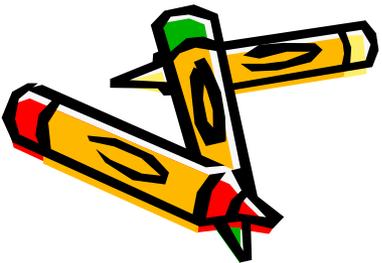
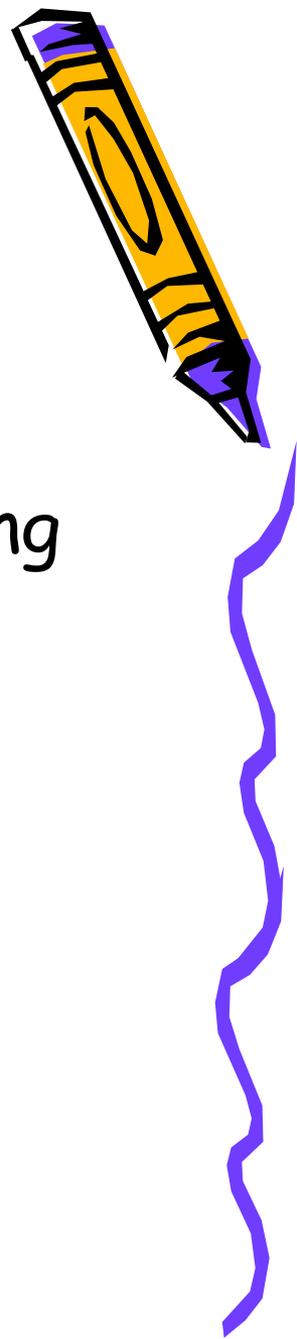
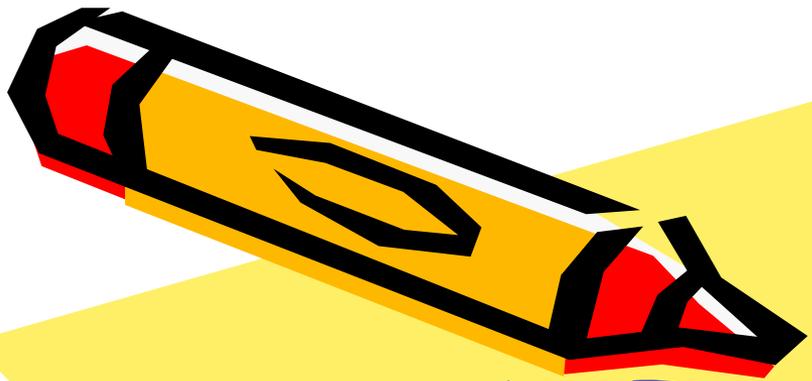


Welcome!

Overview

To find out about our routines and procedures, ready for your child starting in Nursery.





An Introduction to Nursery at Stillness Infant School

June 2020



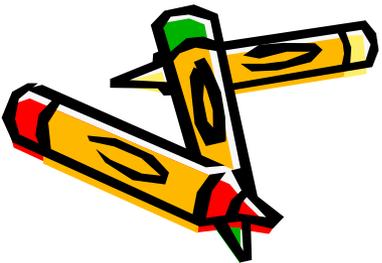
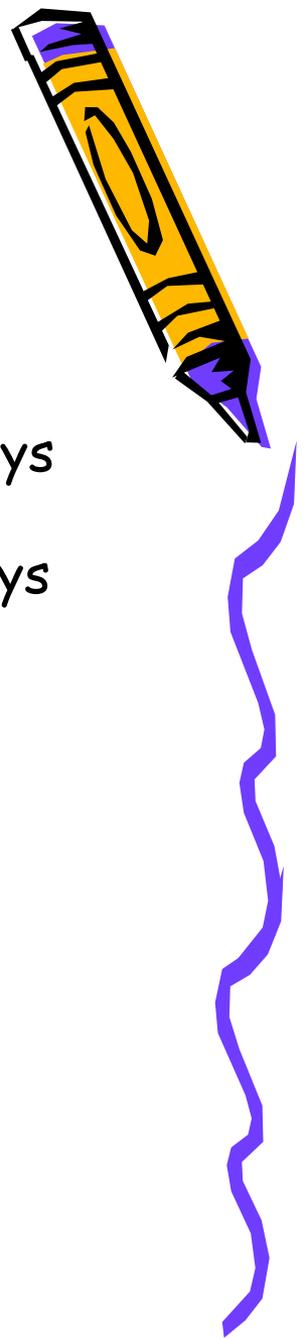
Key adults

