

Buttercup - Meet the team

WELCOME!



Mrs Ralph



Mrs Brooks



Miss Addis



Mrs Hemms



Mrs Jones



AM

8:50 – 9:15	Regulation activities
9:15 – 10:00	Play and Learning activities
10:00 – 10:15	Tidy up and Toast
10:15 – 11:30	Play and Learning Activities

PM

11:30 – 12:30	Lunch and Play outside
12:30 – 1:30	Play and Learning Activities
1:30 – 2:30	Play and IEP targets
2:30 – 3:15	Tidy up, snack, storytime



FOOD

We provide toast and fruit for the children but also happy for children to come in with their own snack.

Lunch is eaten in the classroom. Children can have a hot dinner from a selection on the menu or a packed lunch.

Children will need a water bottle to drink throughout the day.

Please let us know in the morning what your child would like for lunch.

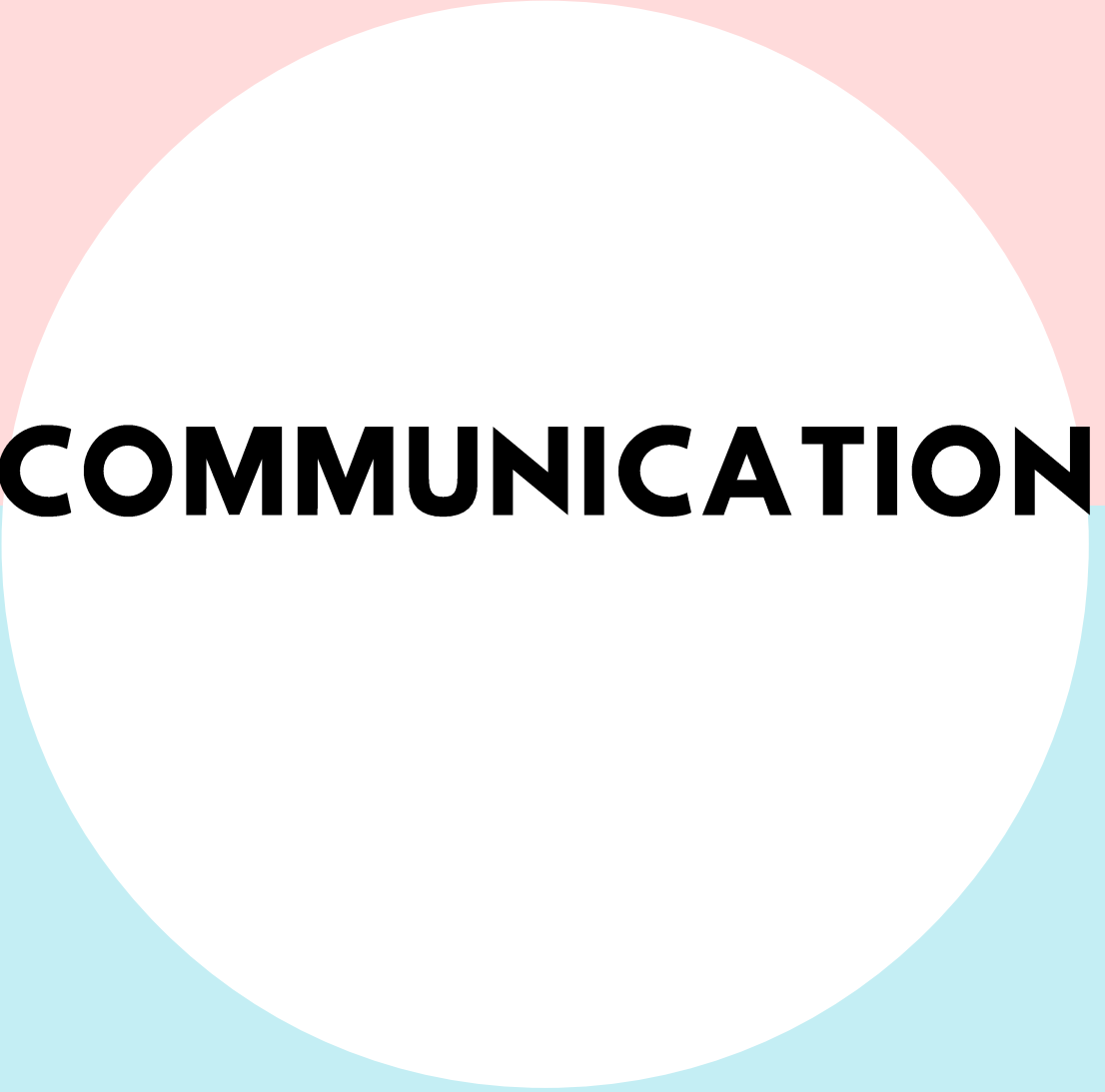


BAG

Please pack a bag with plenty of spare clothes!

If your child is in nappies please bring more than enough nappies and a pack of wetwipes. If easier we can store a pack of nappies and let you know when to replenish.

We have a small supply of wellies but if your child enjoys playing in all weathers - we can keep a pair at school.



COMMUNICATION

We use Dojo regularly to send photos of your children's learning and achievements. Please ask for more details if you do not have access.

Dojo is a great form of communication but please understand that any important information from yourselves needs to be communicated in person. Messages out of school hours will not be replied to - as stated in the school policy.

Parent planners are available on the website but I will also upload this onto Dojo to share what our topic is per term.

Fine Motor skills

- Mark Making in soil, paint
- Pumpkin playdough
- Tweezers to pick up small items
- Scoop and pour

Sensory

- Water
- Sand
- Real vegetables
- Oats
- Pumpkins

Language, Literacy and Communication

Our focus for this month will be the stories;

- The enormous turnip
- Jack and the beanstalk
- Oi frog
- Pumpkin soup

We will be focusing on how to handle a book, using illustrations to develop vocabulary and matching pictures

Buttercup Sept/Oct Overview



Nursery Rhymes/Songs of the Month

- Old McDonald's Farm
- 5 little pumpkins
- Autumn leaves are falling down
- Dingle dangle scarecrow

5 Developmental Pathways

- Belonging – Make connections with people, places and things
- Communication – Join in with familiar songs + rhymes
- Exploration – Develop my creative and critical thinking through my explorations
- Physical – Co-ordinate my hands and eyes
- Well-being – Take turns and share

Our Topic;

This months work will be based around Vegetables/Harvest

- Learn vegetable names
- Try new things
- Explore textures, smells and colours
- Use real life experiences to support learning

Mathematical Development

Through play, rhymes and technology, our focus will be on;

- Counting and sorting
- Comparing
- Pattern making
- Big and small
- Filling and emptying