



Ladybirds Newsletter
Term 1 Week 1 – w/c 5th September 2016

A very big welcome back to you all, and a big hello to all our new children and their families.

Our new topic... 'All about me'

This week we are welcoming all our new children to Ladybirds and helping everyone to settle in. We will start looking at our topic this term, which is 'All about me'. We will be exploring all the things that make us unique, talking about ourselves, our families and where we live. We will be thinking about our emotions and how they make us feel. For craft this week, we are making our own individual people to put on the wall, as well as lots of other craft activities which the children can choose.

We will also be spending lots of time outside, seeing how our garden has changed over the summer. We have lots of tomatoes for the children to pick.

New starters: As well as welcoming back all our children, we would like to welcome our new children: Lilly, Sofia, Isabel, Rosalind, Evelyn and Oscar. We hope you soon feel at home with us at Ladybirds.

Birthdays: A happy birthday to the children who celebrated their birthday during the school holiday: Ben A, Ben M, Gracie, Jayden and Rosalind. We hope you all had a great day.

Labelling outdoor clothing and bags: Please ensure your child's clothing, bags and lunch boxes are clearly named to avoid confusion. Also, any medication or suntan lotion must be handed to a member of staff for safe keeping.

Welly boots: Please could we have a spare pair of welly boots to keep at the setting if possible – these will need to be clearly named.

Snack time: We welcome any healthy snack donations you are able to give – eg. fruit, breadsticks, raisins, are all extremely helpful. There is a bowl in our foyer for any donations.

Primary school places: Now is the time to apply for primary school places for September 2017. The deadline is 15-01-17. You can apply online – www.wiltshire.gov.uk or use a paper application – call Wiltshire Council on 01225 713010.

We are really looking forward to the new term ahead. Please remember that our door is always open and if you have any issues or concerns, we are always happy to speak with you.

Thank you, From the Ladybirds team