



Nature Garden Nursery  
& Forest School

## Birthdays!

At Nature Garden we love to acknowledge and celebrate your child's birthdays whilst also considering different religions and cultures and understanding that some families chose not to celebrate birthdays. In all circumstances we will respect the wishes and beliefs of our parents.

As we have healthy eating embedded into our curriculum and are sensitive to the dietary requirements and allergies of other children, we are unable to accept any food stuffs including cupcakes, birthday cakes, chocolates or sweets and instead encourage you to enjoy these treats at home or during your celebrations.

If you would like to bring something in to mark the occasion, we suggest stickers or bubbles for your child's peers to take home. You could also donate a story book to our nursery to be shared with the class. This would be a lovely addition to our class library and as we read the book throughout the remainder of the year it will be a fantastic reminder of the time we celebrated their birthday. You could also send into nursery a photograph of your child from each year of their life so we can discuss their timeline so far and see how much they have grown over the years.

Please note, there is no obligation to bring anything in for the occasion as we will make your child feel special throughout the day by wearing the birthday hat, a class song of 'Happy Birthday', Birthday Boogies and seeing their name on the birthday board outside. Your child will also get their very own birthday card from their teachers and friends.

