



### Home Learning Ideas

Here are some ideas you could try with your child this month, linked to our learning theme...

Look at the numbers and letters on vehicles when out and about.

Sing some travel songs like 'The Wheels on the Bus' or 'Row, row, row your boat'.

Use a pelican crossing and practise pushing the button to wait for the green man.

Dip some toy cars into paint and make prints with the wheels.

Draw a map to show a journey that you have taken or to hunt for treasure!

Don't forget to send us a photo of your home learning via ParentZone.



### Leaving to start school

If you are leaving to start school in September,

**please remember you need to give one month's notice.**

Children who only access funded hours, this ends on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July.

Please inform us if you wish your child to attend during the holidays. This will then be charged at our standard rate.



### Parents' Evening 2018

A huge thank you to all the parents who attended parents' evening last month. We hope it was a valuable opportunity to see what your child is learning, what their next steps are and to discuss any issues or concerns. Don't forget we also offer appointments in November and March during nursery hours to meet your child's keyworker. We also hope that from September we will be able to offer other exciting opportunities to take part in your child's learning.

### Annual Questionnaires

Thank you to those parents and children who returned questionnaires. The results are being collated and will be emailed to all parents in the coming week. You will also be able to view the results on our website.

### Wanted!

We are looking for a Nursery Gardener! We are looking to employ someone for a few hours each month to help maintain our garden. This would involve basic weeding, pruning, planting and tidying. If you know of someone who might be interested or could recommend a good company, please let Mariana or Pamela know. Thank you.



### Sports Day – Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July

We will be holding our annual Sports Day in Caldecott Park on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 10am and again at 2pm. Our events take place on the grassy area next to the tennis courts. If your child usually attends one or both Wednesday sessions, please feel free to come along and watch the action. If your child does not usually attend on a Wednesday and you wish for them to be involved, feel free to bring them along and stay with them (we need to ensure that our adult to child ratios are not exceeded.) All children will take part in a warm-up, races and a cool down (a drink and a snack!) We had a super day last year and look forward to seeing lots of you there again this year.

### Health Visitor Drop-In Clinic

Do you have a concern about your child? Is there something that you require information about? **Our Community Health Visitor, Shirley Duncan** will be at nursery on **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July** from **9am – 11am** to answer any questions and provide lots of useful information. If you would like to pop in for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat, then please feel free to do so. We look forward to seeing you.



### Dates for your diary...

**Singalong / Story time:**  
Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July  
11.30am & 3.30pm

**Pre-School Graduation**  
Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July  
4.30pm – 6.00pm

**Sports Day**  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> July  
10.00am & 2.00pm

**Health Visitor Drop-In**  
Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July  
9.00am – 11.00am

**Last day of Funding**  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July

**Summer Break**  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September

**There are no funded sessions during this time.**

**Funded children return on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2018**





**Funding for 3 and 4 year olds**

If your child will be 3 or 4 on 31<sup>st</sup> August, you may be able to apply for 30 hours of funded childcare. All 3 and 4 year olds receive 15 hours which is called 'Universal Funding'. If you wish to increase this to 30 hours which is known as 'Extended Funding', you need to check that you are eligible. Please log onto [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk) to apply for a code before **20<sup>th</sup> July**. Once you have received this code you will need to share that information with us and let us know about any changes to sessions. If you require any other help of support, please speak to Mariana or Pamela or email us.

Apply for a 30 hours code in good time. Do it before the summer holidays.  
[childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://childcarechoices.gov.uk)



**We have been learning about...Superheroes!**



**Pre-School Graduation**

The Graduation Ceremony for our Pre-School children will take place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July. Pre-School children and their families are welcome to join the celebrations. We are pleased to announce that the Deputy Mayor, Bill Lewis will be presenting the certificates this year. The ceremony will start at 4.30 and will include some entertainment from the children. Following the proceedings, there will be a party for the children and their siblings, with refreshments for the parents. If your child does not usually attend on a Friday, they are welcome to join us and should be at nursery no later than 4pm to ensure enough time to put caps and gowns on. This is always a wonderful celebration of the children's time at nursery and we hope you can join the celebrations.



If you are bringing in nappies or wipes, please label these with your child's name as sometimes we are busy with other parents and are unsure of who has brought them!

Many of you will be planning your summer holidays. Don't forget to pick up a holiday form and give us one month's notice to receive a 50% discount from your fees for that period.

Please remember that fees are paid in advance and should be received by us no later than the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month.

