



DEAR PARENTS

W/C : 08/05/17

Dear Parents,

Each week you will find our **Dear Parents letter** on our indoor and outdoor noticeboard and also under the Nursery tab on the website at www.polegateschool.co.uk.

We now send our letters via email unless you have requested a paper copy.

Our focus: 'Garden centre'

To conclude our mini theme on gardening we are going to visit the garden centre this week and much of the children's learning will be linked to engaging with this experience and making it relatable to the children unable to attend.

Rhyme of the week:

The wheels on the coach

The wheels on the coach go round and round

Round and round

Round and round

The wheels on the coach go round and round

All day long

How to support learning at home

Our Rising Fives in particular are working hard to hear other sounds in words not just the initial sound now so continue to sound talk (and use those robot arms) when an opportunity arises.

If your child goes on the trip encourage them to share about our adventure. You can always use tapestry photos to help.

Snack time

Displayed in the foyer is our 3 week snack timetable, encouraging children to try a wide range of healthy food. We try to promote a range of colour and textures and take into account seasonal fruit and vegetables.

We also encourage children to prepare and self-select the snacks themselves. Any feedback or recommendations are appreciated as we review it termly.

**Many thanks for your continued support.
Love from the Nursery Team**