



Dear Parents and Carers

It has been fantastic to see you all coming into Nursery this week for your consultations with the Staff. A few people may have overlooked signing up, if you did please speak to your child's Key Person about when they will be able to speak with you.

The children have been very busy this term learning about their new rooms and routines and playing with all the new toys that have been delivered. It has been great to see them all continue to blossom and grow into confident, independent learners. The children enjoyed exploring the snow in the garden but hopefully we have seen the last of it for this year.

Thank you all for your contributions to Survey Monkey. A letter will be sent separately to inform you of the amendments to provision and practice that will be put in place. I would just like to remind you that if you have any comments or questions please don't hesitate to get in touch with myself by email or in person. Also if you would ever like to speak to your child's keyworker, appointments can be made through the office at a time convenient for yourself and the keyworker. Alternatively, you are all welcome to join Sophie and Neelam at the Parent Council. This is an opportunity to share your thoughts and feelings about policies, practice and enrichment activities.

This is the last newsletter before the school Easter holidays and we are all looking forward to a very full Summer Term. Day Care will be open during the Easter holiday except for Good Friday and Easter Monday. Remember all rooms are closed for staff training on Monday 16th April.



The Staff and I wish you all a Happy Easter!

Best Wishes
Gemma Williamson

Headteacher

Week Beginning 26th March 2018

Can you keep a secret? Help us keep learning real.

This week we are going to have a 'crime scene' week. Please don't be alarmed if you see police tape in the garden or in the classroom next week!

We'd love it if you could add to the excitement of our special week by listening to your child talk about it and 'going along' with our theme!

The children will come in each day to a different area that has been ruined. We will spend the week talking about what would happen if we didn't tidy it up, if we don't look after our things and if things are broken. Also explained will be how the police collect evidence and what they look for at scenes where they are required to support.



THE GOLDEN RULES



This work will sit alongside the golden rules that have been introduced across the setting. These rules have been designed by the children and staff in Rainbow Room. Each room has their own display of these rules.

Use gentle and kind hands

Listen to each other

Share toys with our friends

Look after all the toys

Polite Notice:

- Please may we request that parents do not enter the toilets. This is to respect the privacy of the children. Children will be supervised by a member of staff and will return to the rooms ready for collection.
- All payments are requested to be made at the beginning of the month for childcare being received that month. We send invoices at the end of the previous month so you have sufficient time to arrange for a prompt payment.

Be a Germ Buster Wash your hands!

There have been so many nasty coughs, colds and tummy bugs around lately. Its very difficult to prevent germs from spreading when children are in close contact with one another in school. Their immune systems are less mature than those of adults, so they're more susceptible to germs and they tend to have gemy habits such as putting fingers and objects into their mouths! Hand-washing, especially before eating and after using the toilet is by far the best way to keep children from getting sick and prevent the spread of germs. Please take some time to show your children how to wash their hands thoroughly and scrub those germs away. It's a message worth repeating!



Term Dates:

The term dates for 2018—2019 have been emailed out to parents. These are also available on our website for your information.

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We would love to see what fun you have during the weekend and holidays and talk with your child about this. It can be achieved by replying with photos and a small dialogue to the email that is sent with your child's learning journey.

Important Dates:

Friday 30th March 2018 - Good Friday
Day-care and Sunshine Room closed

Monday 2nd April 2018 - Easter Monday
Day-care and Sunshine Room closed

Tuesday 3rd April - Friday 13th April
Sunshine room closed
Day Care open

Monday 16th April - NSET Day

Admissions for September 2018

If you have applied for a place in Sunshine Room from September 2018 please can I remind you to return your paperwork. If we do not have a response by Thursday 29th March the place may be withdrawn.

If you have not applied and would like to or know of someone looking for a place please do get in touch with the office.



Save the Date
Muriel Green Open Day
Saturday 28th April 2018
10.30-12.30



Please share this date with anyone you know who may be interested in joining Muriel Green.