



## Newsletter January 2022

### Welcome – New Staff

**Charlotte Baker** has joined the Woodville Community Pre-School team as the new Pre-School Lunchtime Assistant and cover for staff, we would also like to welcome **Sarah Simpkins** as a new Pre-School assistant we all wish them well in their new adventure with the pre-school

### REMINDERS

**Covid-19** Please remember we are a small pre-school – if any member of staff or child attending the setting should test positive for Covid-19, this could have a serious effect on the Pre-School staying open, due to isolation guidelines, therefore: **Parents, please ensure you wear a face mask / covering when dropping off / collecting children and only 1 parent / carer per child for dropping off and collection.**

### Outdoor Clothing



Please ensure children have suitable coats, footwear- (**Wellies**), hats, scarves and gloves all with their names in, for playing outside during the upcoming winter months

### Nappies and Wipes and Change of Clothes

Please could you ensure that children's bags contain plenty of nappies & wipes as these are not supplied by pre-school.

**Changes of clothes** (including socks and shoes) particularly during toilet training. If possible, put in a plastic bag inside their school bag as during bad weather clothes and nappies have been too wet to change children into.

### Lunch Club Children

Do not send lunches in that include any form of food items that includes nuts due to children with allergies. Please ensure grapes are cut in half if you are giving them to your child for lunch. Also ensure that there is an **ice block** in your child's lunch box to keep yogurts / food cool.

### Forest School

Forest School will start back on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> January – you should have your letter with your child's date of attendance on, please ensure all fees are paid before the Wednesday.

### Bad Weather - Snow

As the colder weather is approaching, please can we remind you to ensure your contact information is up to date so we can inform you of school closures etc. Also check on Facebook and Tapestry for any closure notices etc, before you set off on your journey to pre-school.

### Toothbrushing Programme

The toothbrushing programme will start at pre-school in January, please ensure that the form sent out is completed and returned, so that your child can take part. Oral Health is now part of the EYFS learning, and pre-school has to demonstrate the practice of good oral hygiene to all children.



# Spring Term 1 Learning

## TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### Spring Term 1

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

Pre-School Re-Opens for Spring Term 1

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

Forest School Commences

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2022**

Chinese New Year Celebrations

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Safer Internet Day

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Kimble's Music & Movement Visit Pre-school

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Last Day of Half Term

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022**

Pre-School Re-opens

**Tuesday 01.03.2022**

World Book Week

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2022**

Red Nose Day

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

Last Day of Term

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022**

Pre-School Re-Opens

## SPRING TERM 1

The children will be learning all about the following topics:

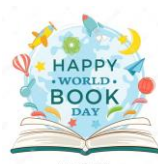
Where does Snow Go?

Chinese New Year Celebrations  
Year of the TIGER

Valentine's Day Activities

Children will be making different things relating to the above topics using a variety of materials.

What would you like to learn about? Let Pre-School know if there is anything your child or your would like to learn



World Book Week  
W/c 01.03.2022



Red Nose Day  
Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March  
2022