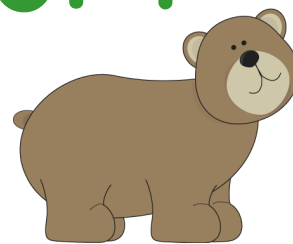




# CLASSROOM newsletter



Sept  
2021

## Important Dates

October Holiday Club - 25-29 October

Autumn Term Ends - 17 December

Xmas Holiday Club - 20-23 December

Spring Term Begins - 4 January

## CLASSROOM NEWS - BEARS

We are extremely excited to be starting the Autumn Term in a relatively normal fashion. We will be changing our dropping off procedures slightly. Parents from Bears Class will be welcome to come to the door and ring the bell at both drop off and pick up time. Cubs will also be dropping off their children in their outside area. A staff member from your child's bubble should come out to you immediately to welcome your child in the morning and say goodbye at pick up time.

Our themes this term will begin with All about Me and getting to know the new children and talking about our summer holidays and experiences. In the second week, we will focus on how we are all different and introduce the routine at nursery. Weeks three and four will be about Harvest and we will incorporate the books "The Little Red Hen" and "The Enormous Turnip" and with the harvest moon on 21<sup>st</sup> September, we will talk about farming and crops. We will continue on by enjoying some Autumnal walks and rambles. With World Animal Day happening on October 4<sup>th</sup>, we would like to welcome any pets to nursery that your child might like to come in. We will talk about sanctuaries and vets and how we can help poorly animals. Our animal theme will be continued into week six as we learn about nocturnal and hibernating animals. Our final week of term will be full of spooky fun as we get closer to Halloween. We will be potion making, talking about witches and wizards - there will be pumpkins, hats and wands and lots of fun.

We will be sending confirmation of your child's key person soon. However, please feel free to speak to any member of the Bears Team about your child's progress or any concerns or worries you may have. We will all get to know your children very well in the coming weeks and our Key Person role is mainly aimed at paperwork which includes planning activities to suit the different interests and abilities of each child.

We will be encouraging hand washing as before, and independence with self-care - including changing clothes, and toileting. Please ensure your child has a full change of clothes in their bags each day (more if they are likely to have a few toileting accidents in the day). Can they also please be labelled - even just initials scribbled on the labels can be a huge help!

We are hoping that the weather will continue to be kind, however, could you please provide your child with a pair of named wellies and appropriate warm outerwear for walks and outdoor play. Crocs and sandals can be extremely difficult for your child if we go for a woodland walk.

**JULIE**

**SABRINA, SUE, LUCY, MEGAN, GRACIE**

## Themes This Term

31 August **All About Me**

6 September

13 September **Harvest**

20 September

27 September **Autumnal Walks/Rambles**

4 October **Animals**

11 October

18 October **Spooky Week**



## Let's Welcome...

Raya, Imogen, Eliza, Finn, Ted, Freddie,  
Axel, Dylan, Toby, Morgan, Hallie, Maddy,  
Charlie, Kate, Molly, Theo and Florence

It's great to have you be part of Bears!

## HAPPY Birthday

Celebrating their Birthday this half term are:

Dorothy, Immy, Niamh,  
James, Hallie, Maddy,  
Charlie, Kate and Molly

We hope that you have a great day.

