



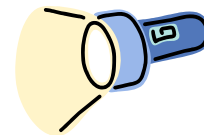
## Teddy Bears Nursery School Newsletter- November 2020

### STAFF CHANGES

Isabell Packer has joined us as an NVQ 2 Apprentice and will be working in the Sunshine bubble full time.

### DARKNESS AND LIGHT

'Darkness and Light' will be an area we shall be investigating as this ties in with the dark winter evenings which the children will be experiencing as well as the traditional festival of Bonfire Night. Activities will include splatter painting, 3D rockets as well as experimenting with lights indoors and outdoors and having our own bonfire with marshmallows in the garden.



### COVID RESTRICTIONS

As we informed you by email due to the new guidelines on self-isolation in confirmed cases of Covid-19 we will now be splitting into 4 bubbles. This is to restrict the number of staff & children who will have to stay off nursery & keep the nursery running. Please be aware we may have to close your child's bubble for 14 days if a case of Covid-19 is confirmed and we are instructed to do so by Public Health England.

### THINGS WE NEED

We are always on the hunt for different, unusual items for the children to explore & play with. Can we ask if anyone has any of the following items laying around at home & would like to donate to us...?

- Dried flowers
- Artificial flowers
- Interesting perfume bottles
- Pretty, unusual scarves & hats
- Baking tins/trays/pots & pans
- Decorating brushes
- Interesting boxes or baskets with lids
- Wooden spoons/kitchen utensils

### DIWALI 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

During this week we shall be celebrating the Festival of lights. We will be providing experiences of Indian culture through creating Diya Lamps and having lots of fun with Indian music, clothes and crafts.



