



A message from Mrs Medley

Welcome back Acorn 1! I hope you all enjoyed the summer holidays. We are looking forward to settling into the new Acorn base.

Communication and Language

- Begin to listen and respond to a simple instruction.
- Recognise and point to objects.
- Begin to use speech sounds and simple words/sentences.
- Develop pretend play

Phonics

We will be focusing on Rhyme time. Learning a new rhyme each week. We will be listening to sounds and identifying these together.

Books we will be reading



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Begin to play alongside others sometimes with adult support.

Develop friendships

Find ways of managing transitions from parent/carer to keyperson.

Be co-operative in self care and toileting.

Maths

We will be using the white rose maths programme to learn new skills as well as using these skills everyday in nursery

Dates to remember

Look out for dates for your diary coming in Autumn 2 !

Physical Development

We will be learning a range of different motor skills during fiddly fingers activities including mark making with different recourses. PE sessions on a Wednesday morning will be in the hall. Large motor skills will be used during outdoor play and music and movement time.

Skills I need to know:

Find my photo.
Learn where I put my bag, bottle and coat.
Recognise my coat and be supported to put it on or do this independently.