

Mrs McWatt Ms McFarlane Senior Nurture Term 3 Newsletter



What we are learning about:

Project Time

This term, pupils will begin a new project where they get to select and research anything they wish. It could be a person, place or object.

Pupils will display their information using a variety of media. They will present to an audience who can ask the speaker questions.

This will help us practise talking and listening skills such as starting a discussion, moving the discussion on, listening, contributing and clarifying.



Gardening Time

It is coming to that time of year again! Let's get gardening!

In this term when spring awakens nature, we will plant potatoes and new plants. We have already looked out spades, trowels and loppers. We hope to cook and eat the potatoes that we grow.

This helps develop knowledge of how to grow your own food, promoting sustainability. In addition, we learn the skill of patience as plants do not grow overnight!

Outdoor Learning - Pupil Voice

Pupils have spoken out. This term, they have requested a visit the library to pick books of their choice for reading for enjoyment. In addition, they gave a very persuasive argument on how beneficial it would be to get some physical exercise in the park - and we had to agree!

Things to note:

<u>Family Workshops</u>: There will be an opportunity for families to attend outdoor woodland sessions once the weather is a bit warmer! More information to follow.

Useful websites to improve children's emotional well-being:

https://www.emotionworks.org.uk/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

Leadership Skills

Pupils will develop their leader skills such as setting a good example, helping and having empathy. They will help take younger pupils to the Blue Bell woods and help them achieve skills in outdoor learning.

