

Fordbridge Childcare Plus

Newsletter



Week Beginning: Christmas Newsletter

Diary Dates



Friday 16th December- Break up end of Term.
Wednesday 4th January 2023 - All children return
Friday 27th January 2023- Inset day



Christmas

We hope you all have a wonderful Christmas and New Year.
The children have had the best time, taking part in all of our Christmas activities, meeting Santa and being part of our special events.
Please remember to take any special photos over the Christmas and New Year period and upload them onto EY Log. It will be so lovely to speak about them with your children when we return.

Parent/Carers- Christmas Workshop

We would like to thank you all for attending and participating in our Christmas Workshop.
The staff and children had a wonderful time, and we hope you did too.
It was so lovely to see everyone together.



MERRY CHRISTMAS



HAPPY NEW YEAR



Christmas Gifts

We would like to thank our Parents/Carers for our Christmas gifts we have received.
They are all wonderful and we are very grateful.
Thank you.

Next Terms Topic

When the children return, we will be covering the topic of 'WINTER'.
The children will be learning all about Winter. They will be learning what changes happen to the environment during the Winter, and what clothes are appropriate to wear during the Winter.

Wow Moments

Please continue to share your WOW moments from home onto EY Log or write them down on the slips provided. If you need any more slips, please ask your child's classroom for some more.
If you are having any problems with uploading observations onto EY Log please speak with Mrs Berry in the office.
WOW moments, can be anything your child has done or said, which is very special to you, and made you think WOW!!
We would love to share these moments with the children in setting and add them to our displays.
Thank you.

Polite Reminder

Please can we remind Parents/Carers to ensure children are dressed in old play clothes for attending Nursery, not nice new/expensive outfits. The children are very young and really do enjoy messy play. As much as staff try their very best, it is very difficult to ensure clothes do not get stained.
Can we please, also ask for children to wear appropriate shoes, which are easy for the staff and children to take off and put on?
We try to support the children in learning to be independent, shoes which are a difficult to get on and off cause children to struggle and become frustrated.



Appropriate Clothing

Please ensure your child comes to the setting dressed in weather appropriate clothing, with hats, gloves, scarfs, wellingtons/waterproof shoes and warm coats on cold/wet days. The weather is not too cold yet, but is most certainly wet. Please ensure all items are clearly labelled with your child's name in them.
If children arrive to the setting who are not dressed appropriately for the weather, we may need to keep them inside to ensure their safety.



We thank you for your continued support.

Health and Safety

As the Winter approaches, children are more likely to catch viruses and colds.
Please can we ask you not to send your child into the setting if they have been given Calpol or any other paracetamol medication.
Medication will only mask children's symptoms and once the medication wears off, we can see considerable changes in children's moods and behaviour.
Whilst we appreciate it is important for children to attend Nursery, keeping the setting a positive experience for the children is also extremely important. If children are sent in unwell this can become a negative experience and set them back.

We thank you for your support and co-operation with this matter.

PTA- We are now looking for new members. To get involved contact us using the below information. You can give as much or as little time as you want to.

Email: fordbridgeparentsgroup@gmail.com **– Twitter:** @fordbridgepare1 **– Facebook:** @FPGPT

