



Nursery Newsletter

2.9.25



Welcome to EYFS:

We hope you have had a lovely Summer! A warm welcome to our new children and we are so happy to see our continuing children again. What an amazing year we are going to have!

Morning routine 8:45am

Please ensure your child is at school for the start of the day. We start the day with interventions for hand/eye and fine motor skills. Children who are consistently late miss out on this and it is important.

- **Arriving 5 minutes late every day adds up to over 3 days lost each year.**
- **Arriving 15 minutes late every day adds up to 2 weeks absence a year.**

We are in the process of having a new door put into the side of nursery, but this isn't a quick process so until this happens, nursery will come into the classroom from the green gates at the top of the steps into the "Reception" classroom. They will then complete a morning task in there prior to moving through to Nursery.

Pick up

Pick up 11:45am – this will be from the Nursery conservatory door round the corner.

Pick up at 3:15/3:30pm – This will be from the Reception classroom door, come to the green gates at the top of the steps.

Nursery children will need:

Water or weak squash in a named bottle

A spare set of clothes in a named bag which can be kept on their peg and sent home when it needs replenishing

Appropriate coat and hat depending on the weather

Library book day will be on a Thursday Morning and children will be given a plastic wallet to keep their book in, this only needs to come to school on a Thursday.

Packed lunch if accessing 30 hours.

Class names

Our F1 children are called: Jeffers class

Our F2 Children are either: Seuss or Ahlberg class.

Sometimes we use the terms;

EYFS Early Years Foundation Stage Unit

Reception or **F2** – Full time children in school

Nursery or **F1** – Part time and 30 hours children

This half term our focus is **'All about me!'**. We will be settling into a new structure and routines, talking about ourselves and what are our interests, looking at our bodies and how to look after our teeth and what it means to belong.

The focus for this Half Term:

Week 1 – Welcome and settling in

Week 2 – Rhyme Time

Week 3 - My body and my teeth

Week 4 – Belonging – family and community

Week 5 – My home and houses

Week 6- Harvest

Week 7 – Autumn and The Colour Monster

Home- Learning

Can you send in a family photo for our display? This can be a hard copy or by email.

Milk – Please ensure you have registered your child for School milk www.coolmilk.com, if they need a milk alternative, we are happy to store these in our fridge.

Nursery Fund – The nursery fund is £10 per term. This pays for cooking activities, snack and extra-curricular experiences. This will be payable by Arbor, once your child is set up on Arbor, you will receive instructions on how to set up the payment system.

PE – This will take place on a Wednesday morning. This first term we will be doing music and movement using 'Sticky Kids'. **Children can come in normal uniform for this.**

Seesaw

Many of you are familiar with See-saw already, but for those of you new to school this is an online journal that we use to give you a regular updates and upload photos from our day-to-day school life. There is also the option for messaging. This will be between you and your child's teachers.

We will be sending out a permissions slip to ask you to join Seesaw during the first week.

School website

The school website will have key reminders. This is in the process of moving to a new platform so will only have the basics on there until we move across.

<https://www.kirkbywoodhouse.notts.sch.uk>

If you need to clarify anything or contact us these are our emails. Please keep in mind we cannot answer whilst teaching.

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