

Preschool And York Road Nursery



Newsletter



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<u>All the best</u>

Diane Frainer says 'hello' - she is still recovering from her illness but wishes to be remembered to you all. We all wish her well.

Parent Consultations

Consultations will begin Thursday 10th March. You will receive details shortly. This will be a zoom or telephone meeting about your child's learning.

Living Eggs

We will be having our Living Eggs delivered on Monday 7th March. We hope by the end of the week there will be some chicks. Details to follow..



Diary Dates

World book day 4th March





Welcome back after the half term break!! We do hope you had a time well spent with your children.

The children are settling in back nicely after the break .

Just a kind reminder to access Tapestry so you can see the progress your child has been making at Preschool and to give your input / comments on what you may have noticed at home. This is a team effort and will be much appreciated.

Preschool Team

Coming to school

As we are now in the Spring Term at York Road we are continuing to develop children's gross and fine motor skills. Their gross motor skills developed by walking, climbing, running, scooting etc they build muscles and core strength which contribute to the development of fine motor skills and neurological bilateral pathways developing. This development is needed for reading, writing and building up general stamina. It also encourages a good attitude to exercise and good mental health. With all this in mind please leave your pushchairs at home and encourage your child to scoot, walk, run, skip or ride a bike to school instead especially since the weather is getting nicer.

Feeling Good Week

Our visiting 'Doctor Liza was very popular with the children and those that were a little worried about meeting her very quickly found their confidence so hopefully if they must visit a doctor soon Dr Liza has reassured them 'Doctors are fun'.

Thank you to all of you parents for the support you gave us throughout the week - talking with your children about their bodies. We were

very pleased that so many of you were able to join us for the fun exercise session we held on Friday before half term.

Please continue to talk to your child about how all bodies are different and remind them continually that their body is amazing.



World Book Day - Friday 4th March - Send your child to school in Silver or Grey.

Forest School

The Robins and Ladybirds have been enjoying their time spent at Forest School over the last 3 weeks. I hope your child has been telling you all about it. As next week will be their last session, we will be cooking over an open fire. Following a vote between popcorn or marshmallows, the children have chosen marsh-

mallows, so I just wanted to check that this is ok for everyone? If any child requires halal marshmallows or vegetarian ones, can you please let your teacher know asap.

Many thanks

Debbie McAllister (Forest School Leader)



Please can we make sure that children are sent in to school with appropriate clothing for forest school. Whilst the weather is colder and being in the woods, a thicker jacket or an extra layer is needed and please remember welly boots (we do have spares but the right size welly and the child's own are potentially much more comfortable).