

Playwell Pre-school Newsletter



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Dates for this term

Last Day of term -Friday 12th February

Back to school - Tuesday 23rd February

Welcome

All of the new children settled in really well last term, we are so proud of them all. We do have some more new children starting this term and we hope that you will join us in making them all feel welcome.

Nativity

The nativity was fantastic! The children all sat and sang beautifully. Thank you all for your support over the Christmas period and a big thank you for all of your cards and gifts, so very kind.

September 16 new starters

Don't forget, if your child is due to start Reception class in September 16, you need to apply for a place before January 15th. Go to Greenwich council website for more details.

Fruit snack donations

Don't forget our fruit tin on the table by the door of a morning for you to donate money or even a bag of fruit for the children for snack time during the morning session. You have all been extremely generous over the last term. Thank you.

Buggies

You are welcome to leave your buggy with us but can we please ask you fold them as they do take up a lot of space.

Last term

Last term we were concentrating on settling in, sharing, being kind and learning how to be a good friend, which we feel that the children have accomplished. On Facebook we do try to put on the activities of the day and what your child learns from this and also on our website you will find the term dates and newsletters.

Outside play

We are still going outside to play, can we please ask that you provide a warm coat, hat and gloves with your child's name on. Thank you.

September school starters

We have started doing schoolwork with the children who are going into Reception class in September. Small groups of about 4 or 5 children every day will be concentrating on recognising numbers, counting and writing. However, this may change as we work at the individual child's pace and work from our observations. Their work will be put into their profile books, which you are able to look at any time. If you have any questions have a chat with your keyworker.

Peanut allergies

Can we please remind you not to put any peanut products, including peanut butter in your child's lunch as we have children with allergies.

Parent rota

If you are interested in spending some time with us please sign up for our Parent rota. We love having parents in as it does help to develop great relationships between staff and parents and carers.

Check out our Facebook page

We post every day on Facebook about what the children are doing during their time with us, we hope that you find this helpful and interesting. If you haven't liked us yet, please do so, we have had feedback from many parents saying that it has been very informative on day to day activities and what the children are learning.

Don't forget- we are available at all times if you have any concerns or worries regarding your child.

Thank you, The Playwell team