

Pre-school Newsletter - Spring Term 1 2024

Dear families,

The purpose of this newsletter is to provide you with information and reminders which we hope you and your child will find useful.

In our year group this term we will have the following adults;

Pre-school Lead – Aafrin Parveen SENCo – Katie

Poppy – Sam and Aafrin
Daisy – Katie, Suganiya and Jess
Violet- Steph, Macie and Cover

We are excited to announce we will be having Georgina in Poppy room and Chandi split between Violet and Daisy room later this term.

We are delighted to welcome our new starters and their families at William Harding Preschool. We are excited to welcome back out current children after the Christmas break!

What is Pre-school all about?

At William Harding, we pride ourselves on offering a wide range of adult-led and child-initiated opportunities for children, by ensuring we reflect all the areas of learning both inside and outside in our environment.

This develops and changes over the year, depending on the cohort, as well as the time of year. We do regular reviews of the environment to ensure they are always highly effective and responsive to the needs of the pupils.

Theme

The topic for this term is at Preschool is Kings and Queens. We are looking forward to completing our role play castle with the children. We will be exploring all about Kings and queens through activities, group times and stories.

Things to remember

The children will need to;

- Lunch box We promote healthy lunches
- Have a named water bottle.
- Have spare bag of clothes nappies and wipes will need to be provided if your child uses them.
- Coat that is named. Please ensure the children have a coat all year round (even if it looks like its going to be a sunny day!)
- All clothing to be named
- A winter hat and scarf for cold days
- Wellie boots



What's next?

We will be including magic maths in our morning group times to enhance maths throughout our setting. We will continue to share observations through tapestry. We are building the children's independence and self-care.

Please ensure that you keep good communication with your child's room leader and if there are any worries and concerns please let us know. We are here to help!

We look forward to an exciting term ahead.

Yours sincerely, Aafrin Parveen Pre-school Lead