



# Netherfield Primary School Nursery Autumn Term



## Nursery Teaching Team

**Butterflies** – Mrs Cranefield, Mrs Tabreham-Henshaw and Mrs Roopesh-Kumar

**Ladybirds** – Miss Wing

**Bumblebees and Hoverflies** - Mrs Spooner, Mrs Cooper and Mrs Brightman

**Caterpillars** - Mrs Hodkin and Miss Leivers

We will also be joined ,this term, by Mr Ingrey



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## Learning Themes

In our indoor and outdoor Learning Labs the children are encouraged to explore and investigate. They are able to choose what they want to explore, and their learning experience is enhanced and developed through adult open ended questioning.

This term our themes are ‘No Place like Home’ and ‘Let’s Celebrate!’

## PE

Mr Humphries teaches our PE lessons on a Tuesday morning, for our Bumblebees, Ladybirds and Butterflies and a Friday afternoon for the Ladybirds, Butterflies and Hoverflies. Please remember to send your child in sports clothing and trainers.



## Reading

In Nursery, we look at the book of the week each day before lunchtime. We have a story time at the end of our session. Our indoor book area, is very cosy and has lights around it. We have a wide variety of books that our children can choose. Friday is our special book day, where we visit our school library and choose a book to take home and share with our families.

## Dates for your Diary

Parents Evening - 9th and 10th November  
Christmas Jumper Day - 8th December  
Christmas Market - Fri 9<sup>th</sup> December - 2.30-4pm  
Santa Singalong—14th December  
Christmas Party—20th December

## Star of the week

Each week we celebrate the childrens’ successes in a star or the week assembly. We also use our Class Dojo points to reward the children and share with you how well they are doing.

## Phonics



Phonics is taught daily.  
In Nursery we explore and begin to tune into different sounds and body percussion. This helps to build our concentration and memory.  
We have lots of fun listening and making different sounds. Our phonics activities and games also help the children develop their early reading and writing skills.

## Maths

We are concentrating on numbers up to 10 and this will be taught by ‘Number of the Week’. Each day we have a focused maths time, where we explore different concepts.  
We love singing number rhymes too!

