





# This Week's 'What's Happening'



# Sign of the Week

This week's Makaton sign is 'pumpkin'.

We will use this sign to talk to your child about this seasonal vegetable during our activities.

#### Word of the Week

Our 2-year-old vocabulary focus this week will be 'pumpkin'. We will look at the different types of pumpkin and use words to describe what they look and feel like. Talk to your child about any pumpkins you see out in the shops. Do all pumpkins look the same? Do you know how pumpkins grow?



## Monday 13th October



#### Signs of Autumn

When playing outside we will be looking for signs of Autumn – on the ground, the leaves and the trees. We will be collecting interesting objects and would like the children to bring in collections from home for us to look at.

## Tuesday 14th October

#### Recipe of the Week – Pumpkin Soup

The children will help to prepare the ingredients. We will be counting, weighing and measuring. We will then get to enjoy tasting the pumpkin soup. Here is the recipe

https://www.bbc.co.uk/food/recipes/pumpkinsoup 89904



#### Wednesday 15th October



#### 5 little Pumpkins sitting on a gate

We will be singing this song which involves counting forwards and backwards using numbers 1 to 5. You can join in with the Makaton signing at home using this link -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G2i0I7jTaW0

# Thursday 16th October



#### **Oral Health**

Our dental health practitioner Louise is offering one to one advice and support sessions complete with tooth brushes and toothpaste for your family. If you would like to book an appointment with Louise, please speak to your child's Key Person or the Office to arrange.

#### Friday 17th October



#### Download the 50 things app and have a go at #22 My Secret Treasure

Children love to make collections. You can enjoy getting outside in your local area and parks to see what Autumn treasures you can find. Talk to your child about all the collections of natural objects you can make. We would like the children to bring in their Autumn collections to add to our display.

https://bradford.50thingstodo.org/app/os#!/50-things-to-do-before-youre-five



#### **Bradford Central Foodbank. Helping Local People**

We are a Referral Agency for the local foodbank. If you and your family require any help due to increasing cost of living please don't hesitate to speak to Sally or Ginny. The foodbank offers financial advice as well as help with groceries. https://bradfordcentral.foodbank.org.uk/



