

'Helping us to help ourselves learn'

YEAR GROUP INFORMATION SHEET FOR PARENTS

SPRING TERM 2020

Class Teachers: Mrs Butwell and Mrs Barrington

Learning Support Assistants: Mrs Lane, Miss Bell and Miss Gilbert



Weekly Reminder



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Snack money is £1.00 for the week. Feel free to pay half termly or termly! The Cost is £6.00 for this half term and £6.00 for next half term (up until Easter).				Library books are changed on Fridays. Please ensure these are in the children's green bags so they can be changed regularly.

Our work this term will include...

This term we will be starting our new topic 'On the Farm'. Some of the books we will be reading include: Oliver's Vegetables, The Little Red Hen, Old MacDonald and What the Ladybird Heard. Lots of our activities this term will be linked with these books. We will be having an Immersion day on Wednesday 22nd January where the children can bring in from home a book about farms or animals or a toy. Please can the children bring in an empty, clean yogurt pot for one of our activities.

We will continue to use use Jolly Phonics to teach the children their sounds using songs and actions to help them. We will be encouraging children to recognise and write their names independently.

This term the children will have the opportunity to explore the different areas of the Nursery with creative and sensory activities relevant to our topic and also tailored to their interests.

We welcome all of the new children, parents and carers that have joined us in January!

- In the interest of health and safety at drop off time, we are encouraging all children to come up the steps to the Nursery cloakroom independently due to the limited space in the Nursery entrance. When the children enter the Nursery cloakroom there is a member of staff ready to greet them and help them with their coats.
- At the end of the session we can only hand your child over to their designated adult we are unable to let them leave with an older silbing. We call the children in the order that their grown up is in the line.
- Before and after Nursery sessions please do not let your children play with the Nursery equipment.

How you can help your child at home...

- Please encourage your child to put on their coat and do it up.
- Encourage your child to go to the toilet independently and wash their hands.
- Encourage your child to recognise their name.

Things we need this term...

Please label all of your children's clothes so we can ensure we return them safely! Just a reminder that the school policy is that children are to wear full school uniform in Nursery.

Your child will need a warm, waterproof coat for our outdoor classroom.

Please ensure your child's book bag is brought to school every day. Please avoid using rucksacks as we have limited space in the Nursery.



Key dates / events in our year group...

Nursery Immersion Day – Wednesday 22nd January

Safer Internet Day - Tuesday 11th February

St David's Day Celebrations – Friday 28th February

Inset Day – Friday 14th February

Parents consultations – Tuesday 3rd March – Wednesday 6th March. Daytime and evening appointments will be available (Letter to follow).





GENERAL INFORMATION

Please remember to inform the school office of any change of address, medication advice, home telephone number, mobile telephone number, or any other emergency contact information.

For more detailed information please refer to the School Prospectus on our website www.albertprimary.co.uk