

# What is happening this term...

## **Meet the teacher** (25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> September)

This is your opportunity to find out how your child has settled in.

## **Christmas performances**

Please come along and watch your child in our Christmas play on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December or Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December.

## **Christmas Party** (Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December)

Children can bring their party clothes for an afternoon of dancing, games and nibbles.

## **Decoration day** (Date to be confirmed)

Children spend a day making Christmas decorations to decorate our classrooms.

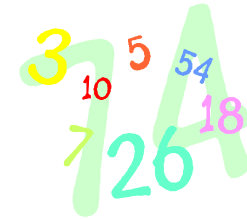
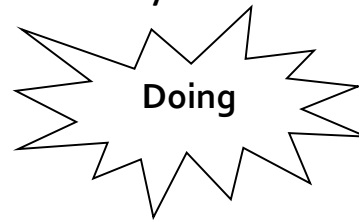
# Early Years Foundation Stage Autumn Term



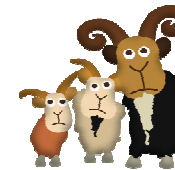
# Some of the areas we will be exploring this term are...

- Self-Help skills
  - To learn how to blow their nose
  - To put on their coat and have a good try at doing it up
  - To take off and put on their shoes / wellies
  - To be able to dress and undress themselves for PE
- Maths and Literacy
  - To know how to count objects carefully
  - To recognise numbers 0-5 or 0-10
  - To recognise a circle, square, rectangle & triangle
  - To learn sounds
  - To make and read simple words
- Nursery Rhymes
  - Sing a song from memory
  - Join in actions to songs
  - Learn new songs
- Traditional Stories
  - Name characters
  - Re-tell a story
  - Put the story in sequence
- Values and behaviour
  - Learning the rules
  - Listening & joining in
  - Taking turns & sharing
  - Being independent

You might like to join in with our learning at home by:



- ❖ Spotting numbers during your daily activities e.g. at the supermarket, on doors and cars etc
- ❖ Practise writing their name (please make sure this is in lower case with only the first letter as a capital).
- ❖ Counting in daily activities e.g. counting how many toys go back into the box.
- ❖ Collect leaves, conkers and items of interest as the season changes to Autumn.



- ❖ Read traditional stories: The 3 Little Pigs, Goldilocks and the 3 Bears, The 3 Billy Goats Gruff, Little Red Riding Hood.
- ❖ Sing nursery rhymes: Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Humpty Dumpty, Baa Baa Black sheep, Hickory Dickory Dock.