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| **This Week:**  This week in Nursery, the children have continued exploring our new topic ‘Can we explore it?’. We have continued with a focus on art (Arts week). Where we have different art focused activities linked to animals from the book. The children have explored making their own clay snakes, collage animals, paper plate elephants and painted hand prints and added details to create zebras and tigers all linked to our focus book.  Our book focus is ‘Rumble in the Jungle’. We have read the book and answered questions based on the text, identifying different animal names and what discussing information and facts we know about them. Our provision activities are also based around this book.  At our mark making table, the children have been exploring drawing their own animals and creating animal patterns. This is helping them to develop their pencil control draw with a purpose in mind.  On our maths table we have been matching numicon quantity pieces to the written numerals. This helps children like quantity of a number to its written representation in numeral form.  Gentle Reminder  We open nursery from 8.40am-8.50am, we ask that you read the book or practise their name writing using the name card sheets from their draw and a whiteboard pen from the writing area from and return it after the shaker has been shaken at 8.50am. Books will be changed weekly by a staff member.    Attendance- 94.8% | |
| **Next Week**  Phonics sounds covered this week:  Miss Hosford’s group: r and j  Mrs Musgrave/ Miss Terry’s Group: u and b  Mrs Bailey’s group: m | **Stars of the week**  **Mrs Musgrave- Riley-** for sharing toys with other peers in the water tray.  **Miss Terry- Opal-**For always using beautiful manners.  **Mrs Bailey- Jack-**For trying really hard in his learning.  **Miss Hosford- Millie R**-For doing a fantastic snake and painting it really carefully! |
| **Homework**  Homework will be given out to children on their last day of every week. Please ensure this is physically handed in either by your child or yourself as members of staff do not check children’s bags.  If you have lost your home work or did not receive one due to absence, please collect your own copy from the notice board in the entrance to Nursery. | |
| **Reading books**  Children in Nursery are encouraged to select a book from the book box on the carpet area. Children should keep the same book for a week and return these on their last day of Nursery every week. Please ensure you change your child’s book with them in the morning. | |
| **Online Safety**  **National Online Safety – Youtube Kids**  **National Online Safety believe in empowering parents, carers and trusted adults with the information they need to hold informed and age-appropriate conversations about online safety with their child, should they feel it is needed. This weeks focus is “Youtube Kids”.**    modern computer cartoon / cartoon vector and illustration, hand drawn  style, isolated on white background. Stock Vector | Adobe Stock | |
| **Reminders**  Please remember to let staff aware if your child is being collected by a different adult. Please can we ask you tell us the name of the adult collecting the child and add it to the child collection board as you enter nursery.  Polite reminder that juice is NOT allowed in Nursery or school. Children are to bring in a bottle of water every day to ensure they are kept hydrated. This also applies for lunch boxes too.  A gentle reminder that we are a nut free school, this also means that if packs state ‘may contain traces of nuts’ this also cannot be provided in children’s pack lunches. Also, within our healthy school policy we ask that sweets and chocolate are not provided in pack lunches. Thank you for understanding.  Please ensure you chose your child’s dinner on the interactive whiteboard with them in the morning before leaving them or you notify them if they are a school dinner or packed lunch.  We open nursery from 8.40am-8.50am, we ask that you read the book or practise their name writing using the name card sheets from their draw and a whiteboard pen from the writing area from and return it after the shaker has been shaken at 8.50am. Books will be changed weekly by a staff member.  Thank you. | |

