



# Nursery Friday Notes



28<sup>th</sup> October 2016

## What we did this week:

The children settled back into the new classroom very well this week and they were able to continue with their routines!

We welcomed back Ms. Rachael, from her maternity leave, to the English classroom!

It was great to see you all during the Parent-Teacher conferences! We hope your meeting was informative and that all your queries were answered. If you still have questions or concerns please email your homeroom teacher.

This week we have started learning about our new UOI: **Animals live in different places.**

As well as learning the target vocabulary, the children will look at what they eat, stories and songs about those animals, and where they live.

In English, the children will look at which animals live in the sea and on the farm. We started by looking at the horse and the sheep on the farm. The children loved learning the new songs and singing/dancing them together!



In Chinese, the children will look at which animals live in the Jungle and in the household (pets) This week the children started learning about the 'dog'. What he looks like and what he eats.



By the end of the unit, each child should be able to identify the animals by name and place them all into the correct habitats.

## What we will do next week:

Next week in English we will look at more animals that live on the Farm (the Cow and the Pig) and create lots of artwork for them. We will read 'Where's woolly?' and play sorting games.



In Chinese next week, the children will learn about the cat and the fish. They will read a story and learn about what they eat and what they look like.



## Class Photo:

The school will have their yearbook photos taken over the next few weeks. On photo day, please send your child wearing their school uniform (not PE kit). Our session starts at 8am. Please have your child in the classroom at 7.50 so that we may take them straight to the mini theatre. Please do not linger as we will leave promptly and we do not want to upset the children.

Nursery R: Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October

Nursery L: Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November

Whole EY photo: Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

They will also have their class photo on their day. If your child is absent due to illness, there will be other sessions during photo week.

This is a normal school day.

## Halloween Dress-up day:

Please note that our Halloween dress-up day has been cancelled. We will have fun-filled, fancy dress day, of a different theme, later in the year.

We hope you have a great weekend!

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