

Dear Parents,

After witnessing the children's confidence in harvesting the potatoes, as well as their presentation of their potato stall, we felt it would be beneficial to challenge the children and take their development to the next level, therefore after consultation with the children it has been agreed that on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2010, the children will be presenting to you their own tomato stall/shop, where they will have the opportunity to sell their newly harvest tomatoes.

This idea came to light after several children made reference to the potato stall being like a shop, as well as their parents/grandparents purchasing such goods from their local supermarkets (Asda/Tesco).

These comments provided us with the opportunity to discuss with the children the benefits of selling their nursery grown foods in relation to being Eco Friendly and Health Promoting, which included being able to generate funds which would allow us to purchase fresh seeds to sow over the winter months, which in turn would continue our cycle, as well as the added benefits of bringing their successes/achievements home to create delicious recipes to enjoy with you at home.

Each individual child will be allocated a bag of tomatoes, which they will harvest and prepare at the beginning of the week, which they can then sell to their family using a recently purchased till at the cost of 10 pence per bag. As this is the beginning of our Enterprising Adventure we have opted to sell each bag for 10p as the majority of children are familiar with the television character Ben 10 and show an awareness of the number 10.

Please note each bag will be labelled with a picture of a 10p coin to allow the children to match the coin you are giving them with the price on their bags, thus promoting their independence and responsibility, therefore we would ask that if you wish to purchase your child's bag of tomatoes that you bring along a 10p coin.

Once again we look forward to your support with this upcoming project!

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind Regards

Linsey