# William Murdoch Primary School

#### **Nursery Staff**

Mrs K Kullar (Team Leader) Mrs J Cunningham Mrs R Daniel

#### Holidays Half-Term

Friday 14 February 2025

**Return to School** 

Monday 24 February 2025

**End of Term** 

Friday 11 April 2025

**Return to School** 

Monday 28 April 2025

## Key Events Staff Training Days

Monday 6 January 2025

**Parents' Evening** 

Monday 10 March 2025

**World Book Day** 

Thursday 6 March 2025

**Science Week** 

10 - 14 March 2025

#### **Festival Assemblies**

Year 4 - Mother's Day

Friday 28 March 2025

**Reception - Eid** 

Friday 4 April 2025

Year 5 - Easter

Friday 11 April 2025

#### Nursery Trip(s)

Dinosaur workshop (in school) Tuesday 11 February 2025

Nursery AM Trip to Ash End Farm Tuesday 8 April 2025

Nursery PM Trip to Ash End Farm Wednesday 9 April 2025

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### **Nursery Spring Term Newsletter 2025**

#### Welcome

Welcome to another term at William Murdoch Primary School. In order to strengthen the home/school partnership, this Newsletter aims to inform you of the topics being covered by your child this term and of any special events taking place.

#### Maths

Count a set of objects by saying one number name for each object.
Understand that numbers identify how many objects are in a set.
Begin to understand the language of weight including 'heavy' and 'light'.
Begin to match the correct numeral with an amount of objects.

#### **English**

Repeat words and phrases from familiar stories.

Fill in the missing word in well known rhymes.

Listen to and join in with stories and poems.

Distinguish between the marks I make. Give meaning to marks as I draw and paint.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Show confidence in speaking to others about my own needs, interests and opinions.

Show friendly behaviour by talking to friends and family or adults.

#### **Understanding the World**

Begin to notice detailed features of objects in my environment.

Talk about some of the things I have observed such as plants, animals and natural objects.

#### **Communication and Language**

Join in with repeated refrains and anticipate key events in rhymes and stories.

Respond to simple instructions e.g. to get or put away an object.

#### **Expressive Art and Design**

To begin to be interested in and describe the texture of things.

Engage in imaginative role play based on my own experiences.

#### **Physical Development**

Use one-handed tools including making snips in paper using scissors.

Hold my pencil using the correct grip and use it with control.

#### RF

Theme: 'Celebrations' & 'Easter'

#### **PHSE**

Dreams & Goals



**KNOWLEDGE LIGHTS UP THE MIND**