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Nursery Newsletter

Autumn Term 2026

Welcome to Nursery!

Welcome back to all our returning families and a very warm welcome to those joining us for the first time. We have settled into the new term beautifully and are looking forward to a wonderful year of learning, friendship and discovery together.

Learning Through Exploration and Play

In Nursery, children learn best when they are actively involved, interested and enjoying themselves. Play provides the perfect environment for children to investigate, experiment and make sense of the world around them.

Whether they are building with blocks, creating imaginative stories, exploring natural materials or working alongside friends, children are developing important skills that support their learning across all areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage.

Discovering Autumn

As we move through the autumn months, we will be exploring the seasonal changes taking place around us. The children will have opportunities to observe the changing colours of leaves, notice differences in the weather, enjoy harvest-related activities and investigate the natural world through both indoor and outdoor experiences.

We will continue to follow the children's interests closely, adapting our provision and planning to build upon their ideas, fascinations and questions.

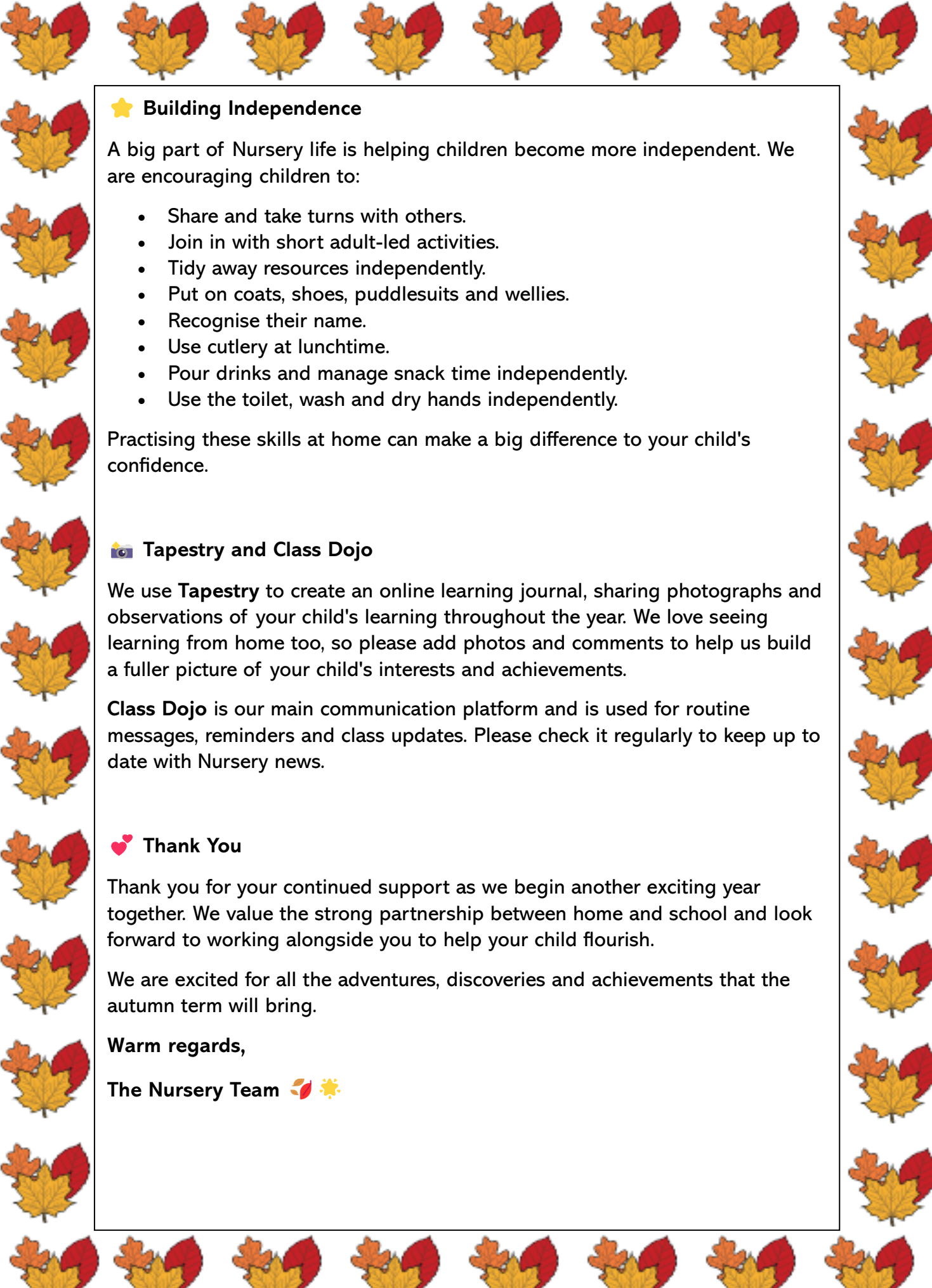
Stories, Songs and Rhymes

We share stories, songs and rhymes every day to support children's language development and foster a love of books. If your child has a favourite story or song from home, we'd love to hear about it!

Learning Indoors and Outdoors

Children enjoy a wide range of experiences both inside and outside every day. From creative activities and role play to climbing, digging and investigating nature, our environment provides endless opportunities for learning and discovery.

Please ensure your child comes to Nursery with suitable clothing for outdoor play in all weathers.



★ Building Independence

A big part of Nursery life is helping children become more independent. We are encouraging children to:

- Share and take turns with others.
- Join in with short adult-led activities.
- Tidy away resources independently.
- Put on coats, shoes, puddlesuits and wellies.
- Recognise their name.
- Use cutlery at lunchtime.
- Pour drinks and manage snack time independently.
- Use the toilet, wash and dry hands independently.

Practising these skills at home can make a big difference to your child's confidence.

📷 Tapestry and Class Dojo

We use **Tapestry** to create an online learning journal, sharing photographs and observations of your child's learning throughout the year. We love seeing learning from home too, so please add photos and comments to help us build a fuller picture of your child's interests and achievements.

Class Dojo is our main communication platform and is used for routine messages, reminders and class updates. Please check it regularly to keep up to date with Nursery news.

💖 Thank You

Thank you for your continued support as we begin another exciting year together. We value the strong partnership between home and school and look forward to working alongside you to help your child flourish.

We are excited for all the adventures, discoveries and achievements that the autumn term will bring.

Warm regards,

The Nursery Team 🍁☀️