

NURSERY NEWSLETTER

Spring 1

Another half term almost over! The children have had a very busy and rewarding few weeks.

Diploma

Our Diploma work has been 'Wildlife Wonder' and we explored all the creatures big and small who might visit our gardens and how we could help and protect them. We loved our mini beast hunt!



Twitter

To any of our new parents who have not already joined us on our secure Twitter page - don't miss out on what we've been doing in Nursery! **Please ensure that you have completed the Google form sent, so we can accept your requests.**

[@OPALG_N2223](https://twitter.com/OPALG_N2223)

We love you sharing all the exciting things you get up to at home too – please tweet away!

Google Classroom

Our morning and afternoon Google classrooms have been set up and you have all received a log in for your child. Please ensure you have logged onto the classroom, so we are ready to go should the classroom be needed. Thank you.

Theme

Our Theme next half term is 'Down on the Farm' and our role play will be turning into a farm shop! If you have anything that you think may be of use – artificial fruit and vegetables, shopping bags, purses etc, it will be gratefully received. We will also be doing some planting inside and outside of Nursery thanks to a very kind donation of bulbs. Any donations of compost would be great!



Reminders

Please remember life is made so much easier if you can ensure all items belonging to your child are labelled, including water bottles and book bags. Thank you.

Reading

Here at Lofthouse Gate, we LOVE reading and value the importance of it to a child's progress and development. Our Reading Ambassadors (from throughout school), have again visited us this half term to share stories with the children. It is always a thoroughly enjoyable experience – and so heart-warming to see!

Each half term, we have a 'Favourite 5' books which are displayed in nursery and shared with the children. These are all amazing and enriching books and we recommend you share them at home too.

Our favourite 5 books this half term are:

The Little Red Hen
Oliver's Vegetables
Farmyard Hullabaloo
The Very Hungry Caterpillar
The Enormous Turnip



Many thanks for your support and any questions – please just ask a member of staff.

The Nursey Team