

Pre-School Newsletter September 2017

Welcome back to our new school year, we look forward to welcoming all our new children and helping them to settle in and get to know us all.

We hope you all had a lovely summer break, and are ready for the new term.

School dates - you will have received the Pre-School calendar please make a note of any dates that we are closed, any changes we will let you know as they happen and as soon as we can.

Please note that this October 30th is an inset day and Pre-School will be closed sorry for the short notice.

Please do not park in the school car park it is for **staff use only**, we do understand that parking at the school can be difficult so please be respectful to each other and our neighbours especially if parking outside their houses. We will send out messages to you if there is going to be anything that will cause any delays to you when we can.

Only press the buzzer if you need to collect your children early and this has been pre-arranged, otherwise the gate will be opened to let you in as soon as we are ready. Putting on coats at home time can take longer on some days than others.

And as we begin the new school year please remember the importance of having your child's name in their **HATS, COATS, BAGS and SHOES** as the children love to dress up and it can be quite difficult working out whose is who and this can be time consuming when you are waiting to collect them

PLEASE keep your child away from the gate whilst it opens/closes as it is mechanical and we would not want any accidents to happen. Also, please do not show or allow your child to operate the button push or the intercom buzzer - if a child knows 'how to' at these safeguarding points, then they will be able to let themselves out into danger.

Sun protection - as we still may be getting a few hot days please remember to bring in their sun hats and if it is going to be very warm please apply sun cream before coming into school. We do have some in school although **you** must apply it to your child.

Absences -if your child is going to be absent from pre-school please let us know before 8.30am so that we do not order a lunch for them, or unfortunately you may be charged for the cost of the wasted meal. Thank you

Yellow Bags - The yellow bags are for the children's work and any letters coming into school or going home. When necessary a simple change of clothes can be put in, in case of any accidents. Please do not allow your children to bring in any toys, food, and drinks from home.

Sickness - if your son or daughter should be off with sickness they must be kept home for 24 hours from the time of being sick if they have sickness and diarrhoea then you must keep them home for 48 hours until they are clear from any bugs etc.

Wellie Boots. If anyone is thinking of replacing their wellie boots we would be very grateful if you could donate any old ones. We do like to go out in the garden every day and some of our old ones are becoming perished and need replacing. Thank you.