



Through God, We
Love, Laugh and
Learn.

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Welcome to Nursery

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We are looking forward to an exciting Autumn term. Your class teacher will be Mrs Carnes and the teaching assistants are Mrs Hassall and Mrs Phillips.

Learning in Nursery

The attached page outlines some of the learning that will be taking place both in our classroom and by exploring our outside environment, this half term. Please help support your child by talking to them about what they have been learning in school. If you have any additional resources such as books, pictures or photographs that may be used to enrich your children's learning please use them at home with your child.

Your child will need

Please could you bring your child's school bag and named water bottle daily. Your child will have the opportunity to choose a library book and these will be changed weekly. Tuck money donation is £1 weekly if your child is full time, otherwise it is 20p daily (please place cash in an envelope into your child's school bag). The payment for hot dinners is online, please see Mrs Switzer in the office if you have any difficulties with your login. Please could we have a pair of wellies which can be kept in school and ensure your child always has a waterproof coat.

PE Days

You child will participate in outdoor P.E. this term, weather permitting! We will focus on ball skills and riding bikes and scooters. P.E. kits will not be needed until later in the year. On Fridays your child will need to come to school in casual sportswear i.e. jogging bottoms, leggings, hoodies and trainers (no uniform needed) .

Supporting your child at home

Each week a nursery rhyme will be sent home for your child to share and enjoy. We will be sending home autumn pictures for you to write about your child's learning. When these pictures have been returned to school, your child will share them with the class and they will be displayed on our learning wall.

Please ensure the school office has your current email address and contact numbers for communication purposes.

Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Many thanks

Nursery Staff



Our Topic for this Half Term is Autumn



In Literacy we are focussing on the 'Tiger who came to Tea', 'Elmer' and 'Oliver's Vegetables' and learning nursery rhymes.

In Mathematics we are developing our counting skills, learning number rhymes and playing number recognition games.

In Understanding of the World we are exploring our environment for signs of Autumn and learning to describe the weather. We will be taking part in lots of topic walks and will create a table to show off all the items we find.

In Religious Education we are learning school prayers and how to play with consideration for others. Our theme for this half term is 'Friendship'. We will also be learning about Harvest in October.

In Computing we are learning to use the Interactive Whiteboard and how to play and share with a variety of interactive toys.

In Physical Education we will focus on developing hand-eye co-ordination and learning to ride bikes and scooters.

If you have any queries please email office@st-michaels-stone.staffs.sch.uk.

We are looking forward to an exciting year in Nursery!

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