



# Southridge First School

## Nursery Newsletter 17<sup>th</sup> September 2021



### Settling into Nursery

We are delighted with how well the children have settled and they have amazed us by how quickly they are picking up our routines. This week the children have been exploring the classroom and garden and we are having great fun getting to know them all. We would like to say a huge thank you to all the parents and carers for helping the children settle so well, it is very much appreciated.

### Popular Activities This Week.

The children have enjoyed Wiggle and Squiggle this week. During this time we all get together on the rug with our flappers and dance. We use large movements in our dancing to help children develop the fine muscle control they will need later for writing. They will learn a new gross motor movement to a piece of music and then practise using their fine muscle control to draw their dance.

It's been great fun!

We also went to the 'big hall' to do our very first PE lesson. Some of the children are already fantastic at putting their socks and shoes back on after PE by themselves but all of the children impressed us by trying their best to be independent.



### Reminders.

It was lovely to see so many of you at the New to Nursery meeting on Tuesday night. Here are a couple of reminders for those who were unable to make it - Please ensure all of your child's clothing including coats, hats and shoes are named. Also, think of your child's uniform as overalls which will get marked with play dough, paint, mud etc. Please do not let children wear their best items of clothing for Nursery. This will allow for lots of fun and exploration.

Have a super weekend.

The Nursery Team.