



Nursery Curriculum Plan for Autumn 2022



Welcome to the new children and welcome back

We are looking forward to working with the new children who have joined us in September. It is also lovely to welcome back the children who joined us earlier in the year.



Christmas Play

We will be performing a Christmas Play for you on Thursday 8th December in the morning. All the children will be invited in to perform even if they do not normally attend the session. Please put it in your diaries.



School lunch

If you would like your child to stay for lunch, the cost is £4 for the child care. The lunch is free. Please speak to Mrs Ward at the Office. The payment is on line via ParentPay and a link for the menu is emailed to you once a week and your child, once started, will need to keep to the days you choose.




Our Curriculum:

Our work this term will be focussed on a range of topics which include families, colour, animals, space, seasons and Christmas, all of which will be centred on a storybook on the appropriate subject. All work will be based around the 7 areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum, these are:

- Personal, Social and Emotional Development
- Communication and Language
- Physical development
- Literacy
- Mathematics
- Understanding the world
- Expressive arts and design (Including signing, painting, role play etc.)

Within planned learning we will be focusing on early name writing, name recognition and listening games. In maths we will be working on the language of size, positional language, recognising, naming and matching colours and reciting numbers past 5.

What your child needs to bring to school every day:

- Spare clothes, which can be left in a named bag on your child's peg; 
- Book Bag available from www.totalclothing.com or from their shop on Oundle Road, Peterborough;
- Suitable clothes for the weather, but please ensure that your child either has a cardigan/ coat at all times.
- Sensible shoes in which they can run and climb. **The outdoor space can be wet and muddy so you may like to send in clearly named Wellington boots for your child to wear outside.**

Any outgrown Wellington boots will be gratefully received for us to use in school!



Communication:

Letters – Tuesdays & Fridays (emailed home)
Messages on Seesaw
School Website: thorpeprimary.co.uk



Books and Reading: Your child will be bringing home a storybook on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**. It would be really helpful if your child could have a named book bag to put the book in. Please read with your child regularly as this is a good habit to get into ready for the start of Reception. In addition try and join your local library then you will have a good selection of books to choose from.



Seesaw:



During the first few weeks of term you will receive a code to log onto Seesaw. You can use this log in to see photos and videos of what your child gets up to at school. Please also use the messaging service to communicate with us if you have any questions, comments or concerns.

Illness:

If your child is ill please remember to telephone the school office on the first day of the absence. Telephone number is 01733 264340

