

# WINHILLS Gems Nursery Fortnightly Newsletter

## Movement and handling

The children have enjoyed using the scissors. As part of our topic, exploring senses the children have used the scissors to cut herbs. Outside the children have enjoyed rolling the tyres down the hill. They have had races and measured how far the tyres have travelled by counting their steps.

### **PSED**

The children have been helping each other to find and put on their coats when preparing to go outside. At snack time we are working on using our manners when asking for the food we would like.

# Playing and exploring

The children have enjoyed exploring the school grounds, they have in small groups gone on scavenger hunts searching the environment for treasure collecting such things as leaves, feathers and sticks. They bought their exciting finds back to the nursery for the rest of the group to explore.

### **Communication**

We have developed our listening skills; on the carpet we have listened to different sounds and tried to guess which animal made them. The children have been amazing at this and have correctly identified many different

## **Busy learning**

We have been exploring our senses over the past two weeks .We have smelt different food and played a game using a blindfold to see if we could identify which food we could smell. The children have taken it in turns to bake bread rolls. They have used their sense of touch to explore the ingredients before mixing them together and kneading the dough.

# **NEWS**

The PTA have given each class a piggy bank. This is to help raise funds for the school. If you have any spare change please can we encourage you to fill our class piggy bank which will be on the name table at the beginning of each session. Mr Turner informs me there will be prizes for the pig who is 'stuffed the fastest'. Half term is fast approaching it is the week of the 22nd October we return to nursery on the 30th October 2018.





