

REMINDER

* Please make sure not to use your phone when you are picking and dropping off your child to ensure that you don’t miss out on any important information.
* Please make sure to not give your child grapes for lunch, due to it being a choking hazard.

SPRING TERM NEWSLETTER 2025

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Welcome back and Happy New Year!

We’re excited to kick off another wonderful term of learning and fun with your children.**☺**

OUR LEARNING:

This term focuses on storytelling, creativity, and exploration. It begins with settling in to build confidence, followed by superheroes, pirates, and fairy tales, each sparking imagination. The term continues with dragons and castles, ending with an exciting space exploration where children discover the wonders of the universe.

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DATES FOR THE DIARY:

* 25th Jan- Burns Night
* 29th Jan- Chinese New Year
* 7th Feb- Number Day
* 13th Feb- Valentine’s Day Celebration/Last Day (Child can wear pink to celebrate Valentine’s Day)

TOPICS:

* Week 1 (6-10 Jan.)- Settle in week
* Week 2 (13-17 Jan.)- Superheroes
* Week 3 (20-24 Jan.)- Pirates
* Week 4 (27-31 Jan.)- Fairy tales
* Week 5 (3-7 Feb.)- Dragon and Castles
* Week 6 (10-13 Feb.)- Space

LAST DAY IS THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY

IMPORTANT NOTICE

This is a reminder that the £10 expense contribution for snacks and craft activity materials must be paid during the first week of every month. As previously communicated, this fee is necessary due to rising costs and to ensure the preschool can continue to provide these essentials for your child.

Please ensure payment is made without delay.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If our staff need to discuss an incident or accident involving your child, we kindly ask for your understanding. Please wait a few minutes after pick-up time so that our staff can be fully available to explain the accident form thoroughly.

Thank you for your cooperation.





IMPORTANT NOTICE

We kindly advise parents to begin potty training their child at least two weeks before returning to preschool, ideally during holidays. This allows the preschool to better support and work with the children during their transition.

Additionally, we request that you check your child's nappy before bringing them to preschool. Mornings are very busy, and ensuring nappies are changed beforehand helps us maintain staff ratios and ensures circle time (morning session) and lunchtime (afternoon session) run smoothly.





SNACK TIME

During snack time, all children are provided with a healthy snack and a choice of either milk or water to drink (please do not send snacks from home). We kindly remind all parents that only water should be placed in children's water bottles for preschool. If you find your child's water bottle full, it's because our preschool offers milk and water throughout the day to keep them hydrated and nourished. If your child is staying for lunchtime, please ensure they have a healthy packed lunch. Packed lunches must not contain nuts or sugary snacks such as jam sandwiches, chocolate bars, or similar items, as we aim to promote a balanced and nutritious diet.



NAMES ON ITEMS

Please remember to check that all items your child brings into preschool are named, so that we can make sure items return to the correct child. As you can imagine, the children muddle up their things quite easily, so we regularly do have to check names!

This includes jumpers and cardigans, coats, bags, drinks bottles and wellies.



KIND REMINDER ☺

We kindly ask parents to keep newsletters safe and make note of important information, including term dates. Last year, we faced challenges due to some parents being unaware of the term dates, which impacted the smooth running of our sessions. Please help us avoid this issue by staying informed.

Additionally, we kindly remind everyone to treat our staff with the same respect we extend to your children. Mutual respect ensures a positive and nurturing environment for everyone!

Don’t forget that there is a parents WhatsApp group. Please speak to your parent rep if you would like to join.

Attendance

PM: 12.00 - 3.00