



Welcome

Welcome to all our new families joining us this month. We look forward to building strong partnerships with you whilst caring for your child(ren). We will share their day via the Family App. If you need any support logging on, please have a chat with either Chloe or Shaney.

Dear Parents/Carers

Hopefully the cold weather will subside, and the sun will be gaining some warmth! The days are getting longer, and we can all look to the clocks going forward at the end of the month! All the plants are beginning to awake from their winter slumber.

The children will be looking at the seasons this month. They will be learning about how the animals come out of hibernation and our farms become busy with new life. Our older children will be going on bug hunts in our local parks to see how many different types of bugs they can find. They will be able to take pictures and bring them back to share with their peers, opening up discussions about what they have found.

New buggies:

Our baby room is once again becoming busy, so to make sure that all the children can get out and about, we have invested in two, new quad buggies. Some of our parents/carers who have been with us over the years will remember that we did have these before. Unfortunately, we had to put them into retirement due to the many miles they travelled around the city. So, it is great to know that we have some nice new ones for the children to enjoy.



Paediatric first aid training for our Parents/Carers

Please remember that I am aiming to add another parent's Paediatric first aid course to our calendar. Thanks to all our parents who attended our first course, we hope you found it informative and useful.

If any other parent/carer would like to take part in this course, please message the team via the family App. The training provider will take up to 12 learners and the more learners that we have, the cheaper the cost to you. I have added Tom's website so you can view for yourself what is in the course:

<http://www.train-aid.co.uk>

We do hope that you will join in with this worthwhile initiative.

Suncream/ Sunhats

Please make sure that your child has suncream and sunhat (Labelled) that can be left at nursery. Although we do have spares here at nursery, the children having their own provides the opportunity of them learning to identify personal belongings.

Healthy Early Years London

Healthy Early Years London (HEYL) is an **awards scheme** funded by the Mayor of London which supports and recognises achievements in child health, wellbeing and development in early years settings. We have already achieved our bronze status and are now working towards our silver status. There is significant work attached to this award, but we are hopeful that we will have completed this and be awarded silver status by the summer. We will keep you posted!



Keelin, our hairdresser will be in on the 15th of March. Remember to book your little's haircut. This can be done via the TotsCrops website. If your child does not attend that day, you can still book and pop into the nursery with them.