



St Mark's CE Primary School

'Loving to Learn, Learning to Love'

Nursery Newsletter

Autumn 1



This half term, our learning will be all about colours! The children will be exploring the colours red, blue, yellow, and green through fun stories, activities, and play. We'll be helping the children to notice that colours are everywhere—in books, clothes, nature, and the world around us.

We'll also be introducing the 'Zones of Regulation', where the children begin to link colours with their feelings. This helps the children to find simple ways to talk about how they're feeling throughout the day.

Later in the term, we'll head outdoors to look at the beautiful autumn colours and the changes with the seasons.



Maths

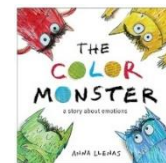
This half term, the children will be exploring **colours and colour mixing** through hands-on activities. They will practise **matching and sorting objects by colour** as well as **sorting and comparing objects by size**. Children will also work on completing **inset puzzles** and using gestures and language such as "bigger," "little," and "small" to describe and compare sizes.



Literacy

This half term, the children will be enjoying songs and stories with rhyme and rhythm. We will be focusing on the story *The Colour Monster*, which will help the children to explore feelings through colours.

The children will be practising sitting together on the carpet and listening to stories. They will start to join in with familiar, repeated words and phrases.



Reading

This half term we will be starting our weekly library sessions.

During these sessions, the children will have the opportunity to choose a library book to take home.

It is really important that parents share these stories to the children at home and sign the reading diaries.

Spare Clothes

Please make sure that your child has plenty of spare clothes in their bag.



ClassDojo

Please check class Dojo for daily and weekly updates

Reminders:

- Our Nursery telephone number is **01782 237125**
- If your child has been sick or has diarrhoea then they must be absent from school for 48 hours (from the last time they were unwell)
- Please ensure you collect your child on time.
- Please ensure that we have the correct telephone number for you
- Please remember to bring a fruit snack and a water bottle **every day** to nursery.