



## This Weeks 'What's Happening'



A warm welcome back this week to all our **returning** children and their families only. Just these children will return this week in order for them to settle back into routines after the long summer holidays. Next week new children and their families will start on a staggered basis on their given start date.



**Monday**  
4<sup>th</sup>  
**September**

**School is closed today to children as it is a training day for staff. Returning children will start in their new or existing classes tomorrow as specified in your letter. Thank you**

**Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**September**



School opens again today for all our **returning** children only.

Our sign of the week is **Hello**.

Watch Lucinda make the actions for the sign at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H98TVUOGE20>



**Wednesday**  
8<sup>th</sup>  
**September**



Our artist in residence **Lou Sumray** is returning to nursery **today**. She will initially be working with the children in **blue**, **yellow** and **green** rooms every week on a Wednesday.



**This week**

This week in the **red** and **purple** rooms we will be settling our existing children back into the daily routines and identifying any schematic or repeated patterns of play which they might engage in. As children grow older different schemas start to appear. Some may be fleeting, others last for longer. It's common to notice two or three strong schemas during a child's earliest years. This is what we will be looking to identify as the weeks progress so that we can tailor planning to children's interests, schemas and needs. See the link below for more information on schemas.



<https://www.familycorner.co.uk/why-does-she-always-do>

**This week**



In **blue**, **yellow** and **green** rooms we will be spending time settling back our existing children with reminders of our school routines. We have planned lots of home from home activities in the role play area and small world along with re-introducing the children to our nursery school environment and helping to support their feelings and recapping on routines.

Have you heard about **Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Keighley** ? All under-5s living in Keighley East, West or Central wards can get a FREE age-appropriate book every month from birth to their fifth birthday, which they receive addressed to them in the post. Sign up your child/children via the link below - if you do this from birth your child will build a library of 60 books! Sign up your child for the Imagination Library programme at <https://imaginationlibrary.com/uk/affiliate/WYKKEIGHLEY/>



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