

Foundation | Nursery Newsletter Autumn | 2025

Apple Class Ms Disley Mrs Pearl Miss Brandy & Mrs Khan

Hello, we hope you all had a lovely summer break and would like to welcome back all the children to Nursery, and look forward to meeting all our new children starting this Autumn term. We will be spending lots of time helping the children to settle into Nursery.

We welcome to Nursery this year class teachers Ms Disley and Mrs Pearl who have worked in Reception for many years and are excited to join the team.

Please Remember the weather is changeable! Send children in appropriate clothes for the weather as they spend time outside during the day!

Theme

Our theme for this half term is **Me and My Family**. We will be discovering the things our bodies can do, what makes us special and talking about our families. If you have any baby pictures of your children and pictures of your family that you are happy to share with us please bring them into Nursery. Non-fiction books will relate to children and growth, and families. We will be observing the changing seasons and weather. Our celebrations will be around Autumn festivals.

Nursery Timings

Here is a reminder for start and finish times for Nursery.

- Apple AM—08:45-11:45 (gates open at 11.35)
- Apple PM—12:40-15:40 (gates open at 15.30)

We encourage children to come into Nursery independently, so please continue to drop them off at the gate.

Please remember to be on time for drop off and pick up.

Reading

We have lots of lovely picture books in Nursery that the children love to look at when they arrive in the morning or afternoon. We encourage them to look after the books. We will begin our Nursery Library in a few weeks where the children are able to choose a book on a Friday to take home. The book is to be returned on a Monday. Please take time to share this book with your child over the weekend.



Phonics

We will be singing lots of rhymes and playing games to help us learn the first sounds in words and words which rhyme or start with the same sound. We follow Little Wandle Phonics scheme.

Number

In number we will be singing lots of number rhymes and using lots of objects to help us with counting, matching, comparing and sorting. We follow White Rose Maths scheme.

Parents Evening

Wednesday 1st October 2025, use the booking system on the Arbor app.

Thank You!

Thank you for support, you can talk to any member of the team before or after Nursery.

Attendance

Please ensure your child comes to Nursery everyday, so they don't miss out on important learning.

Further information can be found on our school website at [Attendance | Berridge Primary School](#)