**30 free hours childcare**

Please remember that if both parents are working, or if a single parent is taking home the equivalent of 16 hours @ minimum wage, you can claim 30 free hours childcare. Please log onto GOV.UK to make your claim, once you have your 30-hour code, please bring this to the office. The deadline for receiving funding next term is 31/08/2024. If you register after this date, you will not receive 30-hour funding for the September term.

Please remember you must resubmit every 3 months for your eligibility to 30 hours to continue, late submissions will result in fees being charged, these fees will be for the whole term until the next allocation.

**Children receiving Disability Living Allowance**

If your child is in receipt of DLA would you please inform the office, preschool may be able to get extra funding to support your child’s learning and interests.

We would just need to photocopy the front award page for evidence.

**New Fee prices**

Sessions increased from **£8.00 to £8.50** per session

**We have kept breakfast clubs, early drop offs, and lunchtimes the same, there is no increase on these extras.**

**Parking at the rear of preschool**

Please DO NOT park in the rear car park, there have been a couple of near misses with children as they walk behind reversing vehicles.

Also if you park on Benyon grove and walk through the cut, please be aware that residents do live there and be respectful to their property.

We do have a large free car park at the front of the building which we would encourage you all to use.

**Lunch Box contents**

May we please remind all parents that children do not need a lot of chocolate and sweet food in their packed lunch boxes, we would appreciate you limiting the sweet food to just one item per day.

**Keep us updated with contact details**

Please ensure you keep us updated with changing details for your child, such as address, contact number, names of people to collect them etc.

**Congratulations**

Congratulations to Ellie who worked in the Oak class, on the safe arrival of her baby boy. He arrived on Wednesday 01st May 10.13am.

**Welcome to the Team**

Welcome to Kate and Megan who have joined our team as Housekeeper / lunch supervisor, we hope they enjoy being part of our team.



**Holiday Club**

We will be running a holiday club during this half term; the cost is £21.50 per day 7.45am – 3.00pm (We will be closed bank holiday Monday 27th May)

**Open Morning**

Saturday 01st June 10.00am – 12.30pm, this open morning is for children and families wishing to join the setting from September 2024. If you know anybody that have youngsters and are looking for a preschool, please let them know about this event.

**Return to preschool**

on Monday 03rd June

**Leavers Trip**

Tuesday16th July **(PLEASE NOTE THIS TRIP IS FOR SCHOOL LEAVERS AND THE SETTING WILL BE CLOSED THIS DAY) (NO SESSIONS FOR ANY CHILDREN ON THIS DAY)**

**15 Free hour childcare for 2yr olds**

Please remember that if both parents are working, or if a single parent is taking home the equivalent of 16 hours @ minimum wage, you can claim 15 free hours childcare. Please log onto GOV.UK to make your claim, once you have your 15-hour code, please bring this to the office. The deadline for receiving funding next term is 31/08/2024. If you register after this date, you will not receive 15-hour funding for the September term.

Please remember you must resubmit every 3 months for your eligibility to 15 hours to continue, late submissions will result in fees being charged, these fees will be for the whole term until the next allocation.

Nativity Tickets are now on **sale** priced at ed l

**Xmas Raffle Tickets**