

St. Michael's Nursery Newsletter

9th February 2025

Hello from the nursery team: Hilary, Jennie, Faith, Hannah, Justyn, Katie, Kelly, Lizzie, Louise and Sophie

Dear parents and carers,

In this final week before half term, we will be exploring superheroes and their superpowers. We will have a small superhero gym to develop our super strength, an obstacle course for super manoeuvring, and talk about our senses, and what we would use them for if they were super senses. You'll be delighted to know we will introduce children to the 80's Black Lace Superman song and expect they'll want you to copy this at home too! We will be thinking about what superpower we can all have.. super kindness. We expect kindness at all times but super kindness is noteworthy! If your child does something super kind at home, please be extra praiseful of this superpower! Our message this week will be how super special kindness has the power to make people feel good and grown-ups always recognise super kindness!

We will also have some Valentine's activities because we are always super kind to those we love!

Some parents have yet to return hours from September 2025 request form. Please ensure you do so by February 14th. Form is attached again to this newsletter!

Please note that Lidl rice cakes may contain sesame and we cannot therefore use them for snack. Thank you.

Hilary

Diary Dates:

Friday 14th February: Final deadline hours request form for September 2025 Monday 17th to Friday 21st February: Half Term



Physical Development:

Challenge your child to move like a superhero and work on those gross motor movements! What will their superpower be?

- Climb like a spider superhero
- Fly like a caped superhero
- Make muscles like a strong superhero
- Run, jump, hop, tiptoe like a superhero
- Create your own superhero moves!



Number of the week:



Woodland Wonder:

There's a worm at the bottom of my garden, and his name is wiggly-woo.

There's a worm at the bottom of my garden, and all that he can do...

is wiggle all night, and wiggle all day, no matter what the people say.

There's a worm at the bottom of my garden, and his name is wiggly woo!

The damp weather is providing perfect conditions for worm spotting! The common earthworm can live up to 6 years and, at their largest, grow to 30cm long. Earthworms eat up to a third of their bodyweight in a day, consuming soil as they burrow.

Star of the Day

Please upload to Tapestry a photo or short video of something special that your child would like to share with us at nursery. Two or three photos/videos is plenty!

NB. please record videos in LANDSCAPE format (i.e. with phone/tablet held horizontally) so we are able to view them on the large screen.

Monday 10th: Freddie

Tuesday 11th: Evan

Wednesday 12th: Seth

Friday 14th: Alice

Our star of the day schedule is also displayed in the nursery window for future dates