



Nursery Newsletter - April 2026

Nursery continues to be a bustling environment with so many wonderful learning opportunities for the children. We are privileged to have so many experienced and talented staff to take care of the children and these staff make Little Bo Peep the fabulous early years setting that it is today.

Staffing:

Liz has now taken the permanent Orchard room Leader role and is being supported in the room by Katie. We have also taken on Kaydee who is beginning her childcare career with a Level 3 apprenticeship in Early years.

Our Willows Room

Sophie and Sam have got a busy few weeks ahead. They continue to welcome new faces into our very popular willows room which shows what an incredible job the staff are doing. Whilst settling the new children Sophie and Sam are also looking at signs of spring as well as exploring their senses. Hopefully with the warmer weather starting to appear the Willows children can spend more time in the garden too!

Meadows Room

Sarah, Hev and Amy have been busy observing spring and nature in the Meadows. We are very fortunate to have an incredible landscape around us which the staff make great use of by taking the children out and about. We have also spent lots of time in the garden planting and exploring. The staff continue to focus on the children's communication and language skills by sharing stories, songs and circle time activities with their children.

Orchards

Liz and Katie have had a busy start to the term; the children have been practising their colours before moving on to the topic minibeasts. They received a special delivery from the postman so keep a look out for updates on this over the coming weeks! The staff and children have also been busy in the garden planting a variety of vegetables and flowers, the children have really enjoyed being a part of this so we are excited to see what we manage to grow.

Parents information:

We have added lots of information to our nursery entrance which may be useful to you. The information is shared from Worcestershire County Councils Best Start program and offers information and guidance from pregnancy right through to school. You can access the website by typing in Worcestershire Best start program into your search engine. If you would like any further information then please do let us know. Over the coming weeks we will also produce some leaflets which can be found in the hallway.

Parent Partnerships

Our parent partnership is incredibly important to us here at Little Bo Peep and we want to make sure parents are very much part of their children's journey with us. After our recent staff meeting the staff decided that we would like to put together a termly overview, this will be sent home to give parents a more in-depth idea of the topics and learning experiences your children receive in their rooms. It will also give parents ideas to support this learning at home. These will be sent home in due course.

Safeguarding - Sharing photos on social media

Written in our most recent Early Years bulletin from Worcestershire County Council is an article about the dangers of sharing photos of children on social media. With this in mind we will be changing how we use our social media platforms to share our nursery activities. We already ask for consent to share photos on our Facebook page, but we will now only use photos which are side on or over the shoulder to capture a child's focus on a task rather than compromising their identity. All the information regarding the dangers of sharenting can be found on the UNICEF parenting website - What you need to know about "sharenting"

Reminders:

- Please make sure your children have suitable clothing for the weather as we try and get the children outside in all weathers.
- Clothes and the children's belongings i.e. food pots also need to be clearly labelled.
- Please can you make sure that you are dropping off and collecting during your correct session times - It is vitally important that our ratios are maintained at all times so you may be asked to wait if you turn up early and receive a late fee if you are late.
- Please could you check your children's nappy baskets to make sure they have enough nappies and wipes as we have a limited supply of spares.

As always, if you have any questions please just shout!

Kind Regards

Claire, Sarah and the Team