



This week in King's Park Early Years : 2nd March – 6th March 2020

Upcoming dates .

- Thursday 5th March - World Book Day
- Friday 6th March –Nursery Open Day - Stay and Play
- Parent consultations – Weeks of 9th and 16th March (August 2019 starts only)
- Easter Holidays – term ends Friday 3rd April,
- Nursery reopens to all 20th April
- Parent consultations Week 27th April and 4th May (Pre-school children only)
- Nursery Closed –May Day Holiday Friday 8th May
- Nursery closed 18th May – Victoria Day
- Sports Day TBC
- End of Term 26th June 2020

World Book day 5th March

Children are invited to dress up in their favourite book characters to celebrate our love of books.

During the rest of the week the staff will be sharing our love of books and sharing our favourite childhood stories with the children.

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Key workers will be meeting with parents of children who started nursery in August 2019. There will be timetables going up on the parent notice board within nursery. Please put your name against a time slot that is suitable for you. If you are unable to attend due to work please talk with your child's key worker and we will happily arrange another more appropriate time for you.

Thursday 5th March School Book Fair – Nursery Parents are invited to go to the school book fair to purchase books from 11:25 – 11:50 am and 2:45 – 3:10 pm.

Friday 6th March – Nursery Open Day – You are very warmly invited into spend time with your child in nursery during this stay and play. During this session we would like to really promote our borrowing library and would invite you to take your child to the library to choose a book to share at home.

Clothing

Although the weather is improving there may still be very cold winds in springtime. As part of the nursery day we offer the children a full range of experiences, inside and out, the children are be able to access the garden in all weathers.

Please can you ensure your child has a full change of clothing with them every day, a waterproof jacket and wellies.

We do have a small stock of waterproof trousers and a couple of pairs of wellies, but if you could provide your child with their own, that would be great. If you have any spare wellies you would like to donate to us they would be very gratefully received.

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Snack fees

The suggested amount for your Childs snack the new term fees are now due. This helps us to be able to give the children a good choice of healthy snack and purchase some resources needed. Thank you.

May Day Holiday

NB- May day holiday will not be first Monday this year. Change of day to coincide with VE day celebrations

Parent helpers

Parents are very welcome to come in and help in the nursery. This could be on a regular basis, part of a session or a one off. There is a calendar located on the information board, so if you would like to help please add you name to this. If you have any special skills you would like to share or just come in and join the group we would love to have you.

Forest Schools

Please watch the notice board for group register of names going up. Forest schools will take place on a Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Groups will alternate from morning to afternoon each week to enable as many children as possible to take part. Make sure your child has wellington boots, hat and warm clothes during their visit. Parents are very welcome to join us at any time. Forest Schools will be the afternoon groups this week.

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Recycling for craft area – We would be very grateful if anyone has any recycling that they would like to bring in to the nursery for the children to use for craft. These could be empty boxes, tubs, plastic bottles etc. We advise not to bring in any recycling that contained nuts due to allergies and also no toilet roll tubes for hygiene reasons.

Digital Cameras

We would be really grateful to take any old no longer used digital cameras. We use these for evidencing children's learning and we are a little short so if you have one sitting in a draw we would happily make good use of it.

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