



## What's happening at Nursery School !



Monday 20th November to Friday 24th November 2017

This week is Road Safety week and because of this the children are going to be having lots of learning opportunities to help them to understand the importance of being safe near the road.

Road Safety Week is the UK's biggest road safety event, coordinated annually by Brake, the road safety charity. Road Safety Week aims to inspire everyone to take action on road safety and promote life-saving messages during the Week and beyond.

Brake is asking parents to "Make the Brake Pledge" this year whether they are a driver or not. You can sign the pledge online at:-

[www.roadsafetyweek.org.uk/content/theme/595-make-the-brake-pledge](http://www.roadsafetyweek.org.uk/content/theme/595-make-the-brake-pledge)



The next few weeks are going to be very busy so we will be sending out a letter with all the dates for the Christmas events and other opportunities for you to join in with your child's learning. You can also check the board in the corridor and our posters for information.

### We need your help!

We are always looking out for visitors and people to come in to talk to the children in Nursery school. If you or any of your friends or family have a job, hobby, talent or interest that the children would be inspired by then please let the staff know. We are looking out for people who can play a musical instrument, can dance or are artists. Maybe you are a handy DIY person, a keen gardener or knitter or you have a job that the children could learn about? Please let us know if you think you can help.

The children learn so much from adults around them at school and at home!

### Friends of Featherstone PTA - parents and teachers association

If you are interested in getting involved with fundraising for the Nursery school please let us know if you wish to be part of our Friends of Featherstone parents association.

### Donations for the Winter Wonderland Disco

We need donations for the Tombola, the refreshments stall and for our

### Winter Wonderland Disco taking place on Friday 1st December.

Please bring your donations in as soon as possible and hand them to a member of the Nursery School staff.

## Snacks and fruit or vegetables for the café

In order that we can provide healthy snacks each day in the cafe for the children please can children in the **Hedgehogs group** bring in a few pieces of fruit, some vegetables or some breadsticks or crackers this week? If you are not sure what to bring please ask your child's keyworker. Next week will be the turn of the **Squirrels group**



### Children in Need

Thank you for donations and generosity last week. With your help we raised



**£157.47**  
**Thank you!**

### School Fund Donations

Thank you to all the parents who regularly pay a small amount of school fund each week. This money is really important to us and enables us to buy drinks and snacks, cooking ingredients and items for gardening projects. We also use it to buy extra experiences e.g. Living eggs and the caterpillars, and Books and resources. The money is also used to subsidise transport costs for trips.

### Reminder regarding our policy on illness and antibiotics.

We do understand there are times when your child is too ill to attend Nursery school and we don't want them in school if they are very poorly, but every school day is important so if they are well enough please bring them to school. If your child has been prescribed antibiotics they should not attend school as this means that they have been diagnosed with an infection. If they have been vomiting they must have 24 hours clear of sickness before they can return to school and 48 hours clear if they have had diarrhoea. All this information is in your prospectus and on the website.

Please remember to ring and tell us if your child is not coming to school as early as possible.

Add the school number to your contacts so you always have it ready:-

**0121 675 3408**

The office is open from 7.30am to 6.00pm so you can call anytime between these hours.

### Reception Class online applications for September 2018

The deadline for applying online is **15th January 2018**

Please let the office know if you have any difficulties with your application.

**Please don't forget to phone us if your child is going to be absent.**

**The office is open from 7.30am until 6.00pm**

**The school telephone number is 0121 675 3408 Add it to your phone contacts.**