



Alverton School

# The Woodland Nursery

We have had a busy couple of weeks getting to know one another and establishing routines in the Nursery. We have also been focusing on feeling safe and comfortable in the setting and feeling secure with the adults who are working with the children. This week we have been focusing on the Traditional Tale, Little Red Riding Hood, sharing lots of different versions and joining in with related activities such as building a wolf den in the woods, learning the playground game "Whats the time Mr Wolf" and having a go at mark making through drawing, painting and collage-There is already LOTS of really lovely art work on the walls. We have also collected natural materials in the woods to make our own number line and played circle games and listening games. To say we're all a little impressed with the children is a massive understatement- keep it up Little Owls!

In order to help with safeguarding and fire procedures in the Nursery there will be a few changes over the coming weeks. We ask that all parents and carers use the main Nursery entrance for **all** drop-offs and pick-ups. You will be asked to sign in and out of the building to ensure that in case of emergency we know exactly who is in the building. We really appreciate your understanding with this matter.

And finally.....

We are aware that lots of parents are keen to get to know the staff who are working with their children a little better.

Also, we'd like to celebrate the beginning of our partnership working and our fantastic new classroom so would like to invite you all for a get together so we can cut a ribbon, eat cake and have a chat. Coming soon-Details to follow!

Next week all Woodland Parents will receive a pack from Nursery with information about the partnership work we are undertaking. We ask that all parents sign and return the forms to the Nursery Reception so that the details of the children can be updated. This will ensure that all staff in the setting are aware of any allergies and will be able to support your children with self care and toileting issues. It also means that your child will be able to access the delicious hot meals that are available at the Woodland Nursery. Once again we appreciate your support in this matter and assure you that it is for the benefit of your children's safety and well being. Many Thanks-Mrs Hall

