



Independence

Dressing -At home please help your child to become more independent by encouraging them to put on and take off their own cardigan or jumper and coat.

Putting on and taking off their own shoes. Children need Velcro or slip on shoes for school.

Self care-Please remind them to flush the toilet and wash their hands after visiting the bathroom.

Stay and Play

We will be continuing our 'Stay and Play' sessions this half term. Each fortnight we will have a different theme. Please try to attend as often as you can, to support your child's learning. If you work a grandparent, uncle or friend can attend.

Talking

Please talk to your children when out and about for example at the park, in the supermarket, in town. This will really help them to learn new words and to understand more about the world around them.

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How you can help at home

Seesaw

All children now have a Seesaw account which is up and running. If you haven't already please download the app and log on to see their progress so far. Each week all the Nursery teachers will be taking photos of your child and uploading them to seesaw, with a comment on what they were doing or what skill they were practicing. Please log on regularly, show your child their photos and discuss what they were doing. Please comment on, or 'like' each photo so we know you have seen it. You can also add your own photos of any special celebrations, trips out or special occasions for us to see!

If you are unsure of your child's details or how to set up the app- please speak to us about it and we will be happy to help!

Focus child

Each week, two children will be a 'focus child' We will get to know your child even better on these weeks and you will be invited to a meeting with myself, Mrs Coyle to discuss your child's progress, any concerns you may have, or achievements you would like to celebrate.

Reading and Writing

Please try to read with your child daily. Bedtime stories are a great way to relax and unwind with your child before bed.

Reading folders

Please bring your child's reading book on a Monday and a Friday for us to change the book.

Please allow your child to have access to felt tips and paper to help with their drawing skills.

You will also be invited to a focus child meeting each term, when you will be able to discuss your child's progress with Mrs Coyle