

## Hibernation Notice

This is a wee reminder that this week at nursery is our Hibernation week. We are having Hibernation week to support children's learning and understanding of the process of Hibernation, and a variety of experiences will be provided to support this. One of the experiences on offer is our hibernation den/cave. Children are encouraged to bring a small soft toy (preferably in animal form) to place within our hibernation den/cave (which the children will be involved in making) to sleep in until spring.

Please note that all toys placed within the den/cave will remain in there until spring like a real hibernation, when we then have a celebration day of the animals waking up, therefore we encourage you to discuss this with your child beforehand. We cannot reinforce enough that no special or favourite toys should be placed within the den/cave.

Within Hibernation week we will also be having a Hibernation Day, which will take place on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> October. On this day the children can attend nursery in their Pyjamas and take part in a variety of experiences related to hibernation, which again will support their learning and development.

Please note that if you have any other ideas, suggestions or comments then please either add them to our parents planning board situated on the window above the children's library or send them via our electronic feedback form on our website where staff will be happy to add them to the planning board for you.

We would like to thank those who have provided items for our autumn sensory table and wall display, this is a continuous experience, therefore if anyone else would like to add to these displays it would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you

