



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back everybody to Chinley Nursery! We hope you and your families have enjoyed a wonderful summer holiday. This term we have lots of new children starting with us. We are excited to get to know them all and wish everybody a very warm welcome. Over the next few weeks we shall invite new parents in to have a chat about how well your child has settled. This will also be a chance for us to share your child's learning journal with you and for you to ask any questions and share any concerns you may have. Parent meetings will be arranged later in the term for the parents of children who are returning back to Nursery.

Our Topic

Our topic this term is 'Friendships and Fairy Tales'. We will be enjoying lots of fun activities to help encourage everybody to get to know one another as well as sharing some exciting stories. We invite everybody to bring in a holiday photograph showing something your child has enjoyed doing over the summer (or you could email it to the school office for us to print out). We also invite your child to bring in their favourite fairy tale/ story book to share with the class. Each Wed the children will enjoy a morning of outdoor adventure for Wild Wednesday. If possible please could children arrive ready in their welly boots on Wednesday mornings. Spare boots can be borrowed from the outdoor Nursery area.

Self Register

As you arrive at Nursery we welcome your child to self register by finding their name, writing/ tracing this and pegging it up on the washing line. If you have time to help the children do this before you leave that would be a great help to us by helping the children to settle into this routine before playing. This is great practice for the children to recognise their name, hold a pencil correctly and to begin forming letters accurately.

Snack

The cost of snack is 20p per day and the children really look forward to this time of the morning! This money allows us to provide a variety of healthy foods throughout the week. We will breakdown the cost of snack individually for you for this term.

Magic Moments

On the parents display board as you enter Nursery we have the 'magic moments' for your child, please take a slip of paper and write down any of their achievements out of Nursery so that we can share these with your child and their friends. We also have the 'wishing tree' for you to write down the things your child 'wishes' to learn or find more about.

Please come and speak to us if you have any questions. Thanks for your ongoing support.
From

The Nursery Team ☺

Vikki B (Nursery Teacher), Alice (Teacher- Wed), Hetty and Katie (Teaching Assistants)