



NURSERY NEWSLETTER



July 2021

Welcome!

On behalf of everyone at Outwood Primary Academy Ledger Lane we welcome you to a very new and exciting stage in your child's life! We are so pleased that you have chosen to come to our Nursery, and we look forward to meeting you in September.



Meet the Teachers

With your child's first day at school approaching, meeting their new teacher is an important part of the process.

Mrs Parkin will be your new teacher with Mrs Ruttle and Mrs Kirk-Smith in the morning and Mrs Ashton and Miss Duke in the afternoon.

Our Nursery sessions.

AM: 8.45 – 11.45

PM: 12.30 – 3.30

Lunches – if you are entitled to 30 hours please provide a healthy packed lunch which doesn't contain nuts or nut products.



Safeguarding

Your child's safety is our number one priority. Therefore, it is very important that we know each day which family member or other adult will be picking up your child from Nursery. If this changes during the session please phone to inform us. You can fill in the names of adults that will be picking up your child on the enclosed '**All About Me,**' sheet.

Parental Engagement.

Language development, developing confidence and having good self-esteem is a very important part of what we try to do in Nursery. We have found through experience that children love to talk about what they do out of Nursery and the activities below are designed to focus that enthusiasm!

Wow Sheets

A Wow sheet contains information from parents about something exciting your child has done at home. e.g. your child may have started swimming lessons or begun to write their name. There are 'Wow' sheets in a plastic pocket on the Notice board in our cloak room. Please feel free to help yourself!

Charley Bear

Charley Bear enjoys nothing better than going home with children and sharing in their activities for an evening or a weekend. All we ask is that you maybe take some pictures with him, draw some pictures and write a little about what he does. Your child can then bring him back to Nursery and tell us all about his adventures. If you would like to take home Charley Bear please speak to a member of staff and we will happily sort that for you.

Marvellous Me Box

Marvellous Me box is a great way to find out what your children love. All you have to do is take home the box and place in it various objects, toys, pictures etc. that are important to your child. They can then bring them back to Nursery and talk about the special things that are in the box. (All objects will be returned!)

Parental reading sessions:

Tues & Thurs – First 15 minutes of the session. Please see a member of staff for more details.