

## Nursery Newsletter - Autumn Term

Welcome to the new academic year! We hope you had a lovely summer and are ready for the term ahead. This term our topic is Fairytales. We will be learning about the story and characters in these books and taking part in activities linked to them. Some of the stories include, The Three Little Pigs, Jack and the Beanstalk and Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

**Each Friday** we will send home a letter with the phoneme (sound), number and nursery rhyme that we will be focussing on the following week. Please take some time to practise these with your child. On a Friday we will also hand out a library book that can be read with your child. Please return this the following Friday so a new one can be given. Home School Diaries will be sent home **every other Friday** with a small activity that can be completed. If you have not already purchased a reading folder these can be purchased from Hucknall Sports and will help to keep your child's belongings safe.

To provide the children with resources needed, such as for baking etc, we ask for a small contribution of **£2 per half term**. Please pass this onto Mrs O'Leary or Mrs Talbot.

When arriving through the door you will see the self-registration cards next to the red bottle tray. The cards will have the children's names and photos on for the children to find and stick to the "I'm here today" board before sitting on the carpet. We will then begin to remove the children's photos so they can begin to recognise their name. Please encourage your child to find their name before sitting on the carpet.

As you bring your child, can you please ensure you complete the collection sheet so that we know who will be collecting your child at the end of each session. This is kept outside on the window.

When you collect your child at the end of the session, please wait at the gates rather than the door itself, until the door is opened. Some children can become distressed when they can see their adult directly outside the window, so keeping this extra space can help to keep them calm.

Please feel free to come in and discuss any queries you may have. Thank you for your support.

The Nursery Team