



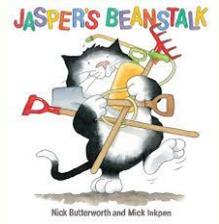
CLASS KB- NURSERY



We hope that you have all had a lovely Easter Break!
Welcome to our new nursery children who have joined us.

Our topic for this half term is:

GROWING & CHANGING



Communication/ Language

We will be sharing our holiday news within our key worker groups. We will also play lots of speaking and listening games. The children will be encouraged to talk in sentences. We will continue to develop our language by learning new vocabulary linked to our stories and topic.

Mathematics

In Number we will continue to work on; counting and matching amounts to 5 and 10, one to one correspondence, number recognition, ordering numbers to 10 and comparing amounts of objects, We will also learn new number rhymes.

In our Shape, Space and Measure sessions we will continue to focus on recognising and describing basic shapes (circle, semi-circle, triangle, square and rectangle). We will also work on height. The children will be taught to use words 'tall' and 'short' to describe the height of something.

Expressive Arts

We will work on building simple structures with blocks and use them in our play. We will use paints and chalks to create colourful butterfly pictures.

Our role play area will encourage the children to act out experiences familiar to them. We will also sing lots of songs and rhymes.

Lunchtime payments

If your child attends the beginning or end of the week sessions and you would like your child to stay for lunch on these days, you are required to pay £2 per day to cover the cost of supervision. This amount must be paid on the first day your child attends each week, either on a Monday morning or a Wednesday afternoon.

Unfortunately if you fail to pay, your child will not be able to stay across lunchtime.
Thank you!

PSED

Our Jigsaw lessons this half term will focus on 'Relationships' and how to build positive relationships with family and friends. We will reflect on our values of kindness and respect

Physical development

We will work on developing our fine and gross skills through a variety of fun activities, including parachute games, Cosmic Kids Yoga, ring games, finger aerobics and weaving. We will also work on our ball skills: throwing, catching and kicking a ball.

Important messages

- Please make sure you write your child's name in all clothing items including shoes.
- Please remember to send your child to school with a water bottle.

Literacy

Our focus texts for this half term are the stories 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle and 'Jasper's Beanstalk' by Nick Butterworth & Mick Inkpen. We will also share lots of other stories and rhymes. We will continue to practise writing our names and drawing simple representations. In phonics we will work on environmental and voice sounds and rhyme.

Understanding the World

We will learn about different mini beasts; naming them and looking closely at their features. We will observe the life cycle of a butterfly with our very own caterpillars. We will also plant runner beans and watch them grow.

Class library

A reminder that library books are to be returned on a Wednesday. The children will then be given a new book to take home and share with you. Unfortunately if your child does not return their book on this day, they will have to wait until the following week.

R.E.

We will continue to learn and use the school prayers which we say at lunch time and home time.

Thank you!

Any voluntary contributions of 50p per week would be greatly appreciated. This money is used to buy resources such as books for our class library. Thank you in advance!