



**The Froebelian School**  
**Welcome to Transition**  
**12<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

Next week our whole school ethos theme will be:

**We are physically active**

**Dear Parents,**

Welcome back and a Happy New Year to everyone! It has been so lovely returning to school after my Maternity Leave, everyone has been so welcoming and it has been lovely to see the children again after 7 months. I can see how much they have grown, matured and progressed and it's a pleasure to be their teacher again.

**Tests**

**Monday** – Spellings will take place every Monday – please check your child's book for their list. Please learn these as there will be a formal test in their test books.

**Thursday** – We will have a 2 times table test. Practise can be found on Seesaw as part of this week's homework.

**In English**, the children have been writing about our Hook Day. We took lots of photos down in the Nature Area which the children really enjoyed. We wrote a recount about what we did using words such as first, next, after that. See if your child can write a recount about their weekend.

**In Maths**, this week the children have been learning about 2D and 3D shapes, talking about their properties and where we can find these shapes in real life. We discussed different ways to sort the shapes and the different ways we might use each shape.

**Homework**

This week the focus is on Maths and 3D shapes as well as times table practise. As always, the children also have their reading books and spellings to learn.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend!

Mrs Townend and Mrs Bell