different types of dinosaurs (Triceratops, Diplodocus, Pterodactyl, T-rex).
- Understand the features of the different dinosaurs.
- Understand that some dinosaurs were vegetarians, and some dinosaurs ate meat.
- Learn what it means to be a vegetarian.
- Be able to discuss what fossil are, talk about what they look like, and make my own fossil.
- Understand that dinosaurs were alive a long time ago and they are now extinct.
- Begin to plant seeds to observe what happens when they grow.
- Continue to deepen my understanding of rhyming words.
- Continue to develop my subitising skills.
- Develop an understanding that the last number I counted is the amount.

You can support your child at home by

- Going on walks to notice signs of spring.
- Continuing to read lots of stories together, talking about the author, characters and title.
- Talking about what they used to enjoy doing in the past or about different experiences they have had in the past.
- Encouraging your child to use a knife to cut their food.
- Using the language full, half full and empty when making a drink or having a bath
- Encouraging your child to speak in full sentences.
- Allowing your child to carry out small tasks to encourage independence.
- Encouraging your child to zip up on their own coat.
- Enjoying spending time together and having fun.
- Supporting your child to form the letters in their name correctly.

Key Information

Bookbags are to be returned to school on Tuesdays and Thursdays, ready for a new library book to be sent home at the end of the day. Please make sure all of your child's belongings are labelled, including hats, coats, scarves.