



Newsletter - September 2014

Dear Parents



Hello & welcome to all children and their families, we hope everyone enjoys their time at Early Learners.

The children are all settling in very well and are beginning to make good relationships with staff.

Our initial theme this half term is "An exciting place to be" giving children lots of opportunities to learn routines as well as discovering lots of new learning experiences.

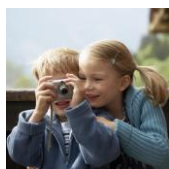


Something for the Weekend- & Nursery Rhymes

Remember to check in the entrance porch for ideas/activities sheets for you to try at home.



Stories from Home- Sheets are available from the notice board. Complete a sheet letting us know what your child has been doing at home and hand it back to your child's keyworker for your child's learning journey.



Photos- Remember to keep looking at displays around the building to see photographs of your children playing & learning at Early Learners.



Standing Orders- Thank you to all who have so promptly set up their standing orders.



Mobile Phones- Please can we remind you for safeguarding reasons not to use mobile phones (texting, talking or taking photographs) whilst you are on the nursery premises.



Names- Please can we ask you to write/label your child's bags, coats, jumpers, wellies, shoes, hats, scarves and gloves with their names. If names are inside it makes it easier to return things to the correct children.



Bags- Please remember to label or write your child's name on their bag & place it in one of the tubs in the porch.



Recyclable Materials- "Junk"- Please can we have empty boxes, tubs, pots & tubes for the children to make models with. Please No Milk bottles/Cartons



Wanted- Please can we have old mobiles, cameras, spectacles, purses, bags, maps, binoculars, pans, wooden spoons, kitchen utensils & lunchboxes/bags for the children to play with.



Lightbites- These longer sessions will begin next week. As these sessions are very popular anyone wanting to book in must see Vicki



Diary- Future Dates/ Events- Further details to follow.

Week beginning Monday 29th September- Lightbites start.

Week beginning 20th October- Bulb Planting

Friday 24th October- Early Learners closes for half term.

Monday 3rd November- Early Learners return.

Week beginning Monday 10th November- Sponsored obstacle courses run throughout this week.

Wednesday 26th & Thursday 27th November - Parent Reviews (4-5 pm)
- Appointment lists will be available soon.



Parent Governor- If any parent is interested in becoming a governor please see Mrs Scott for more information



Stolen Items- Unfortunately on the 4th September at approximately 11pm 2 white males entered the gardens and stole a yellow bike, police coupe car, a red slide, green seesaw, a washing machine, a large wicker basket & pink baby changing unit. Obviously CCTV has recorded this and police have been informed. If anyone has further information or is able to assist please contact either Mrs Scott or PC Pringle by ringing 101.



Website- Please keep checking the nursery school's website for information, dates of events & photographs of Early Learners
www.seahamharbour.durham.sch.uk

Thank you

The Early Learners Staff

