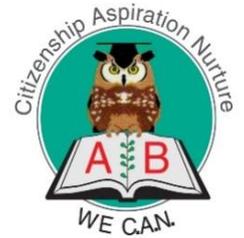


Albert Bradbeer Primary School Nursery

Newsletter Spring 2019



We're all looking forward to an exciting and motivating Spring Term in Nursery. The children are taking ownership of their nursery and becoming increasingly independent. To promote independence further the children are being encouraged to leave parents at the door and hang up their coats and bags independently, but don't forget to come in now and again to see the children's work around the classrooms. Thank you for working closely with the nursery team so that we are ensuring your children are happy and getting the most out of their nursery day.

Nursery Team

Mrs Sones - Nursery Teacher
Mrs Gregory - Teaching Assistant
Miss Smith - Teaching Assistant
Mrs Westwood - Teaching Assistant
Mrs Hanson - Cover teacher Thursday p.m.
Please talk to any member of staff if you have any questions, concerns or suggestions.

The topic this term

'The Three Little Pigs' and 'How does that building stay up?'

We will cover all areas of development through this topic. The children will be listening and sharing the story 'The Three Little Pigs' by Nick Sharatt and 'After the Storm' by Nick Butterworth, as well as factual books about buildings that are familiar to the children and in the community. They will be retelling and acting out the stories and thinking about the characters and the setting in the stories. We'll be getting creative and think of different versions of the story. They'll be drawing and painting their experiences and exploring and developing their understanding and construction skills using a variety of materials including real bricks, wood, straw, mud and sticks. They'll be exploring similarities and differences with others and learning about their feelings and behaviours. We will be exploring numbers and using shapes for purpose while developing their understanding of others and developing their friendships in line with school values.

Tapestry

Hopefully everyone is able to access your child's **Tapestry** learning journal from home to see some of the wonderful things the children are accomplishing at nursery. Thank you for sharing those special moments from home too.

Please speak to a member of the nursery team if you can't access the journal and we'll have you up and running in no time.

PE fun!

We'll be getting changed into our pumps and white t-shirts for PE this term. PE will include understanding and listening skills as well as physical development and expressive movement.

Trip around our local community

We'll be looking at the different types of buildings and what they are used for.

Healthy snacks and healthy teeth

We'll continue to support your child's healthy growth and development by providing healthy snacks and drinks.