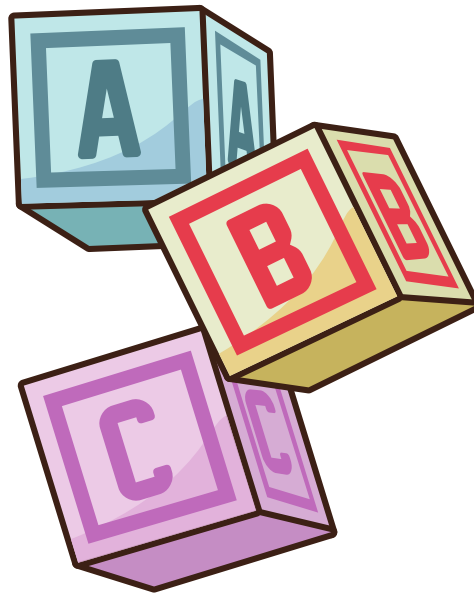




Winter Term Newsletter 2020



**Childcare from 9am - 3pm
5 days a week in term time**

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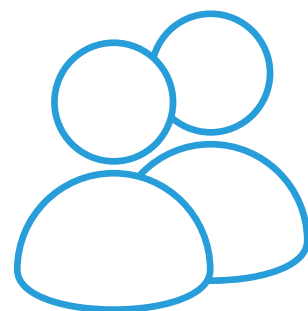
Mother's Day



We will be celebrating mother's day in the nursery on the 20th March. We would like to invite all Mum's to a Mothers' day breakfast in the nursery from 10:00-11:00. Please put this in your diary as we would love the children to have the opportunity to share this with their Mum.

Meeting with Key person

We will be having one to one meetings with all parents this term about your child's progress. Please arrange a date and time with your key person so you can look at your child's individual play plan.



Children's views in nursery

We also want your child's opinion about nursery and what they like doing and what would make it even better. We are going to ask them to fill in an evaluation form at home with you. You can ask them the questions and get them to draw a picture. Please can you make sure that you return this because we are always looking at ways to improve the nursery and we want it to be as enjoyable as possible for your child.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Reminder about lateness

Just a quick reminder that please can you make sure that you pick up your child on time. If you are going to be late please telephone the nursery to let them know on 07437057411 or Nicola on 07741248301 or Venture Centre on 020 8960 3234. If you are more than ten minutes late then there will be a charge of £5.00.



Sickness in the nursery

It is essential that you ring the nursery if your child is absent from nursery for a day. If your child is now absent for three days and we are unable to get in contact with you we now have a safeguarding duty to refer you to social services, so they can check everything is ok. This is due to an incident occurring in another London Borough. If you require more information about this please feel free to speak to a member of staff.



Reading at home with your child

This term we are focusing more on reading to get the children to improve their concentration, vocabulary and to get the children to develop an interest in looking at books.



Tips to help children enjoy reading

- Read about something your child is interested in. Ask your child questions about the book and get them to use the pictures to tell the story to you or predict what is going to happen.
- Read books and poems with rhymes and repetitions and repeated phrases to get your child to join in.
- Join your child to your local library and encourage them to choose a book independently.

