

Snack

We are happy to say that playgroup are now providing fruit at snack times. Please do continue contributing to our snack. Our children are active, growing and have very healthy appetites!



February/March
2023 newsletter



Wishing Sophie a very Happy 3rd
Birthday!

Also wishing Jessica a very Happy 4th
Birthday!

Cakes can be brought in with prior
arrangement to cater for any allergies.

Hand wash station

The hand wash station has been re-instated for the winter months. Please help us to minimise the spread of winter bugs by ensuring your children wash their hands before entering the setting.



Forest School



Forest School sessions will continue to run this term, running every other Tuesday. Both a Facebook post and WhatsApp broadcast will always go out the evening before confirming.

Please provide children with wellies and appropriate clothing, including long sleeves and trousers.

Continuation of winter bugs

As you are all aware we are in the midst of the winter season with all the usual germs that are going around. In addition to the normal winter colds and vomiting bugs, we are experiencing higher than usual incidents of Flu, Strep A infections and a rise in Covid infections.

Because of this, we have instituted some extra hygiene measures to mitigate the risks of catching and passing on infections.

We would also like to say that if your child requires Calpol before attending they are most likely not well enough to attend and they probably have an infection that they can pass on to others.

Please do not send your child when they have had Calpol and please make sure that your child is in good health when they return to playgroup.

Children who have a fever should be kept at home until 24 hours after the temperature has returned to normal.

As a setting we will be particularly vigilant and will notify you as soon as we suspect that your child is unwell.

Please support us in our efforts by reinforcing this good hand hygiene at home as well.

I would also like to remind you that if your child has vomiting and diarrhoea they must be kept at home until 48 hours after the last loose stool or vomiting episode.

Dates for you diaries

Monday 27th February: Term begins

Wednesday 1st March: St David's Day

Thursday 2nd March: World Book Day

Wednesday 8th March: International Woman's Day

Thursday 16th March: Red Nose Day/ St Patricks Day

Thursday 30th March: End of term with and Easter Egg hunt

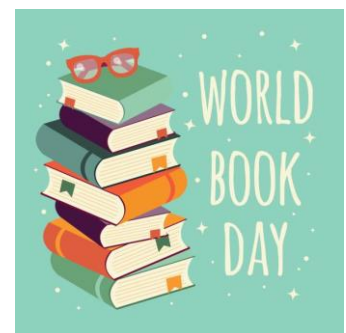
Friday 31st March-Sunday 16th April: Easter holidays

Monday 17th April: Term begins

World Book Day

We are celebrating World Book Day at playgroup on Thursday 2nd March.

Dressing up will be optional. However we would love it if your child could bring in their favourite book to share with us all!



Red Nose Day

We shall be celebrating Red Nose Day at Playgroup on Thursday 16th March.

Please feel to let your children wear red for the day.

There will be an optional donation of a £1 for this, which will of course be donated to the charity.



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Junk Modelling

We had a fabulous response to filling up our junk modelling trolley.

We now have a lovely full trolley, unfortunately we are unable to take on any more donations at the moment.



Healthy lunchboxes

We have noticed an increase in treats in lunchboxes over the last few weeks.

Please can we ask that you limit treats to just one.

Examples of a healthy lunchbox and ideas can be found on:

Lunchbox ideas and recipes – Healthier Families - NHS (www.nhs.uk)



Polite reminder

Please can you ensure that all of your children's belongings are labelled. Especially water bottles and loose pots in lunchboxes.