

Nursery Newsletter: April 2025

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Dear Parents/Carers.

Upcoming Nursery Events

Thursday 17th April: We will be celebrating the upcoming Easter weekend with lots of egg and bunny related activities.

Friday 18th and Monday 21st April: Nursery is CLOSED for the Easter Bank Holidays. Wednesday 23rd April: It is St. George's Day, the Patron Saint of England, and we will be thinking about the story of George and the Dragon.

Term Dates and Nursery Closures

This term finishes on Friday 4^{th} April with '47.5 week' children returning on Monday 14^{th} April and 'term time only' children returning on Tuesday 22^{nd} April. Nursery is closed to everyone for Bank Holidays on Friday 18^{th} and Monday 21^{st} April and Monday 5^{th} May.

Front Door Security

Please can all parents refrain from opening the front doors themselves and wait for a staff member to do this for them and also do not open the door to let anyone else in or out of the building. This is to ensure that no children leave the nursery in error, and that no adults enter without the knowledge of the staff.

Staff Changes, Hellos and Goodbyes

We are saying 'welcome back' to Ahmreen who is returning at the end of the month as Baby Unit Leader. At this time, Ruby will move into Toddlers to lead the team there and Ava will move into Babies. If this affects your child's key person you will be informed individually of who their new key person will be. Please ask if you are unsure.

Summer Menu

From the week of 21^{st} April, we will be moving to our summer menu. This will be displayed in the porch and on the nursery website.

Children's Tablets, Smart Watches and Phones

Please can you make sure that you are not sending in any technology with your child, even in their bags. Not only do we not take responsibility for it if it is lost or broken whilst on the premises, the EYFS states that we cannot have technology which is able to take photographs being used on the premises without specific safeguards in place.

School Places

If your child is starting school in September, you will be informed of your school place on Wednesday 16th April. Please can you let us know which school you have been allocated so that we can support an effective transition between nursery and school. If you have any questions, or do not get allocated a school place, please do come and ask us for help.

Please also see the attached 'Starting Reception' booklet with lots of handy information on getting your child ready for school.

Any questions please do ask.

Kind regards,

Carol and Seren