



Newsletter October 2016

Attached are:

- Our Nativity songs for you to practice at home
- Shared Learning: Top Tips to support children's language and communication skills. Communication and Language is one of the Prime areas of the EYFS
- My News slip, as we love to hear about your child's adventures :)

Themes and Planning

We start of this half term with 'Light and Dark' (Halloween, Bonfire Night etc), followed by two weeks of learning about 'People who help us' and one week of 'Feelings and Senses' before we go into our Christmas activities.

We are holding a cake sale for 'Children in Need' Thursday 17th and Friday 18th November and look forward to your contributions.

If you have any questions please see your child's key person, Maddi or Sabine.

Have a look at our new and exciting website
<http://www.jumbliesdaynursery.co.uk>

Sick Children

Need picking up prompt. Children get 1:1 attention when poorly to reassure and comfort them and this takes a member of staff away from the team.

Please remember that your child will not be able to return to nursery until they have been clear of sickness/diarrhoea for 48 hours.

Children with a cold are welcome, children with a raised temperature should be looked after at home.

Dates for your diary

- Nativity: Thursday, 8th December at 1.15, in the Zed Shed
- Christmas Holidays (Jumblies closed): Monday 19th December - Monday 2nd January (Monday is a bank holiday/Jumblies closed).
- Inset Days for funded children: Tuesday 3rd - Friday 6th January (funded children are welcome, but will need to book in and pay)
- Parents evenings: Bigs Room: Thursday 26th January
Baby Room: Tuesday 21st February
- Spring half term for funded children: Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February
- Bank Holidays (Jumblies closed):
Good Friday, 14th April and Easter Monday 17th April
Early May Bank Holiday Monday 1st May
Spring Bank Holiday Monday 29th May
- Summer half term for funded children: Tuesday 30th May - Friday 2nd June
Sports Day for the bigs room: Thursday 29th June, 1.15 in the Zed Shed
Parents evening for the Bigs Room: Thursday 13th July
Baby Room: Tuesday 25th July
Summer Holidays for funded children: from Thursday 20th July
Jumblies will be closed for cleaning and maintenance: Monday 21st August - Monday 28th August

Starting School?

Was your child born between 1.9.2012 and 31.8.2013?

If so, you need to apply for a school place for September 2017 by 15th January 2017.

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

For help contact the Family Information Service on 08005878191

★ You can help us by:

★ Arriving on time, it is easier for children to start during free play time and staff are free to talk to you. Our carpet times at the end of the sessions form an important part of children's learning, so unless you have to be somewhere, we would really appreciate your patience.

★ Name your child's belongings please, incl clothing and lunch boxes. Marker pen will do :)

★ Fruit for lunchtime needs to be cut up/peeled please. Don't forget your fruit donations for out snack time and keep up the healthy lunches :)

