



# Nursery Learning Journey



Week beginning: 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019

## **This week our topic is Chinese New Year.**

This week we will be celebrating Chinese New Year. During our adult led 'Rainbow Time' children will be looking at the story of Chinese New Year, learning how to prepare for the celebration and tasting noodles. Discovery time activities will include a Chinese takeaway role play area, making Chinese lanterns and experimenting with Chinese symbols.

## **Please remember:**

Your child will be tasting noodles this week, if you have any concerns please speak to your key worker.

Don't forget to ask your child to show you the Makaton sign for Happy New Year.



## **Home Challenge**

Find out what animal your child is in the Chinese Zodiac (by year of birth) and draw/create a picture of the animal.

PLEASE CAN YOU GIVE THESE TO YOUR CHILDS KEYWORKER. WE WOULD LOVE TO DISPLAY THEM IN THE NURSERY.

## **How you can help at home**

- ✓ Watch a YouTube clip about the origin of the animals for each year.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f5aY11MpvSI>
- ✓ Google 'Chinese New Year art' and talk about the paintings you find.