

Caldecote Day Nursery













Newsletter July 2020

This month's Learning Focus: Children's Interests, Sports and Summer.

Safeguarding

With the temperatures set to rise in the coming weeks, here is some advice from Public Health England on how to stay cool this summer.



NHS

Beat the Heat



Leaving to start school?

This month's Value: **Teamwork**

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 17th July. Please inform us if you wish your child to attend during the holidays. This will then be charged at our

standard rate.



Goodbye and good luck to all our children leaving for Big School. You have been fabulous here and you will be fabulous at school too. Don't forget to pop in and visit us in your new uniform! We are so sorry that we have not been able celebrate 60 VOUP graduation from nursery in the usual way...we will try and make the next few weeks as special as possible for you though...

We are sorry...It has not been possible this year to hold our annual outing, Pre-School Graduation or Sport's Day events. We hope to be able to take the children to the park a little more in the coming weeks with some of our own play equipment and will be holding our own sports events in nursery.







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Home Learning Ideas

Here are some ideas you could try with your child this month...

Get out to the park or in your garden and practise some 'ball skills!' Can you throw, catch, roll and kick a ball? Create a game of your own to play with your family.

Help to grow some plants or flowers in the garden. Water them and watch how they change. What else do plants and flowers need to grow?

Look at the minibeasts that are all around. How many can you name? Look at where they like to live... on plants, under stones, behind logs. See how many you can spot.

Try making a Honey and Banana smoothie! The recipe is on this newsletter. Let us know how it tastes!

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















Nursery reopens on Monday 1st June Term Time Only Children - Term ends Friday 17th July

Term Time Only children return on Monday 7th September

We will not be able to go ahead with other previously planned events such as Sport's Day and Pre-School Graduation.

Celebrating Be Proud of Who You Are' Day!



















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This month's seasonal recipe to try at home...

Honey & Banana Smoothies - serves 2



Ingredients:

1 peeled, sliced banana 250ml whole milk or soya milk 1 tsp honey a little grated nutmeg



Method:

- 1. Blend the banana with the whole or soya milk, honey and a little grated nutmeg until smooth.
- 2. Pour into glasses and enjoy on a hot, summer day!

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Nursery Funding Entitlement for 2, 3 & 4 year olds 2020/2021

Autumn Term - 2020	Spring Term - 2021	Summer Term - 2021
Monday 7 th September –	Monday 4 th January –	Monday 19 th April –
Friday 23 rd October	Friday 12th February	Friday 28 th May
7 weeks	6 weeks	6 weeks
Half Term:	Half Term:	Half Term:
Monday 26 th October –	Monday 15 th February –	Monday 31st May –
Friday 30 th October	Friday 19th February	Friday 4 th June
(no funding in this period)	(no funding in this period)	(no funding in this period)
Monday 2 nd November –	Monday 22 nd February –	Monday 7 th June –
Friday 18th December	Friday 2 nd April	Friday 16th July
7 weeks	6 weeks	6 weeks
Total weeks: 14	Total weeks: 12	Total weeks: 12

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

This calendar shows when funded sessions are available during the 2020 / 2021 academic year, for your information.





