

# Foundation Newsletter

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2023

Dear Parents

We have had a fun week in Foundation learning about Supertato and his friends. We all enjoyed making our own vegetable superheroes; thank you so much to everyone for donating vegetables, and thank you to Jack for bringing his collection of Supertato books for us to enjoy. In literacy we retold the story in our own words, and in maths this week we looked at patterns. Next week we will be creating our own superheroes and we are looking forward to hearing all of the children's superhero ideas!

## **Stay and Play**

We will be holding two stay and play sessions next week. The Duckling session will be on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> March from 8.55-9.30am, and the Gosling session will be on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> March from 8.55-9.30am. This is not a parent teacher session but rather a chance for your child to bring you into their classroom, show you around their environment and share some activities with you. There will be activities set up for you to enjoy with your child, and we look forward to welcoming you in to class. On the morning we will bring the children into class as usual and once they are registered we will come outside and invite you to come in. Please don't worry if you cannot make it to next week's session as we will be organising some more sessions throughout the school year. If you are unable to come along the Foundation staff will spend time with your child and do the activities with them if they would like to.

## **Toys**

Please can we ask that you do not allow your child to bring toys into school from home. Thank you.

## **Keyrings**

Having a keyring on your child's bookbag is a fantastic way for them to be able to quickly identify their bag. Due to storage problems, please can we ask that there is just one keyring on your child's bag, not a large collection. Thank you.

## **Jumpers**

We have a number of jumpers and hoodies in class with no name in. If you are missing a jumper you are very welcome to come and have a look at them. We have been asked to remind you of our school uniform policy. Please could the children come to school in black shoes with black, green or grey socks or tights, and PE kit with plain coloured trainers on Fridays. Thank you very much for your help with this.

## **Parents Evening**

The date of one of our parents evenings has had to change so they will take place on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March. You have been sent an email from the school office with booking details for these.

## **Things to practise at home**

- Can you make a repeating pattern with your toys, or draw a repeating pattern with crayons?
- Have a read of your reading books and pop a comment in your yellow reading record book.
- Go for a walk. Can you see any patterns in your neighbourhood? Can you see any spots, stripes, zigzags, repeating patterns etc?

That's all for this week. If you have any questions please don't hesitate to come and speak to a member of the Foundation team.

Have a lovely weekend.

The Foundation Team