

Nursery Summer Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

This is the last newsletter for this academic year. Please, remember we are still under Covid19 protection measures. Therefore, we request that you observe social distancing when queuing at the pupil entrance at the start of the day and near your child's class exit door at the end of the school day. Please, also make sure you wear a mask where the 2 metres distance rule cannot be observed.

If you have an urgent message for the teacher when you drop your child, you can pass this to the senior leader at the gate. Alternatively, you can message the teacher using the ClassDojo app. The teachers are happy to meet with you, but you will have to make a special appointment, either using ClassDojo or by phoning the school

We are now in the summer term and the weather is getting warmer and sunnier. It is important that you protect your child against sunburn by applying sunscreen on sunny days. Remember, your child will spend about 50% of their time in the nursery in the outdoor learning environment. It is also important that your child has a water bottle in school to stay hydrated.

I have been made aware that Reception place offers have gone out to parents. Please, make sure that you accept the school place by April 30th. If you need help accepting the place, speak to Mrs Gracio or Mrs Shanker.

Thank you for your continued support.



Mrs Gracio
Nursery Teacher



Mrs Shanker,
Early Years
Leader,
PPA Teacher,
Thursday pm



Ms Fortan
Teaching Assistant,
Full time.



Ms Harghandiwal
Teaching Assistant
(Thursday and Friday)



Ms Mallek
Teaching Assistant
(Monday, Tuesday
AM and
Wednesday)

Nursery Hours

**Morning
Nursery**
8:45—11:30

**Afternoon
Nursery**
12:30-15:15

**Full Time
Nursery**
8:45 –15:15

Are you 'green fingered'? Do you love gardening? We are looking for parents to help us to develop and care for our garden plot. If you would like to volunteer, please see a member of the Nursery team.



Our first theme for this term is People who help us.	Our second theme for this term is Animals.
You can help by talking to your child about the people in our community who help us, this includes: emergency services, farmers, hairdressers, doctors, postal workers, shopkeepers and any other people who help. Talk to your child about the different jobs people do.	You can help your child by talking to them about animals including pets, wild animals and farm animals. Talk about where animals live, which countries animals come from. Read stories and rhymes about animals or even visit a farm or zoo as a family.

Our Nursery class learning targets are to:

Personal Social And Emotional Development	Communication And Language	Physical Development	Literacy	Mathematics	Understand The World	Expressive Art And Design
Share, take turns and talk to our friends	Take more responsibility by carrying out small tasks.	Move freely in a range of ways including slithering, crawling, rolling, skipping, sliding, jumping	Listen more carefully to stories and explain to others what has happened.	Be able to recognise and describe 2D shapes	Show interest in different jobs and ways of life.	Join in with music, songs and rhymes.
Follow the rules of our class and of the school	Join in with repeated words in stories and know when they will occur.	Hold our pencil between our thumb and two fingers no longer using a whole hand grasp.	Anticipate key events in stories and predict endings.	Be able to recognise digits up to 10 and to be able to find a number of objects.	Talk about the things they have observed in nature such as plants, animals and found objects	Move rhythmically and tap out simple rhythms using their bodies or instruments.

Attendance Reminder

All children should attend Nursery every day unless they are too unwell. All absence must be reported to the school office. If your child needs to take a Covid test and the result is positive, please email the school ASAP.

admin@chalkhill.brent.sch.uk

All children need a set of spare clothes (including underpants, plimsolls and socks or tights) in school. All items of clothing **must be labelled with your child's name.**

Diary Dates:

26th April: Reports go out
26th and 27th April: Parent phone consultations.
3rd May: May Day Bank Holiday. Students do not attend school
28th May: Staff inset day. Students do not attend school
31st – 4th June: Half term break
10th June: Parents Forum
23rd July: Term ends, Summer Holiday begins

Please, remember the 50p fund every Monday for cooking, arts and crafts and parties!