

Hedgehogs

Autumn Term



Welcome to the Autumn term!

Our learning this term

This term will begin by exploring the topic 'Marvellous Me'. This helps supports children in getting to know new friends, follow new rules and instructions in nursery and celebrate our differences and similarities. We will be looking at how we feel and expressing our different feelings in and outside nursery, using the story 'The Colour Monster' to support this.

After the children have settled into nursery life, we plan to explore some well-known stories including 'The Gruffalo'. Through this much-loved story, we will be exploring the characters, retelling the story and bringing the deep dark woods to life through some exciting hands on experiences. We are hoping to visit Queenswood and track down the characters for ourselves! We will then link on to some other stories, which include bear like creatures for example Goldilocks and The Three Bears.



Story books used to support learning:

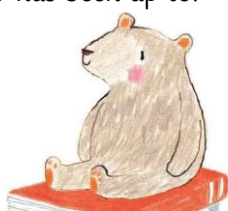
- The Colour Monster
- The Gruffalo
- We're going on a bear hunt
- Goldilocks and the three bears

Seesaw

Seesaw is a popular communication and digital portfolio tool used by nurseries to bridge the gap between early years settings and home. It allows educators to securely share photos, videos, and notes of a child's daily activities, while parents can engage with their child's learning journey and share experiences from home.

The Everywhere Bear

In Hedgehogs we have a nursery bear which each child gets to take home. A take home teddy bear is an activity which helps connect what the children are learning in nursery and extending that into their home. It is a chance for the children to share their own experiences with the bear and then talk about those experiences in nursery. Please feel free to share photos in the journal or on Seesaw to help show what the bear has been up to.



Please Don't Forget...

- Healthy/appropriate snacks and lunchboxes to be provided
- A labelled bottle of water

Hot dinners are available for nursery children – please speak to Miss Sevenoaks if you require any more information.

If you have any questions regarding nursery please speak to Miss Sevenoaks (Nursery Manager) or Clare (Nursery assistant).

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