



**How to Support** our exploration of Capacity at home this week.

## Bath Time Fun

At bath time, provide your child with a variety of empty containers. These could include similar containers in different sizes, such as nesting bowls or stacking cups. Encourage your child to pour water from one container into another and observe what happens. Talk about their discoveries using simple language, for example:

- "Oh no! That one overflowed!"
- "There is still lots of space left - it's only half full."

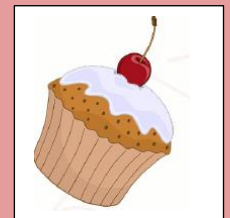


This helps children begin to understand ideas such as **full, empty, half full, and overflowing.**

## Baking Together

Bake a cake using a recipe that measures ingredients using cups. Let your child help measure out the ingredients and pour them into the bowl. As you work together, talk about:

- when cups are *full, nearly full, or half full*
- counting how many cups are needed for each ingredient



Encourage your child to count the cups as they pour them into the larger bowl, supporting both **early maths skills and language development.**

## Dry Ingredient Play

Provide your child with dry ingredients such as rice, pasta, or porridge oats, along with spoons, scoops, and nesting bowls. Encourage them to pour and scoop the ingredients from one container to another. Talk together about what happens:



- "Which bowl holds the most?"
- "How many scoops does it take to fill this bowl?"

This activity supports children in exploring **capacity, comparison, and counting** in an engaging, hands-on way.

**ENJOY!**

## Important Diary Dates and Information

### **Sports Day - June 16<sup>th</sup>**

As stated in our whole-school newsletter, we are delighted to let you know that Nursery will be joining the rest of the school in participating in our annual Sports Day.

This will take place in the afternoon, and parents are warmly invited to join us and cheer the children on. We very much look forward to seeing you there.

For children who attend morning sessions only, you are welcome to bring your child along and join us on the field at **2:00pm**. Details of child drop off to be confirmed later as they will need to be slightly earlier than **2.00 pm** in readiness.

We look forward to seeing you all.

**Named suncap to be kept at school - by Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May**

**Early Years Open Day -Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May 9.30-11.30**

**Please pass this diary date on to friends and family who are looking for Nursery full or part time places for September.**



Have a Nice Weekend  
Take care,  
The Nursery Team 😊