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Dear Parents

The children have had a wonderful first term in Nursery. The staff have been focussing on settling the children, making them feel safe and secure and teaching them the rules and routines of our setting.

We really believe that by investing this time in establishing expectations and ensuring children are happy and secure, then it will really benefit them for the rest of this academic year.

We will continue to observe each child and record this evidence to inform our planning and to assess where the children are in their learning and development. This will then help us to decide what their next steps need to be.

In the past we have used an online journal, however we now follow the ethos of '**In the moment planning**' and our recording system is paper based. Each child has their own folder where observations are added.

Each week 2 children are chosen to be the 'focus child.' If it is your child's week, then please continue to fill in the home sheet that is given to you the week before. Please return this form as it will form the basis of our observations. Once all the observations are complete, you will receive a copy and a copy will go in their folder.

I will also continue to share photos of activities and information on the WhatsApp group.

Please read the copy of our 'Vision' as this will complement the systems that are in place,

<https://www.stlawrence.sch.je/wp-content/uploads/Vision-for-early-years-final-document-PDF.pdf>

Many thanks,

Mrs Cook

*Our Mission:*

*'To develop responsible, independent individuals who love learning and have the knowledge and attitudes to be successful in an ever changing world'.*