- Mrs. Grimes
 - Mrs. Bannister
 - David Snowdon
 - Ms. Price
 - Ms. Leacock
 - Ms. Escobar
- Head Teacher
 - Deputy Head
 - Chair of Governors
 - Inclusion Manager
 - School Business Manager
 - Clerical Officer



Nursery Team

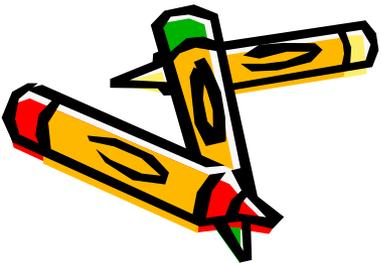
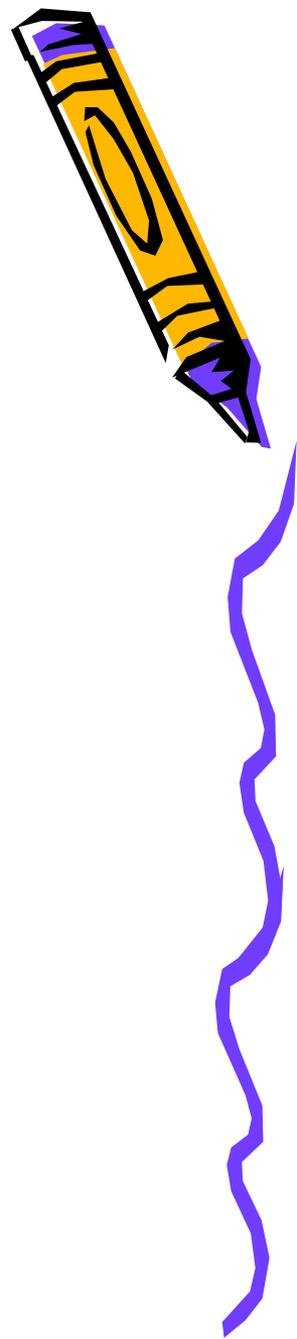
- Miss. Harris
 - Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays
- Mrs. Gandhi
 - Wednesdays and Thursdays
- Mrs. Jones
 - Full time Nursery Nurse
- Miss. Parry
 - Teaching Assistant



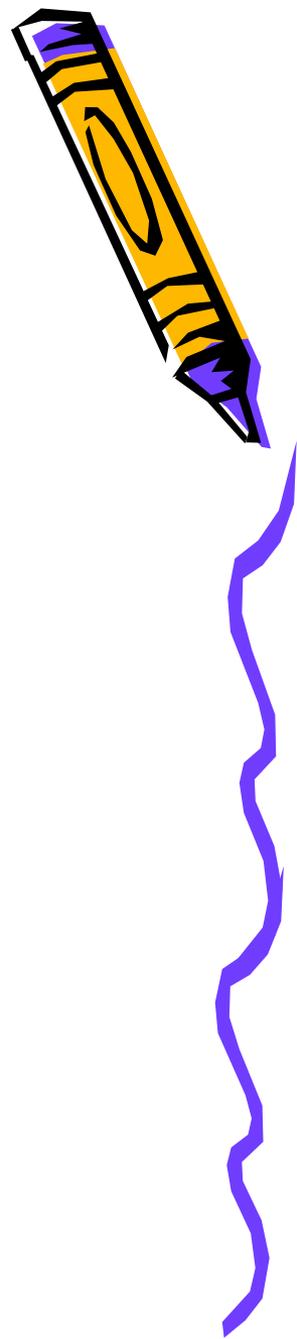
Before starting Nursery ...

