

Things to remember in Nursery

- Our library day is Wednesday. Children can select a book to take home and share with their parents/carers. Books must be returned the following Wednesday so that it can be changed. Children will need their blue book bag.
- Uniform items can get lost! Please make sure that names are written in all clothes. Children struggle with shoe laces. Please try to send your child to school in shoes that don't have laces. Please encourage your child to develop their self help skills at home e.g. fastening their coats. It will really help us in school when we are getting ready for outdoor play.
- Our V.I.P system will continue. We will try to see you every 5/6 weeks to update you on your child's progress and to share their next steps in learning.
- Please get involved in your child's learning journey by accessing our online tool, "Target Tracker". Just ask one of us if you are unsure. Class dojo is a great way to see the rewards your child has had at school. We also share news, photos and messages. If you haven't signed up to access it yet, please ask.
- 'Big Read' is on Friday morning. Two parent/carers will be invited to join us each week. We will look forward to seeing you at a session soon.
- Please provide all-weather clothing bags for your child. They will need wellies for rainy days and to access our outdoor mud kitchen. If you haven't yet then we will be happy to show you what your child will need.

Learning in Nursery :

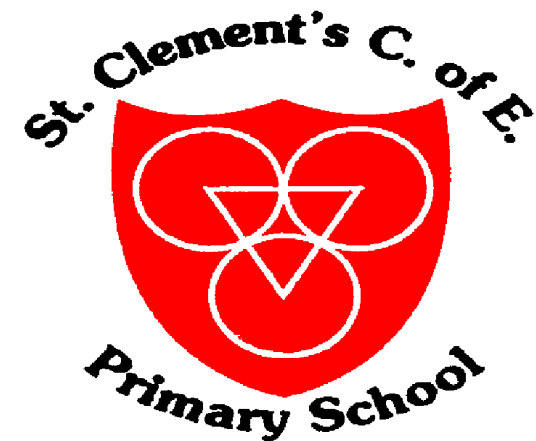
In Nursery this term we will be,

- Learning how to be "Heartsmart", developing our sharing and turn taking skills, exploring our feelings and showing increasing confidence and independence at school.
- Continuing with Phase 1 Letters and Sounds (phonics) focusing on tuning into, listening and remembering and talking about sounds. We will begin to learn how to orally blend and segment the sounds in words.
- Tuning in to listen to others, taking turns to speak, understanding and responding to a range of simple instructions and questions. We will begin to learn to ask questions and widen our general vocabulary through quality reading texts and guided talk sessions.
- Developing a deeper understanding of number through Numberblocks planning. We will also focus on numerals and our number recognition.
- Continuing to develop the physical skills needed for early writing through lots of large scale and malleable activities such as painting, creative activities, playdough, dough disco, mark-making in shaving foam and so on. We will be giving more meaning to marks as we draw and write and we will continue to learn how to write our names.
- Learning through topic work about Toys, Travel and Transport, weather and seasonal change and understanding different festivals and special times such as Easter, Holi and Chinese New Year.

In nursery we are kind, gentle and supportive friends. We congratulate them when they have done something well. We always try our best even if something is difficult.



St Clement's C. of E. Primary School



Class Newsletter

Year Nursery

Spring 2020

Class Teachers: Mrs Rodgers and Mrs Gill
TA's: Miss Gregory and Miss Austen

