Reminders

- Nursery <u>will be closed</u> from Wednesday
 14th -Friday 16th for mid term break.
- On Monday 19th Feb the photographer will visit the school.
- Monday 26th Feb -we will
 begin our "Sharing from the
 Start "project and will require
 some volunteers to assist us on
 trips-details will follow. Please inform Mrs
 Mc Laughlin if you are available to help.
- Please return the Health Review questionnaire to the Nursery..
- Can we remind all parents/guardians to ensure that gates into the Nursery are to be closed at all times in line with our Child Safeguarding Procedures. Please ensure you close the gates as you exit the path in the morning

and evenings . Your Cooperation in this is greatly appreciated.

Themes.

February's theme is "Helping Hands". In our imaginative area we will be playing dentist/hospital. Our shape of the month is the heart and our colour theme is pink. Outdoors we will also have balancing activities/apparatus for the children to use.

Happy Birthday to

Emily Morrison -1st



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Suggested Activities.

- Draw or paint with pink paint and crayons. Make pink dough.
- Look for the heart shape at home and in the environment. Create pictures using paper hearts. Count the hearts on this page!
- Explain to your child how the dentist/doctor/ambulance service helps us.
- Develop your child's balance skills. Ask them to stand on both feet, lift
 one leg and change to the other. Practice hopping on one foot and change.
 They can bend knees and use arms to gain balance.
- Please read to your child frequently and play simple memory games e.g. I
 went to the shop and I bought... This improves attention and concentration
 skills.(Can he/she remember 4 items in sequence?)
- In water play we are discussing which container holds most/least and developing the concept of heavy/light. Look for opportunities to consolidate this at home e.g. cups, jugs etc. or when shopping.





