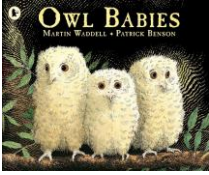




## Nursery class newsletter Autumn 2021

Dear parents,

We have been so happy to welcome the children back to Nursery this week, and to meet some new faces. The children have settled in well and have been using the St Mary's value of respect to speak to each other kindly and look after our school.



### Our first week in Nursery

We have been reading the story 'Owl Babies' and we discussed how even owls miss their mum sometimes. We have made some amazing artwork of owls, including collages and drawings.



### Topic Web – All About Me

Our topic for this term is 'All About Me'. This means we are going to be learning about ourselves, talking about families and what makes us, us! This means we are going to be naming body parts, playing in our hospital role play area and creating self-portraits.



### Wow cards

We will be sending home some 'wow' cards in the children's bags. Please complete them and send them back to school when your child does something that impresses you at home. We want to celebrate their achievements and the children like being called in front of the class and cheered for.



### Clothes

We would please ask that all school uniform be clearly labeled with your child's name. We would also appreciate it if you could send in some spare clothes, in case of accidents. Also, with the weather turning colder please be aware that the children will need to start wearing coats to school.



### Home learning

Each Thursday the children will be given a book for you to read with them at home. Any comments you would like to add can be noted down in the yellow reading records. Please make sure the books are back in their bags by the next Thursday so we can change them over.

### Key dates

- Tuesday 21st September 2021 - Meet the Teacher zoom meetings (3:30PM)
- Wednesday 22nd September - Parent Growth Mindset session – online from home or from the community hub (9:15am)
- Wednesday 22nd September 2021 – School Photographer
- Monday 25th – Friday 29th October - HALF TERM – SCHOOL CLOSED
- Thursday 18th November – Parents Evening
- Friday 26th November - INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED
- Friday 17th December – 1:00PM – End of Term

Thank you for all your support. We are always here for you, so if you have any questions or worries send an email or give the office a call and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Miss Taylor and Mrs Herbert