

Smithfield House Children's Nursery

# August 2023

### 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 with you via the Famly App. If you need any support logging on, please have a chat with either Chloe or Shaney.

If you have any queries regarding your invoice, please contact Gail directly on: <u>manager@smithfieldnursery.co.uk</u> This will ensure you receive a faster response regarding any financial matters.

**Dear Parents/Carers** 

# Hi Ho, Hi Ho, it's off to school you go!

This month we are saying goodbye to our pre-schoolers who will be leaving us at the end of this month. We have had the pleasure of watching you grow from tiny babies into confident little individuals, ready for the next stage in your education. We are very proud to have been part of your learning journey and know that you will all love school and make loads of new friends.

## Pre-school jabs:

If your child is due their pre-school booster, please make sure that you let us know so we can update the information we hold on your child here at nursery. If you have the NHS App for your child, please download their immunisation information and pass this to Chloe or Shaney in the office. We are happy to print this off for you. The same is said for our younger children. When they have any jabs, please let us know. This information is important for us to hold on file. You can update the information yourself on the Famly App, just let us know any time you do this.

### **Measles Alert:**

We have been advised by The City of London that measles cases are on the rise within City and Hackney. If your child is behind with their immunisation or you are not quite sure if they have been vaccinated against measles, please contact your GP who can

### Suncream/ Sunhats:

Although we have not had much of a summer this year, please make sure that your child has suncream at the nursery. Even cloudy during weather, the sun's rays will still filter through therefore we want to make sure that every child is protected when they are outdoors.

# Spare clothes:

Please can we ask that you have a look through your child's box to make sure that they have enough spare clothes and that they haven't grown out of the clothes that are there. We are happy to hold on to any that your child has outgrown and use these as spares for the nursery.

## **Toilet training:**

If your child is toilet training, please make sure that we have plenty of spare clothes for any little accident. Jogging bottoms are the order of the day, no zips, buckles, jeans or dungarees please. Crocs are fab whilst toilet training. Wipe clean, job done!

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arrange for your child to have the appropriate jab to protect them against this illness.

## Stay and Play Days:

Our play and stay days will be reduced to one per month over the summer period. We have lots of families going on holiday or travelling back home to see family during this time. However, these will be reinstated in the new term to one per week, each Friday, if there is enough demand for them. Please let us know what kind of activities you would like to find out about and we will make sure that we can put these in place for you. These could be parachute games, making play-dough/salt-dough, how to make story bags for your child's favourite stories etc. Partnerships with our parents are so important to us and invaluable for your child's learning experiences and outcomes.



### Our friendly hairdresser:

Remember to book your slot on the TotsCrops website. The team will always remind you via the Famly App when Keelin is due to attend and will supply the link for you to book a slot for your child's haircut.

### **Contribute to our Newsletters:**

If there is anything you would like to contribute to our newsletters: up and coming events in the City etc that you would like to share with all our families, please let us know and we will get the information out there for everyone.

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