



Bensham Grove Newsletter

November 2018



We are approaching a very exciting time in the year and are looking forward to having lots of lovely experiences with the children.

Bensham Grove News ...

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Spring Daycare provision for the fantastic result of their recent Ofsted inspection.

Photographs...

School Photographs, Tuesday 6th November: Individual Photographs for Spring Day Care children and 3-5 Nursery School children

Children can be taken individually or with siblings, family, etc. Please inform Reception if you would like a family group photograph. If you do not access Nursery on that day, you are welcome to let your Key Person know if you would like to come in to have your child's photograph taken. The photographs will be ready for Christmas, details of purchasing and prices will be included when the proofs are returned to Nursery.

Events in the 3-5 Nursery School

Nursery Schools Matter Campaign Event

Please join us to launch our campaign 'Nursery Schools Matter' on Wednesday 7th November between 4.15 and 5.15pm. We will be serving soup, hot chocolate and there will be a lantern parade in our outdoor area. Please come wrapped up warm as this will be an outdoor event and let your child's key person know if you are coming so we know how much soup to make!



Children In Need-Friday 16th November

Come dressed in spots and stripes for a donation and our family room will be open for coffee and a cake so please feel free to join us. There will be a variety of fundraising activities in the family room. So please help us to raise money for this worthwhile cause by popping in and having a coffee, chat and fun! Thank you.

Primary School Admission Process Reminder

It is very important to submit your application - late applications can reduce your chances of gaining a place at one of your chosen schools. If any parent does not have access to the internet, please see Janine or Helen in the office and we can support you through the application at school. The deadline is 15th January 2019.

Sponsoring a Child's Education

We are holding a raffle to raise funds for Amina's education. The raffle will be drawn at our Nursery Schools Matter event- any donations of prizes for the raffle would be greatly appreciated.

We thank you for your continued support.

Autumn Term Parental Consultations

Please see your child's key person to arrange a meeting time for you to discuss your son/daughter's learning, development and next steps.

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Reminders

Christmas Dates Reminder

We know parents and carers may need to book time off work to see our Christmas concerts so the dates are as follows:

- Yellow and Green groups - the morning of Tuesday 18th December
- Red and Blue groups - the morning of Wednesday 19th December
- Yellow, Green and Blue groups - the afternoon of Wednesday 19th December

If your child attends block sessions please see your child's key person to arrange which session you would like to attend.

Christmas Party Date Reminder

The party is on Thursday 20th December - If your son/daughter does not normally attend on this day please see your child's key person.

Please look out for notices in Nursery for up to date information.

Thank you for your continued support and if you have any further questions please do not hesitate to ask:

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