Zoom Meetings
Wednesday 24th June

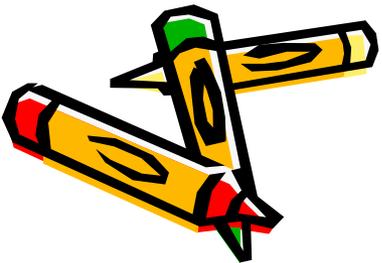
Stay and Play sessions
Early September
Sessions TBC



In school meetings



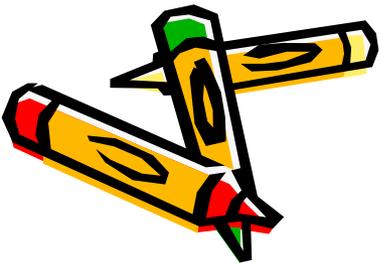
- One to one meetings in school for parents early September.



The first few days

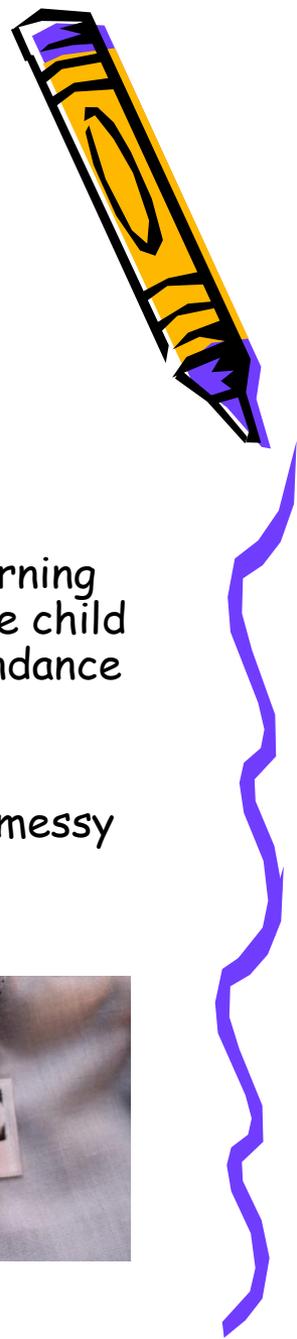
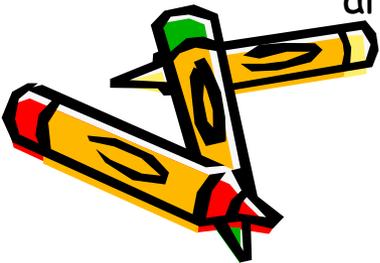


- Staggered intake to allow the children to settle and to get to know staff members.
- All children separate at different rates. We will work with you and your child on making this as smooth as possible. The key is flexibility.

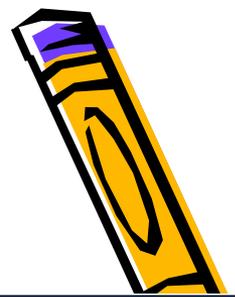


Expectations at Stillness Infant School

- Home and School working together and communicating.
- Positive behaviour is expected.
- Punctuality.
- Good attendance will help children settle and get the most out of the learning opportunities provided. Attendance is not statutory until the term before child turns 5 but as this is a school nursery you may forfeit your place if attendance falls below the school policy which is 95% without good reason.
- School uniform is preferable; otherwise sensible clothing and shoes, for messy and physical activities.
- Please label your child's belongings.
- Medications can only be given if they are prescribed and a permission form has been completed.



Early Years Foundation Stage Curriculum



Areas of Learning and Development

Prime Areas

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Making Relationships
- Self-confidence and Self-awareness
- Managing Feelings and Behaviour

