



# Nursery Summer 1 Newsletter

## This half term our topic is: What is a shadow?

This half term we are learning all about light and dark and comparing night and day time. The children have been learning about nocturnal animals and we have even had some visiting us in nursery, which the children loved. Later in the half term we will be investigating shadows. The children will have lots of opportunities to create shadows and have a go at drawing them.



## Recent Changes in nursery

We would like to thank all of the parents and children for their support during the recent changes that we have been making in nursery. We think our new nursery is fantastic and the children are enjoying having lots more space to work in.

## Literacy

This half term we will be looking at lots of interesting books linked with our topic, such as:

- Owl Babies
- Night Monkey. Day Monkey.
- The Gruffalos Child.

The children are continuing to work on writing their name, starting with the initial sound and then moving on to their whole name as they become more confident. Please encourage your child to write their name on any pictures or work they do at home so that they can practise this.



## Maths

This half term we are working on being able to count a small set of objects accurately and using positional language such as above, below and behind.

## Reading

Well done to all of the children who have been awarded reading stickers and prizes. The children's reading records are now kept in coloured folders in the cloakroom book box rather than in their trays. Please keep reading with your child at home.

