

Hethersett Woodside Primary & Nursery School



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Dear Parents,

We have enjoyed a really happy term here in Willow Nursery. In both Hedgehog and Squirrel room the children are making friends, developing independence, growing into a class and really showing us their individual personalities. Our job is very privileged as we lead your little ones in their first steps away from home.

This term our themes will be focused on 'change'. Changes in nature, changes in ourselves as we grow up and changes to the environment. We will look at mini beasts, caterpillars changing to butterflies, growth in our garden, how we are growing taller and what we can do now that we are growing up. Children are always interested in growing 'big and strong' so both classes will look at healthy eating and exercise, alongside some sun safety.

We will sensitively prepare the children for transitions and moving on in September and talk about all the things that are the same about school as to nursery.

We will also spend some time looking at our changing environment in terms of housing and watch the builders at work as houses gradually creep nearer and nearer towards our fence.

Skills will be developed across seven areas of learning in both rooms, with emphasis being given to development in the core areas of Personal, social and emotional development, Communication and Language and Physical Development.

I attach an overview of our term's learning.

You will also find a series of links to various online learning resources. If anyone finds age appropriate learning apps or sites which support development, we would love to hear from you so that we can share with others.

Please do continue to share your child's learning at home with us, via Tapestry, as it does help us build a picture of holistic development.

With Best Wishes

Mrs Ingham and The Nursery Team

