

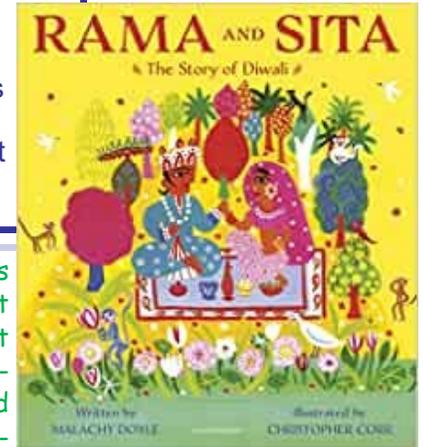
# Nursery Newsletter

Autumn 2

November 2021

## Welcome back to Nursery Class!

The children continue to be taught by Miss Rothwell and Miss Stout. School starts at 8.45am and finishes at 3.05pm. Please ensure your child arrives at school on time each day and tell us or telephone if you would like someone else to collect your child. We can only allow your child to leave with another adult if you have given your permission.



### Themes

This half term we will start by learning all about the Hindu Celebration of Diwali. We will be dancing, singing and sharing stories to learn all about the celebration. We will also explore bonfire night and learn all about how to stay safe. We will then be putting on our explorer boots and will be learning all about Antarctica and the Arctic through the key stories 'Lost and found' and 'The polar bears home'. Then Nursery will be working very hard to prepare a special EYFS Nativity performance and learning all

about Christmas. The children will be exploring these through the six learning areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage. These are split into 3 prime areas; Physical Development, Personal, Social and Emotional Development and Communication and Language. There are also 4 prime areas; Mathematics, Literacy, Expressive Arts and Design and Knowledge and Understanding of the World. We will also continually support your children to develop their core and fine motor skills alongside their mark-making and encouraging independence in regards to self-care.

### Library Books:

The children will be given a new library book each Tuesday to be returned the following Monday. Try to read the book regularly to your child throughout the week and make a note in their reading diary. Encourage your child to turn

the pages and discuss the pictures and predict what they think might happen next. This broadens their vocabulary and develops their understanding of story structures alongside helping to develop their listening and attention skills.

### EExAT

We will send home photos and observations of your children's learning using EEXAT online. All parents will be given a login for this. Please ensure you log-in regularly to see your child's work. This system is a fantastic way for us to share your child's learning. Please send comments back to us. We really welcome any photos and observations you make at home. These can easily be shared with us using EExAT and support our planning for your child in school.

### Things to remember

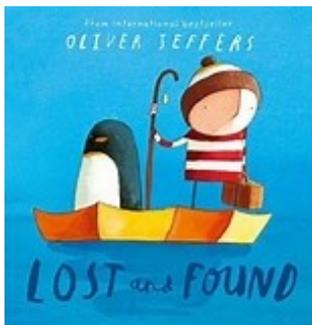
Homework:

Given out: Friday

Due in: Monday

PE will be every Tuesday morning and Friday afternoon.

Nursery do not require a PE kit. We take off our jumpers, sock and shoes.



We are always available to talk about any concerns you have regarding your child. Please do not hesitate to ask. However, we will sometimes need to make an appointment to discuss any concerns after school in order to meet yours and your child's needs.

### Forthcoming events:

EYFS will be hosting a mastery maths stay and play session. More information to follow.

Nursery and Reception will be inviting you to come and watch their special Nativity performance. More information to follow.