



## **Ernesettle Community School**

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Dear Parents/Carers,

## Nursery – Term 3 – Curriculum Letter

What another brilliant term in Nursery! We have been focusing on night and day and exploring the different routines we have. The children have also spent some time investigating light and dark; this was our favourite part of the term! We used lots of different lights and lasers to explore the shapes and how we can make the light beams change.

Next term, 'On the Farm' will be our area of study. The children will be exploring different animals that live on a farm, explore the world of farming, and investigate where our food comes from. We shall also have a 'Farm Shop' in our role play area, with lots of farm produce.



Our key nursery rhyme this term will be 'Old McDonald Had a Farm'. Additionally, we will have three core stories that we will focus on throughout the term. These will be, 'That's Not My Tractor', 'Do Cows Meow?', and 'Old MacDonald Had a Farm'. These exciting stories link to our area of study, 'On the Farm'.



In Literacy, we will be continuing to explore our favourite stories and deepening our knowledge of how stories are structured. We will be retelling stories in our own words, using the pictures to help us. In Maths, the children will be exploring a range of mathematical concepts and numbers through rhyme.

## **Learning at Home**

For their Learning at Home each week, your child will have the option to complete a 'Learning Together at Home Activity' that will be uploaded to Tapestry every Friday. This will detail the learning that your child has participated in during the week and an activity for your child to complete based upon this. In addition to our Home Learning, we like to celebrate your child's successes, so please upload any WOW moments from home onto your child's online Tapestry journal.



We really look forward to seeing you and your children on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Best wishes. Mrs J Giddy

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