

BESTWOOD PARK DAY NURSERY NEWSLETTER

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Hello Everybody!

Its been a few weeks since we have managed to send out a newsletter to our parents and families. We have been so busy with the new term and settling in new children. There has been some new changes too which we think you would like to know about.

Firstly we would like to congratulate Jo! She has been promoted to our new deputy manager of the setting. Please feel free to talk to Jo about any concerns regarding your child.

As many of you may know, our setting is working hard towards achieving the Curiosity Approach accreditation. We would love for the parents to get on board too and support us in this Journey. Below is a link explaining how parents can support us with the accreditation.

<https://daynurseries.bham.ac.uk/blog/the-curiosity-approach-how-to-support-your-child-at-home/>

Looking deeper into the Curiosity approach, Our planning will be based on the children's interest in the moment each day. We will try and still celebrate key events but we have been setting up the room and activities so that it is inviting for the children based on their individual interests.

Parents will now be required to wear facemasks upon drop off and collection of their child!

Welcome Autumn

Autumn is officially well on its way. We have heard so many rumours about some of our favourite celebrations being 'cancelled' this year. This is definitely NOT the case! We will still celebrate halloween and bonfire night with our children and they won't miss out!

We will break up for half term on Friday the 16th of October. We will be doing a small halloween themed day on this day so if you would like your child to come dressed up that is fine!

Autumn brings us the cold weather! We will still be trying to stay outside as much as possible to reduce the spread of any germs so please try and dress your child warm and bring spare clothes! Make sure you label your child's clothes. We are urging parents to pack wellies and waterproofs too.

Clevercooks!

All children should have now had a turn with the clevercooks programme. We will be emailing you this week for some feedback on the course. You will hopefully get one more turn before the programme ends. We really have enjoyed seeing your photographs and videos each week.

We have just updated our Covid – 19 policy which we will be sending out to all parents this week. It is important you re-read this as it sets out our rules and procedures surrounding the Coronavirus in line with the current government guidance.

Our new term will begin on the 2nd of November!

