

Turncroft Nursery

Spring 1 Newsletter



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a lovely half term we have had. We have had our new starters which have settled in very nicely and visits from the police and a nurse visiting us as part of our 'People Who Help Us' theme. We are also looking forward to seeing lots of you at our 'Day of love' get together tomorrow.

I would like to thank you all for your support this half term and I wish you a lovely half term.

Thank you for your continued support.

Have a lovely break,

Mrs. Gayle Berry

Tapestry

It is lovely to see how many of you are continuing to log into Tapestry. We share lots about what we are learning, achievements that your child makes and also information such as newsletters and diary dates. Please remember that you can add photographs to Tapestry and we can share these in Key

Worker time.



Healthy Lunchboxes

We have been reviewing the lunchboxes that the children bring to nursery. We must emphasise that children need a variety of food groups and should not be bringing chocolate into nursery. We also have snack daily in nursery, twice a day for 30 hour children. Please ensure they have a drink in their lunch box



Over the half term please practice putting on and taking off coats and shoes with your child. This will really help them with independence at nursery.

Blackburn with Darwen Family Hub has a range of activities on offer over the half term so please take a look at their website

familyhubsbwd.org

Childcare Fees

Please can you ensure that all childcare fees are up to date. If you need any help with this speak to Mrs. Fort



School Fund

Please remember to send in your school fund £2.50 per week . This is collected every week and helps to support snack given during the day and other activities within the nursery throughout the year such as, baking and art activities.

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| Monday 24th February | Nursery opens |
| Week beginning 24th February | Parents meetings– see Tapestry for information from your child’s keyworker |
| Thursday 6th March | World Book Day– children can dress as a favourite character from a story |
| Friday 28th November | Mother’s Day Event in nursery– more details to follow |
| Friday 4th April | Easter egg competition closes– more details to follow |
| Friday 4th April | Nursery closes for Easter |
| Tuesday 22nd April | Nursery re opens |

Toilet Training

We know some parents have been asking about toilet training. If your child is currently working on this then half term is an ideal time to really focus. I have included a link to a website that offers help and advice for parents. Good luck!

<https://eric.org.uk/potty-training/>




Clothing

We use our outdoors in ALL weathers so please ensure that your child has suitable clothing. A warm coat, hat, gloves, scarf and that these are very clearly labelled. Shoes with Velcro also make the children more independent when putting on their wellies.

PLEASE LABEL EVERYTHING THAT YOUR CHILD WEARS TO NURSERY, INCLUDING SHOES AS LOTS OF CHILDREN HAVE THE SAME SHOES!

We are teaching the children to put their hats and gloves in the sleeves of their coats so please encourage this at home.

