

## Welcome to the new term

To help your child settle into new routines and establish relationships with other children and adults in nursery it is really important that you arrive on time.

We thank you for your co-operation with this.

Morning sessions start at 8.45am and children are collected between 11.30—11.45am.

Afternoon sessions start at 12.15pm and children can be collected 3.00—3.15pm.

## Every Day Counts!

If your child is unwell or unable to attend their nursery session please telephone the school office as soon as you can to let us know.

It is our policy to telephone you if you do not let us know.

A copy of our attendance policy is available on the school website [www.abbeygreen.org](http://www.abbeygreen.org)

## Look out for our Recipe of the Month

We will share different recipes with you to try at home and invite parents in each month to cook and bake with us.



## Diary Dates

**Wednesday 28th September**—Recipe of the Month—Parent day

**Wednesday 5th October** Recipe of the month—Parent day

**Thursday 20th October** - School Closed for Half term

**Friday 21st October** - Teacher Training Day

**Monday 31st October** - School reopens

Autumn can be an interesting time for weather.



Remember to dress your child appropriately, including footwear, a coat, hat and gloves.

Please put names on all your children's coats, bags and other belongings. We have permanent marker pens in school if you would like help with this.

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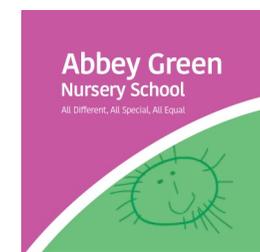
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This Term in **Green**, **Orange** and **Purple** Room



**Autumn 1  
2022**

More detailed plans are done on a weekly basis. These are displayed for you to view but please ask if you would like your own copy. We will also keep you updated in our weekly 'What's Happening'.

**Jeśli potrzebujesz tłumaczenia na język polski użyj numeru.**

যদি এই অনুবাদ বাংলায় চান তাহলে উপরের সংখ্যায় যোগাযোগ করুন.

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نمبر سے رابطہ کریں

# THIS HALF-TERM IN GREEN AND ORANGE ROOMS

## Extending Children's Knowledge Following children's interests

Our planning will always change as we learn more about our children's interests. We will use their interests to create a learning environment which will excite and challenge them.

### Snails and Spiders

The children have been fascinated to find snails and spiders in our garden area. We will be talking about how we can take care of living creatures and learning about how they move by observing them in our nature area and watching videos on the iPad. We will observe snail trails find out about why they have a shell. We will find out about the kind of environment snails like to live in and what they like to eat.



### Changing of the season

The children have shown an interest in the changes in the weather. We have had conversations about how fast the rain is falling. We will extend this interest by looking at the changes of autumn in our garden and local area. We will be looking at leaf shapes and colours and the apples that grow on our trees. We will find about trees and the differences between deciduous and evergreen trees. We will monitor the trees over time and observe what happens.

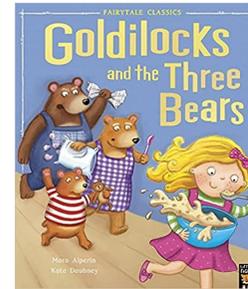


## Introducing New Knowledge and Skills. This is what we will teach the children

### Core Story

#### GREEN Room

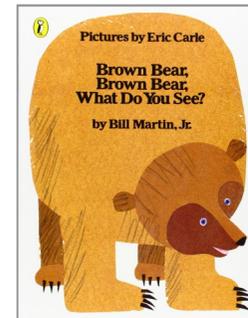
Goldilocks and the 3 Bears is a wonderful well known story book full of repetition. We will be counting to 3, finding out about the value of 3 and comparing sizes. We will teach the children about different types of Bears; where they live and their behaviours



#### ORANGE Room

### Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do you See?

We will use Makaton signs and symbols, songs and rhymes to support teaching the sequence of the story, the animals and their colours. We will think about the sequence of the animals in the book.



### New Routines

Throughout our group times, planned activities and playing together in the classroom and outside we will focus on your child's mental health and wellbeing as they settle in and form relationships with us and each other.

We will encourage your child to begin to become independent with things like their coat and bag. We will support children to tidy up the toys after they have finished playing and teach them how to handle the resources with care.

## Things you can do to support your child's learning



50 things activities are low cost activities to do as a family that will support your child's communication skills and confidence.

We will share one activity each week that you can do at home to support your child's learning.

Download the App and track how many of the 50 Things you do together.

<https://bradford.50thingstodo.org/app/os#!/whats-it-all-about>

### Reading at home every day

### 5 minutes is all you need.

Reading with children before they can read themselves is the best way to support your child's learning at home.

Bedtime is the perfect time to encourage reading.

Your children will have the chance to visit our school library to choose a book to bring home every Wednesday. They will be given a book bag to look after their library book.



**Chat, Play and Read Together!**