



Little Dormice Class Sept 2020



Welcome to our first newsletter of the year. I hope you have had a lovely summer. We had a wonderful first few days getting to know each other.

Our Early Years Team

Your child will be supported in their learning by a number of adults. My name is Mrs Fawkes and I am Early Years Lead. I am also the Deputy Head. Occasionally I will over see the provision and learning in Little dormice and sometimes your child may join my class in the afternoons whilst numbers are low.

Mrs Ingledow and Mrs Freeman-Price are your child's key worker. They will be running the EYFS provision in the hut in the mornings and will join with my class in the afternoons on occasions.

Miss Sargent and Mrs Price help out with lunchtimes too.

On occasions we will have students and trainees, they are always fully DBS checked and supervised in school.

Please could you...

Please make sure that you put your child's name in all pieces of clothing and lunch boxes and bottles. We do our best to look after your child's belongings but every term we find that our lost property box is full.

Send in a spare set of clothes and underwear in a labelled plastic bag next week. We will put the spares on their box so if there are any accidents we can access them. We love messy play in Little Dormice and often get wet despite using waterproofs!

Don't forget...

- Your child will need a healthy snack for morning break. Free fruit is now available at school.
- Individual School photos will be on 25th of September so dress up smart!
- You should now have access to Tapestry which is your child's learning journey. Any problems let me know.
- You can contact me with any questions on, Dormice@woodside.gloucs.sch.uk If the matter is urgent contact the school office. I will pass any emails onto the ladies in the hut.
- Unfortunately we cannot accept birthday cake if it is your child's birthday due to COVID restrictions.

And finally, it has been a busy first few days and it has been lovely to meet you. Thank you for your understanding with the staggered start times and social distancing. When I open the gate you are welcome to come in and stand in the yard, keeping your distance from others. We have been aware of queues forming on the first day when all the children were back but since then it was much improved.

Mrs Fawkes, Mrs Freeman-Price and Mrs Ingledow