



Froebelian School
Lower Kindergarten's Welcome Letter
24th November 2023

The whole school ethos theme next week will be:

We try to use kind words

Dear Parent,

This has been a busy week, with a variety of activities taking place in the classroom. The children have now started practising their song for the Nativity on the stage in the hall; they have been brilliant when rehearsing with the older children and we are very much looking forward to sharing the performance with you. This year, the children in Lower Kindergarten and Kindergarten are animals or stars. To help with costumes, please could you provide a pair of white tights or leggings for your child. If your child is a donkey, they will need black tights or leggings – we will catch you and let you know if this is the case.

Phonic work this week was delivered in small groups, so we can focus very much on what each individual child needs. Please continue to work on letter recognition of the letters in your child's letter box and practise any skills mentioned in the comments we write in their reading record.

We are working hard to improve the children's listening skills, and we have high expectations for this. Please encourage your child to listen carefully at home, and try to make sure your child follows any instructions given and doesn't forget what they are supposed to be doing!

In number work we have reinforced numbers to five. We watched a number blocks episode where numbers kept disappearing and we then used this as a basis for a number game – we asked the children which number was missing from a set of numbers.

We have also been working hard on number formation and pencil control; the children love drawing together on a large piece of paper; this is something you could do with your child and other members of your family at home.

The theatre company that came into school to perform 'Robin Hood' was excellent and the children thoroughly enjoyed the performance.

Homework is set on See Saw. Please make sure this is completed by Tuesday, and uploaded to See Saw so we can discuss it with the children during the week.

Have a lovely weekend.

From the LKG team,
Judith Giles, Clare McCaig and Ruth Greenhough

Dates for your diary

Mon 27th Nov – Parent Forum (8.15 – 9.15am)

Tues 28th Nov – Breakfast with Chef Matty (8.30am in the school hall)

Fri 1st Dec – Non-Uniform Day for the FPTA (Please bring a gift suitable for the Present room)