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# Caldecote Day Nursery Newsletter July 2018

Term Dates for the next academic year are shown below:

## Funding Entitlement for 2, 3 and 4 year olds – 2018/2019

Autumn Term - 2018	Spring Term - 2019	Summer Term - 2019
Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> September – Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> October <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> January – Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> February <b>6 weeks</b>	Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> April – Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May <b>4 weeks</b>
Half Term: Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> October – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November <b>(no funding in this period)</b>	Half Term: Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February <b>(no funding in this period)</b>	Half Term: Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May <b>(no funding in this period)</b>
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> November – Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> February – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April <b>7 weeks</b>	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June – Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July <b>7 weeks</b>
<b>Total weeks: 14</b>	<b>Total weeks: 13</b>	<b>Total weeks: 11</b>

Please note: Funding entitlement is for 38 weeks whereas school terms run for 39 weeks.

## Non-Prescribed Medicines

Due to recent changes to the NHS practice of certain medicines no longer being available on prescription, we have updated our Medication Policy to reflect this. We have always been happy to administer non-prescription medicines such as barrier creams or teething gels but we have extended this to include pain relief such as liquid paracetamol or liquid ibuprofen. With written consent, on a nursery medical form, we will now administer these medicines for two days in a row. If a child is requiring such medicines for a third day, then we would kindly ask parents to consider if the child is well enough to attend nursery at all. The full updated policy is attached to your July invoice. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

## Club Caldecote – Wraparound & Holiday Care

There are lots of exciting activities on offer this summer at Club Caldecote for children in Reception to Year Six. These include cookery, craft, sports, games, local visits as well as visits to the Sealife Centre, Coombe Abbey Country Park and Coventry Transport Museum.

More details are on a flyer attached to the July invoice and on our website:

[www.caldecotedaynursery.co.uk](http://www.caldecotedaynursery.co.uk)

Yours faithfully

Mariana Dixon (Proprietor)



This month's Learning Theme: **Transport & Travel**  
This month's Value: **Safety**

**Reminder: Please ensure that your child has a named sunhat and named sun cream in nursery at all times as we will try and make the most of the sunshine...when it appears!**



## Polite Notice

We kindly ask that if you are parking on the forecourt, you are courteous to other drivers and parents. We can easily fit three cars onto the space if everyone parks sensibly and efficiently.

Thank you.

## September 2018 – August 2019

Please see below for a full list of services and charges from September 1<sup>st</sup> 2018.

Standard Charges (non-funded sessions)			
	Birth – 3 Years	3 Years +	
Full time (8am-6pm, Monday – Friday)	£220	£1	Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Full day (8am-6pm)	£44	£40	Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Half Day (8am – 1pm or 1pm – 6pm)	£22	£20	Including breakfast or tea and snacks.

15 Hours Nursery Education Funding – Up to 15 hours per week; 38 weeks per year Standard Charges apply for the remaining 13 weeks per year			
	2 Year Olds	3 & 4 Year Olds	
Full time (8am-6pm, Monday – Friday) 50 hours per week - 15 funded hours & 35 hours additional care	£170	£152	Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Full Day (8am-6pm) 10 hours per day - 6 funded hours & 4 hours additional care	£24	£22	Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Full Day (8am-6pm) 10 hours per day - 3 funded hours & 7 hours additional care	£35	£33	Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Half Day (8am-1pm or 1pm-6pm) 5 hours per session - 3 funded hours & 2 hours additional care	£13	£12	Including snacks and either breakfast or tea.
Shorter Day (9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm) 3 hours per session - fully funded	£0	£0	Including snacks. We have limited spaces for these sessions. Please see staff for details.
Lunch Club (for those accessing the Shorter Day who also wish to stay during the lunch hour. These places are limited.)	£6 per hour	£6 per hour	This lunch fee is charged outside the standard service model.

30 Hours Nursery Education Funding – Up to 30 hours per week; 38 weeks per year Standard Charges apply for the remaining 13 weeks per year			
	3 & 4 Year Olds		
Full 5 Days (8am-6pm, Monday – Friday) 50 hours per week - 30 funded hours & 20 hours additional care	£136		Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Any 4 Days (8am-6pm, Monday – Friday) 40 hours per week - 24 funded hours & 16 hours additional care	£110		Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
Any 3 Days (8am-6pm, Monday – Friday) 30 hours per week - 18 funded hours & 12 hours additional care	£84		Including breakfast, snacks and tea.
30 Hours (9am – 3pm; Monday – Friday) 6 hours per session - fully funded	£0		Including snacks. We have limited spaces for these sessions. Please see staff for details.

Club Caldecote (Wraparound & Holiday Care) Reception – Year Six			
Term Time			
Term Time	Before School (8am-9am)	£3	Including breakfast and being walked to Northlands Primary.
	After School (3.15-5pm)	£6	Including being walked back from Northlands Primary and tea / snacks.
	After School (3.15-6pm)	£9	Including being walked back from Northlands Primary and tea / snacks.
School Holidays	Full Day (8am-6pm)	£28	Includes breakfast, snacks and tea.
	Half Day (8am-1pm or 1pm-6pm)	£14	Including snacks and either breakfast or tea.

Lunch	
	In all the models shown, this is charged at an additional £2.10 per day or children may bring a packed lunch.



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