



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the new term in Nursery. The children are settling in really well and are enjoying a range of activities. They are finding new friends and developing new skills. We concentrate initially on developing the Prime areas. This involves 3 main areas- Communication and language, Physical development and Personal, Social and Emotional skills. If you look at the display on the welcome board it will show you some of the things that we are looking for. We have already got some great photographs of your children. We will be assessing your child during the first few weeks in Nursery once they have settled in, so that we can create their baseline. We will share this information with you later.

Most people have given me their email addresses so that we can send you regular updates through the '2 Simple programme'. If you have any questions or you are not sure about anything, please do not hesitate to ask.

Regular activities

On Tuesday's we take turns to bake.

Thursdays are 'Stay and Play' sessions and we also encourage you to take home a learning pack to try with your child at home.

On Friday's we usually have a time to celebrate the 'Star of the week' from each group. We like to celebrate children's success and readiness to try new things with stickers, verbal encouragement and certificates.

If anyone would like to take home 'Rainbow bear' for a weekend or evening, you would be very welcome.

If you would like to take a photo or write a little about the experience, we can add it to our display.

Our guinea pig-'Toffee' loves to visit different houses at the weekend. If you would like her company, please speak to a member of staff.

Forthcoming events

We will be celebrating Harvest with songs and stories on Wednesday 12th October from 11.00am to 11.40am. A letter with more details will be sent soon.

Friday 30th September from 11.00am will be fundraising for cancer research with a Macmillan coffee morning. Please come along to the Nursery courtyard. If anyone is willing to donate cakes they would be gratefully received.

Parent's evening will take place on Monday 17th October at 3.30pm until 5.30pm. You can pop in at any time to see some of your child's work and chat to your child's key worker.

Details about a Christmas concert and a potential visit this term will follow later.

If you would like to help with activities, we would welcome your help. You will need to have a security DBS check first of all. This can be completed through the office. Many thanks for your support so far.

Best wishes from, The Nursery team



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