

Newsletter February 2024

Themes for term

19/2 & 26/2 Animals, St David's Day

4/3 Stories, World Book Day and St Piran's Day, Mother's Day 11/3 The Weather, St Patrick's Red Nose Day

18/3 Spring

25/3 & 1/4 Easter and Holi

Shared Learning

- -Tips for listening and attention
- -Open ended question stems
- -Half-term songs
- Poster for Chat Health Parent Line attached as document.

Good to see more toothbrushes in the lunchboxes! Tooth decay has increased enormously and this does help prevent it.



Show and tell

It would be lovely to see less toys. There's only so much they talk & ask questions about toys, it would be great to mix it up.

Suggestions could be a shell from the beach/natural findings, a picture/crafts/ a book, a special photo, an achievement/reward.

Stay and Play sessions in the Big's room

We welcome you to come in for an hour in the morning to see your child within their setting and meet their friends.

Bookings only! See Maddi or Sabine

Important dates for your diary

Term dates for non-funded and stretched funded children:

- -Spring Term 2024 starts on Tuesday 2nd January
- -Summer term Monday 1/4 30/8

Term dates for term time only funded children:

Spring term: Monday 8/1 - Friday 28/3,

Half term holiday 12/2 - 16/2 Easter Holiday: 2/4 - 12/4

Summer term: Monday 15/4 - 19/7 Half term holiday Monday 27/5 - 31/7

Important dates:

Party in the Park Fundraiser: Saturday 8th June

Parents evening: Monday 1st July

Sport Day Tuesday 9th July, 10.30 in the Zed Shed Graduation for our school leavers only: Thursday 11th July from 4pm in the little park (Memorial Garden)

Jumblies will be closed on:

- -29/3 and 1/4 Good Friday and Easter Monday
- -6/5 and 27/5 Spring bank holidays
- -19/8 23/8 Closure week
- 26/8 Summer Bank holiday

Autumn Term 2024-2025 starts on Tuesday 3rd September 2024

<u>Sugar Swap Ideas for lunchboxes</u> Have a look, lots of good ideas for healthy options.

No sweets in lunch boxes please, we are trying to encourage healthy eating.

https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/food-facts/healthier-food-swaps/



Drop off and pick up times

Please keep in mind that we staff according to start/finishing times of children and can't always open the door early or have children stay later.