



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

Nursery Newsletter

Spring Term
26th January 2018

Home learning

The children have settled very well after the Christmas break. We are learning through play and exploring everyday.

Our topic this half term is Shops. We are using roleplay in the shop to learn how to take turns and share.

Please talk to the children as you shop with them. Encourage them to talk about what they saw during shopping.

We are focusing on Maths this term. Look for numbers in the environment at home with your child. Please encourage them to say the names of the numbers they find at home.

Parent meetings

We will start formal parent meetings from next week. We will also start sending parents tapestry information after half term. We will still keep our daily informal meetings going. It is very important that we communicate daily about how they are playing with others, how they are eating and how they are feeling after each session. We are recording all their observations and learning in their special books to show during our formal parent meetings.

Reading

Our children love looking at books in the Nursery. Please read with them frequently at home. Encourage them to retell the story using the pictures. Ask them questions about the story.

Phonics and mark making

We are learning our initial sounds. We are going to send home a sound every week from next week. Please encourage them to say the sounds they see in the environment. Encourage them to draw at home and also talk about their pictures.

We will introduce Golden Moments next week.