



OAKWELL RISE
Primary Academy

NURSERY TERMLY NEWS



A note from the Teacher

We're so excited to welcome our little learners back for a wonderful half-term filled with fun and developmental milestones! Our focus this term is on strengthening essential social and cognitive skills. We will be actively developing our ability to play as a group and practice the crucial skill of turn-taking, alongside celebrating the beautiful differences that make each of us unique. Academically, we'll be diving into the foundational world of mathematics, learning all about numbers 1-5, and enhancing our literacy skills by developing clear pronunciation of pure sounds. To top off the term, we invite all parents and carers to join us for some festive winter crafts, and we are thrilled to be preparing for our truly wonderful Nativity performance. We can't wait to share all this and so much more with your children!

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PE Timetable

Nursery	Teacher
Thursday	Mr W
Thursday	Miss Thomas

Subject News

Literacy



In literacy, we are developing our awareness of sounds – listening to where it comes in words and our production for sounds ready for phonics.

Maths



In maths, we are focusing on 1:1 correspondence within 5. Developing our confidence counting orally to 10.

Expressive Arts & Design



This half term we will be focusing on control and precision with drawing squares and different shapes with different materials.

Motor Development



This half term, we are developing our mark-making, creating small vertical and horizontal lines and drawing clockwise and anti-clockwise. For our gross motor development, we are looking at changing speed and direction and developing our balance and co-ordination.

Communication and Language



We are focusing on developing our listening and attention skills and why it is important. We will develop our attention skills to focus on more than one thing at a time.

Personal Social and Emotional Development



We are focusing on children exploring and understanding what it means to be in their world. The children will be encouraged to select resources for purpose, developing their confidence in setting and understanding rules and routines.

Understanding the World



Lots of learning will be linked into 'Let's Celebrate'. The children will be exploring different celebrations and what they look like in different cultures.

Home Learning

To continue to support your child's development at home in line with our school based learning we would love it if you could practice:

- Putting on your coat
- Taking off your coat
- Putting on your own shoes
- Taking off your own shoes
- Counting to 5..

Thank you for your continued support, Miss Thomas, Miss Needham & Mrs Woods.

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Nursery



Reception

