



Netherfield Primary School Nursery Spring Term



Nursery Teaching Team

Butterflies – Mrs Cranefield and Mrs Tabraham-Henshaw

Ladybirds – Mrs Brightmore

Bumblebees and Hoverflies - Mrs Spooner, Mrs Hodkin, Miss Tucker

Caterpillars - Miss Leivers, Mrs Cooper, Mrs Hodkin



Spring
Term



Learning Themes

Our Spring Term themes is 'Into the Woods'. We will be exploring and discovering the world around us and what we can do to help look after it. 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.

PE

In addition to our daily Physical Development learning, Mr Humphries continues to teach our PE lessons and this term they will be on a Monday afternoon and a Friday morning. Please remember to send your child in sports clothing and trainers.



Reading

Everyday is a reading day in Nursery as we explore our book of the week and all the exciting things we can learn from it, share stories together, take part in our Book Talk sessions and enjoy our indoor and outdoor Reading Labs.

Our focus texts this term are:

A thing called snow by Yuval Zommer
Wow said the Owl by Tim Hopgood
Stanley's Stick by John Hegley

Dates for your Diary

5th February PLOD Week—
Possible Lines of Development:
Child initiated themes
7th February The Great 'Campout' Adventure Day



Phonics

During our daily Phonics sessions we explore and begin to tune into different sounds. This helps to build our concentration, memory and sound awareness. 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. This term we are focusing on identifying rhythm and rhyme in preparation for reading.

Star of the week

We celebrate the children's successes in our star or the week assembly every Friday. The children also earn Dojo points as well for their super learning. We will be making our Dojo points shop this term to spend some of our hard earned points!

Maths

We use our Maths skills in so many ways, every day in Nursery. Singing number rhymes, counting and checking our toys, buying items in our outdoor shop, sharing out our snacks during Milk and fruit, making playdough, counting our friends as we take turns and many more! This term we are focusing on the different ways numbers can be presented.

