



Welcome to our Kids Planet Billinge Newsletter

We hope that all our new children and families are settling nicely into our nursery. We are going to be enjoying learning all about Autumn across the rooms as well as embarking on plenty of walks within the community.

EVENTS

- 8th is Mad Hatters Day.
- 9th is Fire Prevention Day.
- 10th is Cake Decorating Day.
- 10th is Stay and Play from 4:15-5:15pm.
- 15th is National Handwashing Day.
- 17th is National Pasta Day.
- 25th is International Artists Day.
- 26th is National Pumpkin Day.
- 30th is National Tell A Story Day
- 31st is Halloween.

For full details on our events, please see the list at nursery or on the events email.



SO WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO AT NURSERY?

BABIES

In our Babies Room, we have been enhancing their space to create a cosy environment for the new, younger babies with soft toys and lots of resources.

We've been using the sensory room as free flow play for the children, which they've been loving as well as spending time in the garden.

We have been on walks to the local park, exploring the wildlife which leads nicely into our focus of Autumn; new textures, new smells, baby massage and baby yoga.

TOTS

Our Tots have been busy exploring their new home corner and using their new resources. We do plan on extending this out in other areas of their room. We have begun looking at the Autumn changes whilst on our walks, picking up lots of leaves and exploring them in our sensory trays.

We will be focusing on working in partnership and getting the parents more involved in nursery life.

TODDLERS

Our Toddlers have welcomed lots of new friends and changes into their room over the past few weeks which has filled them with curiosity. We've been on lots of walks within the community, continuing to hide rocks and collecting Autumnal treasures for our displays.

We have expanded our creative area in order to encourage the children to become more independent when accessing the resources. They really enjoyed National Golf Day and they are very much looking forward to Halloween.

PRE-SCHOOL

In our Pre-School Room, they have been working extremely hard to begin learning their first phonics sounds as well as taking part in Sound of the Week. We have implemented a wonder home corner; using real foods and objects for the children to explore as well as introducing a new self-registration to complete with their parents / guardians.

We will be receiving a visit from the local fire station within the next few weeks as we all learn about fire safety.





REMINDERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthday Cakes: You can book in with our chef to make a birthday cake for your little one. Cakes are £5 and paid at the nursery office where you can also collect an order form.

Parent Zone: Don't forget to register for the app so you can see what your child has been doing at nursery on a daily basis.

Facebook: We're online! Search for us at Kids Planet Billinge where you'll see our updates, reminders and activities. Like and follow for regular posts.

GROUPS TO TAKE PART IN

Baby Sensory Sessions: Do you have a little one under the age of 12 months? Fancy coming along to one of our free sessions? Pass on the word and book your place.

Keep your eyes on our Events List at the beginning of our newsletter for Stay and Play sessions.

STAFF NEWS

We have gained Millie's Mark which is a quality mark for high standards in First Aid.

We have welcomed four new members of staff: Anna, Emma, Nikki and Danielle.

We focused on transitions and safeguarding at our team meeting.

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