



Nursery Curriculum Letter

Friday 29th November

Autumn 2024

THE DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR A PLACE IN RECEPTION IS APPROACHING!

PLEASE DO SO BY 15TH JANUARY 2025.

PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL OFFICE WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

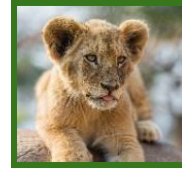
<https://www.sutton.gov.uk/w/applying-to-start-primary-school-1>



Bear Cubs,



Fox Cubs,



Lion Cubs

Design Technology & Science Sessions, including cooking.

Please pay your £5 contribution towards all the Design Technology, Science and cooking sessions we carry out through the year.

We have been practising for our show all week and we can't wait to share it with you on **Tuesday!**

Curriculum



We will of course be focused on the Christmas story and we will use our show to remember all the different people involved in the Nativity. We will also explore how people celebrate Christmas with different traditions all around the world.

Literacy Communication and Language



We will practise retelling the Christmas story out loud. We will practise writing the letters in our names.

Maths



We will learn some Christmas counting songs and practise our one-to-one counting skills and numeral recognition as we sing.

Physical Development



Development of ongoing skills such as:

Go up steps & stairs, or climb up apparatus, using alternate feet
Use one handed tools & equipment, e.g. making snips in paper with scissors
Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils
Continue to develop their movement, balancing, riding (scooters, trikes & bikes) & ball skills.

Dates for the term



3rd December - Nursery Christmas Shows 11.00am & 2.30pm

11th, 12th, 13th December - Learning together decorating Christmas Cakes session will be held daily at 11am and 2.30pm.

20th December - End of term - As this is a half day for the whole school we have different timings for our sessions:

Bear Cubs - 8.45am - 10.45am

Lion Cubs - 11.30am - 1.30pm

Fox Cubs - 8.45am - 1.30pm

Reminders



Special requests

We are still looking for some helpers to help us cut out holly leaves and wrap bases for our Christmas cakes. These are jobs which can be done in front of the tv one evening and we will provide you with everything you need and an example to follow. If you have a bit of time to help us just let us know over the next few days.

Learning at home

Christmas Song words - keep practising!!

Below are the words to the Christmas songs for our show. The children have been learning these at school but a little extra help at home would be a great support!



BUG CLUB E-BOOKS - please find your login details have been stuck in the front of your blue home/school books

This week we will look at:



Thank you, the Nursery Team
Mrs Towner, Mrs Ludlam & Mrs Willmont



Christmas song words



Go Away! (to the tune Keel Row)

"Have you any room please, in your Inn?" Joseph said.

"No, go away, we don't have any beds!"

(Repeat 3 times)

We must go to Bethlehem (to the tune of Oranges and Lemons)

We must go to Bethlehem,
To Bethlehem, To Bethlehem
We must go to Bethlehem,
To Bethlehem we'll go.

(to be sung 4 times)

Baa, Baa, Black Sheep

Baa, baa, black sheep, have you any wool?

Yes sir, yes sir, three bags full.

One for the master, one for the dame,

And one for the little boy, Who lives down the lane.

Thank you said the master, Thank you said the dame,

Thank you said the little boy who lives down the road.

Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star(sing twice)

Twinkle, twinkle little star,
How I wonder what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a diamond in the sky.
Twinkle, twinkle little star,
How I wonder what you are.

Away in a Manger (hum second verse)

Away in a manger
No crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head.
The stars in the bright sky
Looked down where he lay,
The little Lord Jesus asleep in the hay.