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Dear Parent / Carer,

## National Nursery Rhyme Week 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019

Did you know that nursery rhymes play an important role in early childhood development by helping children to master key skills such as language and communication as well as social, physical and emotional skills?

In school we will be celebrating National Nursery Rhyme week by looking at, learning and performing nursery rhymes each day. We will be learning traditional English nursery rhymes as well as looking at some traditional rhymes from other countries.

To celebrate the Nursery Rhyme week we would like to invite parents/carers in to school to watch children perform some of the rhymes they have learnt. This will take place on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November at 2.30pm in the hall.

We hope you will share in our enthusiasm at home by encouraging your child to talk during the week about what they have been doing in school. Can they teach the family a nursery rhyme they have learnt? We'd love it if you could celebrate this week further at home. Could you teach your child a favourite rhyme to share with the rest of the class? Or send them to school with a special book or something special they have made linked to a nursery rhyme to share with their friends?

You can also inform your child's Class Teacher of what they have been doing at home via email. We will then be able to share your child's achievements with their peers in class. Please send photos and narratives of your child's experiences to:

[parentshare@spaldingparish.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:parentshare@spaldingparish.lincs.sch.uk)

If you would like any advice or information please speak to a member of the Foundation Stage team.

Kind regards,

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EYFS Lead

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