

# Nursery Newsletter

## Autumn Term 2











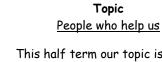
Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to school. We hope you and your child have managed to have a nice rest over half term. This half term we will be exploring 'people who help us.' We will be exploring different job roles and discovering how these occupations can help us in our communities. We will also explore different celebrations and celebrate the different cultures in

our class.



During this half term we will take part in Nursery Rhyme week. Throughout the week we will learn 5 nursery rhymes and perform them for each other. Children will receive a certificate at the end of the week for their participation. Please feel free to send in any videos of your child singing/joining in with nursery rhymes via class dojo or tapestry. If you need any support with this please ask a member of the Early Years team.



This half term our topic is 'People who help us.'

Topic

During this topic we will look into different job roles. We will have a specific focus into fire fighters, doctors, nurses and the police. We will talk about how these occupations help us within our communities and why they are important.

The children will begin to think about job roles which interest them and begin to share their own ideas about different job roles. We will read different stories based around our topic and the children will have a chance to role play different occupations.

### **Mathematics**

This term in nursery we will be investigating the number 1 and 2. We will be looking at the different ways we can represent these numbers, the different combinations we can make and to count 1 and 2 objects. The children will have the opportunity to join in with a variety of maths activities which will either be whole class or in small groups. Children will be able to access different maths activities in the different areas of provision.



#### Communication & Language / English

This half term we will reading lots of different stories as well as having a focus on Nursery Rhymes.

This half term we will take part in Nursery Rhyme week where the children will learn and perform 5 different nursery rhymes. We will have a focus on a different nursery rhyme everyday and the children will be able to share their own favourite nursery rhymes.

Each week the children will engage with different activities based around different book that they have read in their English session. They will also listen to different stories throughout story time. Children will begin to express which stories they like and talk about what stories they have read.

This half term we will read stories based on our topic 'people who help us' as well as stories based around Christmas and winter.

Children will continue to mark make and will begin to give meanings to their marks by explaining what they have drew. Children will begin to explore what different letters look like and have a go at creating their own marks to represent letters.

Now the weather is getting colder please ensure your child has a warm waterproof coat, hat and gloves in school every day. Please label everything with your child's name.



We also have a large number of children who haven't brought in a pair of wellington boots. Please send some in as soon as possible so your child can experience outdoors in all weathers.

As we get lots of wet socks in the winter months please ensure your child has spare socks in their book bags.

We share lots of our learning on our social media sites. Please ensure that your child's consent forms are up to date at the office so we can share your child's learning.

Website: www.boarshawprimary.co.uk Facebook- Boarshaw Primary School Twitter- @BoarshawP

#### Useful websites

Please find below a list of useful websites for you to explore with your child.

<u>www.phonicsplay.co.uk</u> - free games from the phase 2 section.
<u>www.topmarks.co.uk</u> - use the early years section to explore different areas of learning.





We still have a small number of parents who haven't accessed Tapestry or Class Dojo. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you need any assistance accessing these.

Remember to share with us your child's achievements on Tapestry. This could be them learning to ride a bike, a special picture or something they have made. Please share what you can as the children love to share these pictures with the class.

#### Home Reading

Please continue to read with your child at least 3 times a week. This can be your child's home reading book or a book from home. When reading with your child please talk to them about what they have read or what they can see. Please record that your child has read in their yellow reading diary.