Physical Development

- Moving and Handling
- Health and Self-care

Communication and Language

- Listening and Attention
- Understanding
- Speaking

Specific Areas

Literacy

- Reading
- Writing

Mathematics

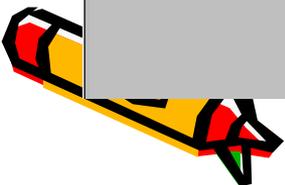
- Numbers
- Shape, Space and Measures

Understanding the World

- People and Communities
- The World
- Technology

Expressive Arts and Design

- Exploring and Using Materials and Media
- Being Imaginative



Nursery session times

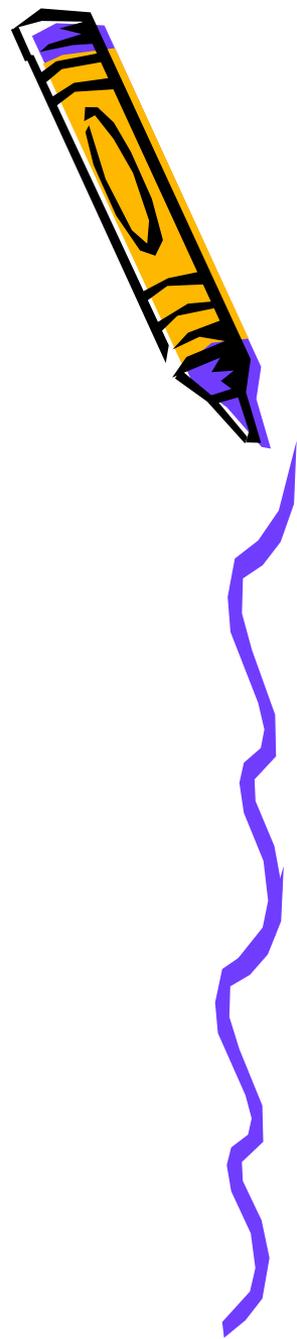
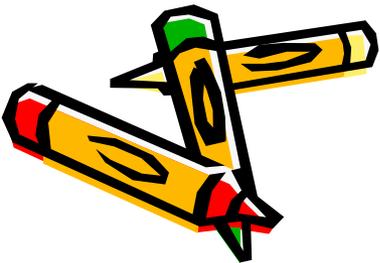
Morning session

9am- 12.00pm

Full time session

9am-3pm

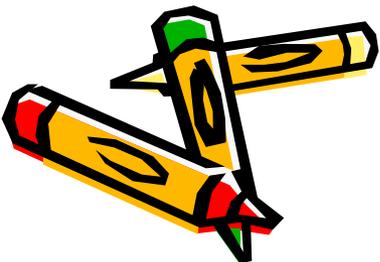
These are the usual timings. However due to the coronavirus, these may be subject to change. We will communicate any changes to those times once we've got new guidance through from the DFE.



What happens in Nursery?

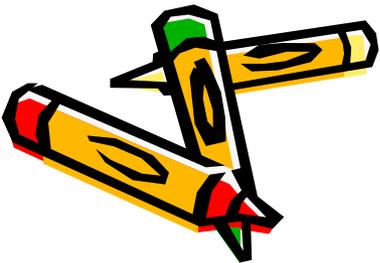
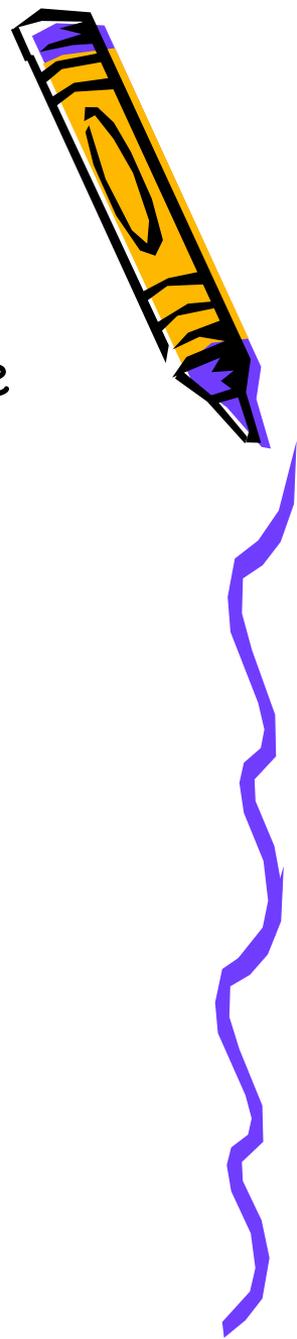


Check out our YouTube Video to meet us and find out some of the fun things you can do with us in Rainbow Class!



