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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to our Nursery and our first newsletter for this academic year.

For the first few weeks the children will be settling into their new class. They will explore our classroom and garden area to learn where things are in these new environments. They will be developing their social skills as they get to meet their new classmates and teachers. The children will have lots of opportunities to share their interests with us and each other. We will also begin to explore and discuss our emotions and sharing our wants and needs.

Our first topic in Nursery is Nursery Rhymes and All About Me.

We will be listening to lots of rhymes and starting to join in with singing along to these. We will create a home corner in our role play area, where we will discuss where we live and what we have in or homes, as well as who we live with. We will enjoy many creative activities, linked to Nursery Rhymes and All About Me. We will discuss our features and where we come from to create a self-portrait and explore a variety of instruments and sounds.

Reading in Nursery

Once all the children are settled in Nursery, we will be sending home one library book each Thursday with your child, which they have chosen, alongside this they will bring home a yellow 'Home Link Book'. Nothing prepares your child to read more than them being read to every day by you. We would love for you to spend some quality time reading your child's chosen book with them at home and supporting them in drawing and commenting in their 'home link book.' More details on this will be included when you receive your 'Library and Home Link Book.'

Yours sincerely,

Ms Karir, Mrs Sirazi and Ms Ley

Nursery Team

