

Nursery Information Booklet.







### The daily routine.

Children enter Nursery through the EYFS playground. They will find their name on the register and stick it up, hang their coat up on their peg and join their friends on the carpet. Each day we have a Phonics, a maths and a literacy session following our topics which include "All about me" and "Let's celebrate!". The children have chance to explore the indoor and outdoor area daily. We have a wealth of provision and the children always come in excited to learn.







# Staff.

In Nursery, we have a Teacher and a Teaching assistant.



Miss Grindrod



Mrs Everton.



# Uniform.

The school uniform is:

- · Logo or Burgundy jumper, cardigan or fleece
- White polo shirt
- Grey shorts/trousers/skirts
- · Pink/red gingham summer dresses
- · Sensible black shoes no laces please!
- A burgundy book pack will also be required.



We go outside whatever the weather so please ensure your child has:

- Wellies (to be left in school)
- A suitable coat for the weather.
- · Hat, scarf and gloves.
- · Sun cream.

Please label ALL items of clothing clearly to ensure they are returned to you.

Your child will also need to bring a spare bag of clothes to leave on their peg- We can sometimes get dirty/wet in Nursery when we are engrossed in our play!

## Areas of continuous provision.

#### Maths.

In our Maths area, we have many exciting activities to encourage recognition of number and shape. Including counting fishing rods, shapes to build with, counting bee's, number books, numicon, a number train and plenty more. We change the provision on the table weekly to engage the children.



Reading Garden.

Our reading garden is a very popular area. We have a wealth of books available for children to read. Our story sacks contain prompts to encourage children to retell the story. We love our Gruffalo story spoons!



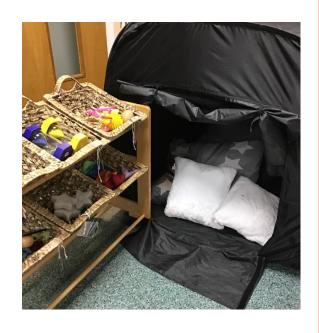
#### Mark Making.

In our mark making area we have a pattern station, a wipe clean board, and boxes filled with coloured card, envelopes, pictures, masks and post it notes. We provide a range of mark making apparatus such as wipe board pens, felt tips, chalk, coloured pens and crayons to encourage children to practise their mark making skills.



#### Sensory tent.

In our sensory tent, we have twinkly lights, glow in the dark cushions and colour changing pillows. We have a range of exciting colour changing items as well as sensory toys that we can touch, squeeze and pull.



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#### Home corner.

Our home corner is extremely popular. We have a play cooker, dryer, fridge and wooden food. We also have a range of dolls and doll accessories. Children love to feed the babies and make a meal for their friends.

#### Small world.

In our small world area, we have a dolls house, train track and a range of items to make an exciting small world village. We love our "mini me's" (printed pictures of us on blocks to play with) and enjoy making them move in different ways.





#### Creative.

Our creative area has everything you need to make an amazing picture. Glue, feather, pompom's, lolly sticks, paint and card. What will you create?

#### Sand and Water.

Indoors we have both a sand and a water area. Children can pick any toys from the shelf to enhance their play. We have spades, squishy numbers, moulds, watering cans and more to encourage children to pour, squeeze, mix and dig.



#### Construction.

Our construction area has a range of bricks and tracks to allow children to explore.

We have a wealth of cars, diggers, trains, buses and motorbikes.

We love this area!

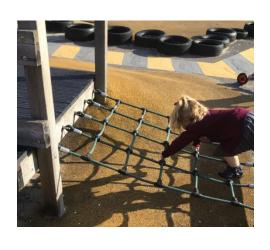
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#### Outdoor provision.

In our outdoor area, we learn to balance, ride, hop, skip, climb and run safely. We change the provision outside weekly allowing children to explore different toys. They can build with crates, climb on the climbing frames and slide on the ramp. We have a huge water area where we fill containers from a tap on a barrel and watch water flow to bottom. We like to learn outside in all weathers and have waterproof suits to allow us to explore in the rain.







# Links to home.

We love to keep parents involved in what we are doing in Nursery. We use Class Dojo meaning we are able to send pictures and messages to keep in contact. We also send home a "Home to Nursery" book containing a new class newsletter every Friday with pictures to show what we have been doing during the week. If you write back at the weekend, we are then able to share this with the rest of the class (We LOVE telling our friends about our weekend!).

# Reading

Reading is a huge part of the early years and provides children with vital skills that assist them throughout their time in school. We send a reading record and a book home with your child weekly. Please read the book with your child most nights. Reading the same books allows children to understand the language and to remember to story.





#### Positive behaviour.

We always promote positive behaviour in Nursery. We encourage children to listen carefully, use their kind hands and feet and be a good friend.

We use positive re-enforcement to support children to make the right choices. We encourage the use of good manners and focus on the behaviours we want to see. Children know to tell an adult if they need help with anything while at Nursery.

Children leave Nursery with the routines and behavioural skills needed to continue their journey at Moorside.























If you have any question or require any more information, you can contact us here:

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We can't wait to meet you soon!



