



NURSERY



Coming up week beginning 27/4/26

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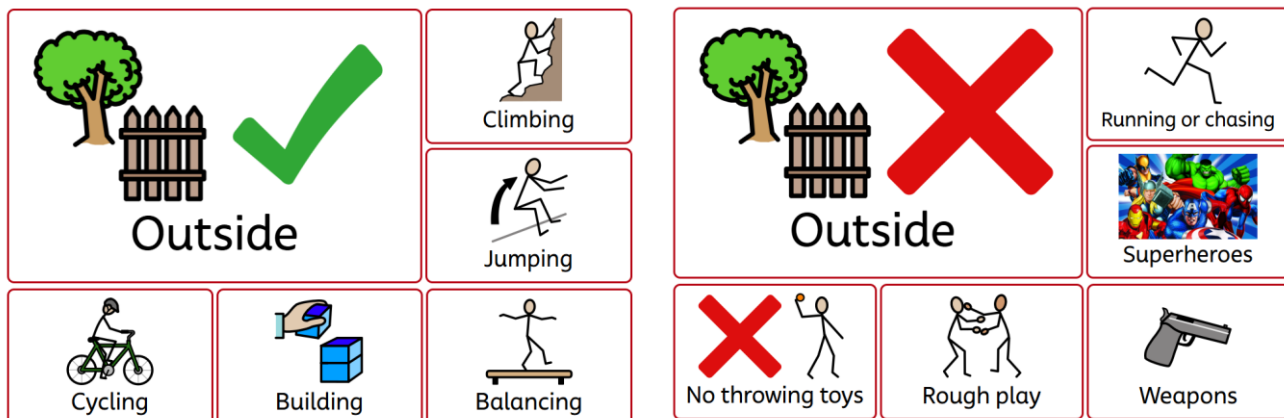
PSHE- Request- baby photos!

We are learning about how we change over time in babies, plants and animals. Please send in, either via email or a paper copy a picture of your child as a baby so that we can compare and discuss!

If any parent who has a baby and is willing to bring them in to show Nursery a real life baby we would love to hear from you! Please let a member of the team know asap, or email the class address.

Rules

Since returning back from the Easter holidays we have introduced some clear rules to the setting, especially in the outdoor area. Below are the visuals we have worked with the children on all week. Please take some time to go through these with your child and adhere to them before and after school.



Junk modelling- Please don't throw your recycling away- we need boxes, lots of bottle tops, plastic containers, etc

Please make sure none of the packaging has contained nuts!
Also, if anyone is able to source paper of any kind we would love donations!

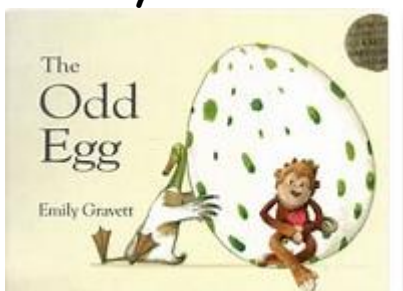


Yogurt lids

Theme for the Term: Ee-i-ee-i-o

The focus this half term will focus on investigating things that grow and change, caring and respecting living things and exploring life cycles of plants and animals.

Theme for the week: The Odd Egg
Literacy and Understanding the World



We will explore what might be inside a mysterious egg through this story by brainstorming our ideas.

Art and writing

We will represent our ideas about what might be inside the eggs by creating pictures of them, exploring line and shape. We might even make our own books about our ideas!

Maths

We will be focusing on matching numerals to quantity this week through playing games such as skittles and '10 Nice Things'.

PSHE- our learning environment and how to use it

We will continue to revisit how to use each area of the classroom and outside area appropriately. This will include our 'no running' rule outside to ensure the children are safe. Please continue to support your child in understanding this rule before school to ensure they are calm and ready for the day.

Request for spare clothes

If you have any clothes that your child has grown out of, we would be grateful of donations!

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Cutlery

If your child eats lunch at school, please remember to supply cutlery for them to use.

Here are a few reminders to help with the daily running of the Nursery.

What to bring into Nursery

Please ensure your child has the following with them every day:

- Clearly named water bottle (a familiar sticker might be useful). This must contain only water please, not juice.
- Clearly named book bag- it is helpful for the book bag to have one keyring on so that your child is able to recognise the book bag.
- Clearly named coat (when needed)
- Clearly named sun hat (when needed)

Your child does not need to bring in an additional rucksack with fruit or spare clothes (unless we have a separate arrangement that has been

agreed). It is important that your child is able to be independent from the start, so less items to remember will help!

Lunchboxes

If your child is in in Nursery all day please remember to pack a healthy, manageable lunch for your child to eat. If there is too much in their lunchbox, they can become over faced. Please name your child's lunch box on the outside of the lunchbox so it is easily visible.

Grapes- please cut these in half, lengthwise for safety.

NUT FREE SCHOOL! At The Mead we are a nut free school. There are several children with nut allergies in Nursery. It is of uttermost importance that lunchboxes contain no nuts.

Uniform

The nursery children look very smart in their new school uniform!

- Skirts and dresses are not part of our school uniform as they can be dangerous when climbing.
- Please make sure that your child wears shoes safe to climbing- trainers or plimsolls are perfect (only Velcro please!)
- Please also remember no jewellery is allowed as part of our school uniform policy. This includes earrings.
- Please name everything!

UNIFORM

All children are required to wear our nursery uniform. Children can dress in the uniform listed in which they feel most comfortable.

Uniform Details

- Royal blue sweatshirt or cardigan with school logo
- Dark grey tracksuit bottoms or dark grey leggings
- White t-shirt (with or without logo)
- Dark grey or royal blue shorts (for summer)
- Shoes/trainers without laces (we suggest Velcro trainers)
- Book bag with school logo



Optional Accessories

- Royal blue reversible fleece/waterproof jacket with school logo
- Royal blue sun hat with school logo
- Royal blue winter hat with school logo



Please note that children should not wear any jewellery to nursery.

All clothing and bags should be clearly labelled with your child's name.