# 'The Future we Create Everyday' Fairy & Elberry Cove Newsletter Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September 2023



### **HOME LEARNING**

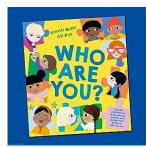
Each week we will continue to set an activity to share at home. These activities are designed to support the learning we are doing in school.

This week the children will have chosen a book from our library to share with you at home. Please take some time to read this book with your child. We will change them in school next Friday.

Little Bear will continue to choose a friend to go home with each weekend. He will bring his bag and a special book to share. Little Bear loves reading and would enjoy seeing the special stories you have at home too!

Dear parents and carers

Welcome back to the start of the 23-24 school year! We are so happy to welcome back our lovely children and welcome our new families too. We are delighted to welcome Charlie, Millie and Ella into our reception class; they have joined our nursery 2 children as our new reception class this year. We are also pleased to welcome Ellie and Alice this week joining our lovely nursery children.



This week we have been getting to know each other by playing games and sharing circle times. We have started to share the book 'Who are you'? By Smriti Halls. This wonderful book has helped to get the children thinking about and learning about their own families, and also opening up discussions about all of the other pieces that come together to make us all unique: from our friends and food we eat, to activities we get up to and the places we go. We will continue to share this book next week and the children will enjoy finding out more about themselves and their families, and thinking about other families and friends who are similar or different to their own.

The children have all been incredible and we already feel like a class family. We will continue to use short carpet times and circle time games to help the children learn more about their new school friends for the next few weeks.

Finally, we know there is often a lot of information and new routines to get to grips with at the start of term. Please, if you have any questions at all, just ask a member of staff at the gate or ring the school office and we will be happy to help. On Wednesday next week at 2.50pm you can come in and meet the teacher and have a look around the classroom if you would like.

Have a lovely sunny weekend,

Mrs Edwards and Miss Grant

## Our Vision & Values Hope

As it is the start of the new term we have been re-establishing old friendships and making new ones.

'Love is more important than anything else, it's what ties everything together' Colossians 3:14

# Star of the Week

This week we celebrate:

#### Orion

We are so proud of Orion and his growing confidence and independence. He has made a super start to this new year at school.



This week's attendance is 100%

Thank you to all for your commitment to achieving our attendance target

