

Educare for Early Years Newsletter

would also like to welcome our new children and their families. We hope you enjoy your time with us.

Thank you for taking the time to read this month's newsletter. We hope you find the information useful. I

Key Dates:

Remembrance Day – wear red to nursery

> Monday 11th November

Children in Need Fri 15th November

Nativity tickets on sale Monday 18th November in reception

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This month: With Bonfire night on the way and the days getting darker, the children will be learning about fire and road safety as well as enjoying autumnal stories and favourites such as the

Gruffalo and Owl babies.

Pre-school & Foundation will be busy practicing for the Christmas Nativity too!

Winter: With the cold weather on the way please make sure your child has a named hat and gloves at nursery along with correct fitting wellies and a winter wetsuit. We go outside no matter what the weather!

Christmas Fairies: The Christmas Fairies will be decorating the nursery on Friday 29th November ready for the 1^{st} December. We will also have a post box in reception from the 1^{st} if any children would like to do Christmas cards for their friends.

Remembrance Day: We will be celebrating Remembrance Day on Monday 11th November, the children can wear red on this day and we will be doing lots of poppy related crafts to mark the occasion.

Children in Need: We are doing a sponsored wear your Pudsey/Pyjamas day for Children in Need on Friday 15th November. There will be a collection pot on the desk in reception if you would like to donate. The staff will be wearing pyjamas on Friday too.

Nativity tickets: Tickets go on sale on Monday 18th November. Tickets are priced at £2 per ticket and there is a maximum of 2 tickets initially. We will also have a waiting list for each day if you want extra tickets. This is just for Preschool and Foundation.

The dates are Monday 2^{nd} , Tuesday 3^{rd} , Wednesday 4^{th} , Thursday 5^{th} all at 2pm

Your child will only perform on the days they usually attend.



Funded Childcare: We will soon be sending out Funding Loop emails to those parents who we believe will be eligible to claim funded hours with us from January. If you claimed funding last term it will just be a case of reconfirming, please do the same on your government gateway when prompted to keep your code valid. Those who will be claiming their first term with us in January please make sure you have applied for your code already via the childcare choices website (it will start with 500 or 501) you will then fill out all the information on Funding Loop online – you do not need to give us any codes. Please make sure you have discussed any changes in attendance with us sooner rather than later as any funded days will be fixed from January to April.

St Andrews Day: Children can wear blue and white on Friday 29th November for St Andrews day

IQ cards: Thank you to everyone who placed an order, they have arrived and are ready to collect in reception

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