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Hi everyone we have been very busy in nursery since we have come back from our easter holidays. The children have been learning about dinosaurs, which has led them into our underwater theme (still with a lot of roaring don't worry!)

Over the next few weeks we will be exploring the ocean further until the current takes us to the beach. We will then be looking at holidays, modes of transport and hopefully enjoying some sunshine.

Please can we ask that your child has a spare set of clothes in nursery, socks especially as we will be paddling in our rockpools and making sandcastles.

**Funding forms have been sent home and these must be completed and returned by April 30th to secure your child's funding next term.**

Finally our most important thing. As you all know, Lucy has been working with us in the nursery for 5 years now and the time has come for her to share her knowledge in a new setting closer to her home. This is a wonderful opportunity for Lucy and we wish her the best luck in the world. We are going to miss her dearly, not just as a colleague but as the friend she is to us, I am sure you will all feel the same. There is a collection to buy Lucy a "leaving gift". If you wish to contribute to this please pop a donation to the office in an envelope.

Until we find a suitable candidate to join us here, Lucy's key children will be shared between Holly and Tash, making sure the care and attention your children have received does not change and that they are provided with as much consistency as possible.

Lucy's last day here will be on 28th April, we will be having a very relaxed atmosphere and invite the children to wear something fun, silly or party to help us send Lucy off in a way she deserves.

Please feel free to email us at [byfieldnursery@stowevalley.com](mailto:byfieldnursery@stowevalley.com) as usual with any queries.

Best Wishes

Holly Tash and Lucy