

# St Joseph's Catholic Primary School

## Nursery Newsletter



Spring Term  
23rd Feb 2015

### Writer of the week

Last week our writer of the week was



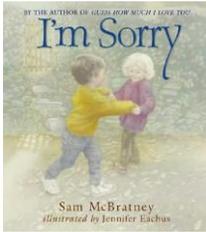
**Alisia Keka**



Well done Alisia, you took a phone message from one of the Frozen characters!

In the Nursery we try to make the children's experiences as realistic and relevant as possible. We have turned our home corner into a house where we will be providing as many 'real' resources as possible e.g. adult plates and cups, a kettle (empty of course!) so that their role play is as meaningful as possible. You could help your child by letting them assist you with jobs at home, maybe some dusting, setting the table, or drying up. Please also encourage the children to tidy up their toys after themselves.

### Story of the week



This week we will be reading  
'I'm Sorry'

### This week we will also be:

- Counting in lots of different ways. You could encourage your child to count lots of different things e.g. the cars they see on the way to school, the number of steps they take, the number of dogs in the park etc.
- Baking porridge bread to share with our friends. You could help your child at home by showing them how you share things out e.g. dinner onto the plates.
- Using our Frozen and Spiderman writing areas. You could help your child at home by encouraging them to mark make and write surrounding their interests.

### Phonics

Sounds covered:

**m a s d t i n p g o c k u b f e l h**

We will be recapping these sounds (the sound they make in a word, not the letter name) and introducing these new sounds:

**r j and 'sh'** (the sound the two letters make together)



This week we will be having a very reflective week in Nursery, thinking about how we can be kind to each other and how we can make others happy. We will be acting out some different situations and trying to work out what the right thing to do would be.

Talk to your child about playing gently and being a good friend. Discuss what the word 'sorry' means- that you should try not to do the same thing again if you are truly sorry.

### And finally...

- We hope you had a very restful half term and are ready for another busy half term.
- Please don't forget us when you are having a Spring clean...we are always very grateful for: old pots and pans, dressing up outfits, junk modelling boxes, empty soap dispensers etc.



- You should now have received the responses to the parent questionnaire via email. Please see a member of the Nursery team if you would like a hard copy or indeed if you have any more comments or suggestions!