

Little Gems Newsletter

Friday 18th September 2015



Welcome to a new school year

What a busy couple of weeks we have had at Little Gems. We have welcomed the children back and we are very pleased to see some new children joining us eager to get busy.

We are happy to report our new friends are settling well into our new environment and enjoying the new space.

We are learning about the routine at nursery and looking at the topic of 'Ourselves' we are learning everyone's names and looking at our features. We have been busy painting our own 'Little People' to decorate the walls in nursery and our 'First Masterpieces' are already decorating the display boards.

We are enjoying singing nursery rhymes and stories on the carpet our favourites are 'Kippers Butterfly' and 'Wind the Bobbin Up', our listening skills are improving every day.

Reminders

Can we remind Parents to name all your child's belongings, school bags, water bottles, clothes and shoes. This helps the staff identify your child's belongings and prevents confusion.

Can we also remind you that the Brampton gate entrance is no longer opened at 12pm, The green gate beside the children's centre is open at this time, thank you for your cooperation.

Outdoor Learning

The weather has been very kind to us and we have all enjoyed exploring our new outside environment.

We are lucky to have the chickens very close by and have been able to go and visit the regularly to see if they have laid us an egg or two!

We found 'Fairy Wings' in the forest area and have been busy looking for more Fairy clues. This week we have left a note for the fairies and put their wings in a special box. We are looking forward to their reply.

We have also been lucky to find a frog or two in the pond area we all got to have a very close look before we carefully placed him back in the pond.

Coffee Morning

We are pleased to be supporting the MacMillan coffee morning this year on the 25th September between 10am and 11am. All parents/carers are invited to join us to share a cup of coffee and a slice of cake and at the same time support a good cause. There will be collection boxes for your generous donations.

This will be a good opportunity for you to come and meet all the staff working with your children at Gems and Little Gems.

We look forward to welcoming you into nursery.

We would like to inform you that Mrs Keech was unwell towards the end of the summer term and has not been well enough to return to Little Gems at the start of the term. We hope that Mrs Keech will be feeling better soon and wish her well.