

# Alphabets@Hollymoor Newsletter

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Please make a note of our new email address [alphabets.hollymoor@longbridgechildcare.org.uk](mailto:alphabets.hollymoor@longbridgechildcare.org.uk)

Welcome back and a very warm welcome to our new children and parents who have recently started with us.



We have been learning about 'ourselves' and discussing the similarities and differences between us. We have also been learning about autumn and going on autumn walks looking at the changes that happen during autumn. We are reading 'We are going on a bear hunt' story and 'Goldilocks and the 3 bears'. We are learning the Hello song, Head shoulders knees and toes, 5 little monkeys and an autumn rhyme.

Every day a child is chosen to be the helping hand and they are responsible for helping to water the plants, help to prepare snacks and explore the weather station and record their findings.

Please can you support and encourage your child/ren to find their name card and write their name and put it on the board every morning.



## Caterpillar Room

We have been exploring 'spot goes to the farm' book and learning 'Old MacDonald, Row row your boat, Head shoulders knees and toes Rhymes. We have introduced the Hello song every morning to help the child to identify Staff and children's names. We have been learning to name the parts of our bodies and making the sounds of the farm animals.



Please feel free to take a copy from the board of the songs and rhymes to share at home with your child.





'Our Reading Garden' please feel free to share a book with your child before or after nursery. Next term Karen will be setting up a lending library, where you can borrow a book to take home to read with your child and return it to nursery.

## Events coming up;



- Butterfly room are planning a trip to Northfield fire station in November. As the children will be learning about fire safety and how to keep safe.  
**Reminder we are closed to all children 4<sup>TH</sup> November**
- **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November- Christmas Fayre** 11am -2pm Please come along and support us, if you would like to have a stall please speak to a member of the team.
- **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December- Winter workshop.** 9.00am-11.00am Parents/Carers are invited in to share activities and have a hot chocolate and cookie with your child/ren. We also have a special guest joining us AT 11. 00AM.This is also a great opportunity to speak to your child's keyperson and look at the environment where your child's learning happens.



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- - **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December -Party Day**  All the children are invited to join our Christmas party 10am -1pm. Please bring in a donation of food or drink for the party.

**All the staff @ Alphabets would like to wish you a merry Christmas and a happy  
new year.** 

Please can Children come to nursery in appropriate clothing for all weather conditions. We ask for you to provide Spare clothes, wellies, gloves and hats for your child/re. Remember to put your child's name in them.

**As always if you have any concerns, questions or queries about anything then please speak to your child's keyperson or management.**