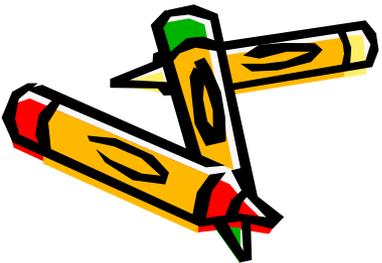
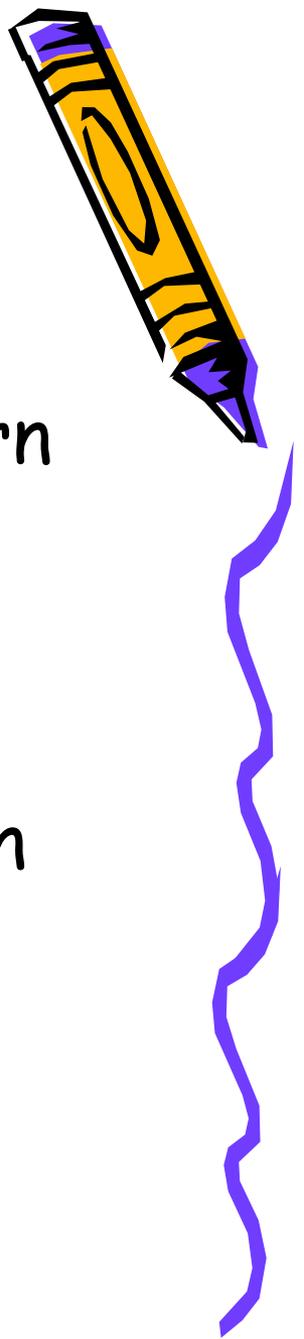
A Typical Session

- Group learning on the carpet in small or larger groups - counting, phonics, rhymes, stories, circle time.
- Child initiated and adult focus activities.
- Small group activities to support and develop specific needs and skills.

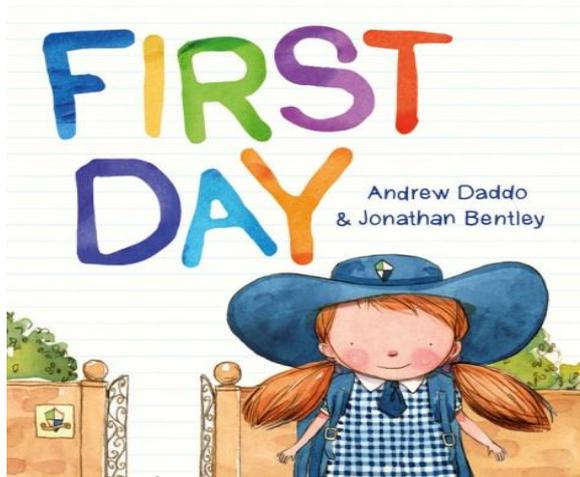
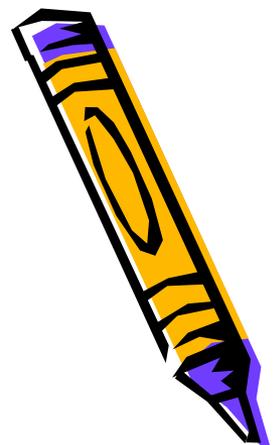


How can you help at home?

- Read to your child as often as you can.
- Sing songs and nursery rhymes.
- Play games, especially those involving turn taking.
- Ask about school - activities, friends, adults, etc.
- Read the weekly email for information on what is happening in class and ideas for you at home.



Things you can do to help your child prepare



Play turn taking games.

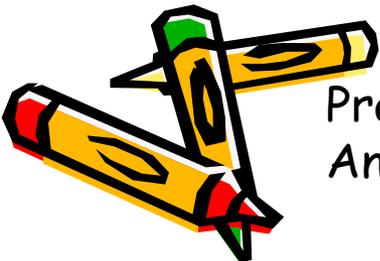
Talk and share stories about starting school.



Practise putting coats on. And doing them up!!



Encourage your child to work on independent toilet skills.

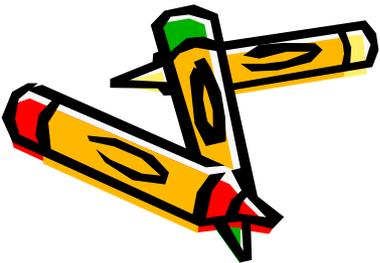


Other Useful Info

Full time children will be at school for lunch. You can opt to bring a healthy packed lunch or buy a school dinner. Please get in touch with the office if you would like your child to have a school meal. The price is £2.42 per day. If your child has any allergies the school require medical proof and we will need to arrange meetings with Nutritionist before they can have their school meals.



Please note any extra curricular clubs are not offered to nursery age children at this time.



And finally



We look forward to seeing you in your zoom meeting. If you have any questions we will be happy to answer them then. Other questions or information please contact the office.



Thank you

