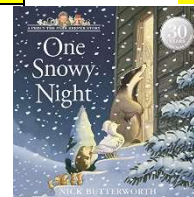




Nursery Home Liaison

4th January 2021



Welcome back! We hope you all have had a fantastic Christmas and New Year. Our theme for this week is: **One snowy night.**



Personal, Social, Emotional Development (PSE)	The children will have many opportunities to act out their Christmas experiences and we will be inviting your child to take part in a 'mini show and tell'. This will involve your child bringing in their favourite present and sharing this with their friends to develop their self-confidence.
Physical Development (PD)	This week the children will be making ice pops! We will be considering what we will need to make them and what will happen to our ice pops as we put them in the freezer. The children will look at a liquid to a solid and vice versa.
Communication & Language (CL)	Please return any Christmas news via tapestry or on the piece of paper provided. We will allow the children to share their news one to one or in groups which will promote their language development. This will also encourage the children to ask and answer questions to develop their understanding.
Literacy (LD)	We will be introducing our phonics sound tubs over the next few weeks so the children can become confident with initial sounds starting with the initial sound of their name.
Mathematical Development (MD)	This week the children will be going on a number hunt around the indoor and outdoor environment. The children will be able to record their findings by numbers or making marks.
Understanding the World (UW)	Also this week, using the interactive board the children will use a software called 'notebook' to represent their favourite part of their Christmas holidays. This will be printed and recorded in their files.
Expressive Arts & Design (EAD)	The children will be able to access the workshop area and create their own wintery crafts using a range of natural resources. The children will also be encouraged to think about the season 'winter' and what signs we can look out for.
Nursery Home Challenge	Why not go on a number hunt whilst away from nursery. Whilst you are out, look for numbers you can see in the environment; think about where might you see them? What numbers can you find? Take some pictures and add them to tapestry. A 'parent's guide to numbers' has been attached on tapestry for extra support.
Other Information  @NewburghNursery  Parent notice board by the nursery door.	Any unwanted Christmas trees would be much appreciated to enhance our outdoor areas! Please can children bring in hats/gloves (<i>which can be kept in nursery</i>) as we go out in all types of weather. Link to the nursery page on the school website is below. This contains lots of useful information. https://www.newburgh.lancs.sch.uk/classall-round-care-information/nursery Important Dates: W/C 25 th January – Big Bird Watch week W/C 8 th February – Chinese New Year 12 th February – Break up - half term 22 nd February – Return to nursery 4 th March – World Book Day

If you have any questions please see one of the nursery staff. Thank you for your continued support.