



# DEAR PARENTS

W/C : 22/05/17

## 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 [polegateschool.co.uk](http://polegateschool.co.uk).

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

## Our focus: 'Superworm'

The children were very engaged last week when we used the rhyme 'Incy Wincy Spider' for our focused learning. This week we are using the modern classic "Superworm" by Julia Donaldson to inspire us. The book is an ideal way in to explore language associated with length and the children will also get the opportunity to investigate, with care, a range of minibeasts further in our bug lab. Alongside this we will be enjoying 'Sports Week' that is taking place over at the school.

## Rhyme of the week:

### Wiggly Woo

**There's a worm at the bottom of the garden**

**And his name is Wiggley Woo**

**There's a worm at the bottom of the garden**

**And all that he can do is**

**Wiggle all night and wiggle all day**

**The people round here that's what they do say**

**There's a worm at the bottom of the garden**

**And his name is Wiggly Woo!**

## Reminders

Please make sure everything that your child brings to nursery is named. We are sadly finding that some things are going missing. We often find that several children have the same coats or themed bottles etc and obviously if it is named it makes it easier to return to the owner. If we have had to send your child home in nursery clothing can they also be washed and returned as soon as possible. Many thanks.

## Lost Property

We will be displaying lost property in the foyer this week. Anything not claimed will be rehomed.

## Term 6

We will be continuing with minibeasts for a few weeks after the half term holiday. Alongside this we introduce our new healthy focus 'Drain your drinks' where we will be encouraging the children to drink only water between meals and of course the milk offered at snack time. We are hoping to make infused flavoured water and healthy smoothies as part of adult led activities. For reference, our food policy is on the website if you would like to read it.

**Many thanks for your continued support and wishing you a super half term.**

**Love from the Nursery Team**