

Stars Pre-School Parnwell



Newsletter January 2018

Dear Parents and Carers

We would like to welcome everyone back to Pre-school after the Christmas holidays, we all hope that you have had lots of family time catching up with friends and relatives.

Pyjama day

We expect that Pre-school is going to be really busy again this term, we have lots of exciting events planned to take place this term starting with a pyjama day on Friday 19th January 2018.

On Friday 19th we would like children to join the staff in dressing up in their pyjamas for the day. During the day we shall be talking and learning about getting ready for bedtime, going to sleep nice and early as well as learning about how many hours of sleep we need to make us grow big and strong.

We hope that you will all join in with us.

Core story

The core story this term is "The three Billy Goats Gruff, we will be learning the story, looking at key phrases and phonics as well as looking for the maths implications for the story i.e. **One** grumpy old troll or **Three** Billy Goats. The core story will run from January to March.

Babysdays

We have become aware that some families are not accessing the Babysdays learning journal for their child. So, to make it more accessible we will be hosting a Babysdays evening where parents are able to come along and access the system, resolving issues there and then and staff to demonstrate the system effectively. There will be lots of staff available to help and support parents with "log in" issues. Parents and carers do not need an appointment simply drop in between 3.30 and 5pm on Tuesday 6 and/ or Thursday 8th of February.

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★ **Spare clothes**

★ We would like to remind parents that as the weather is wet and cold now, all
★ children need to be equipped with spare clothes and if possible welly boots and a
★ coat. Gloves and scarves are also very helpful. Please if possible, can we ask that
★ the items of clothing are name for easy identification which will stop them getting
★ lost or going home with someone else.

★ Have a happy term everyone and if there is anything you would like to talk to
★ anyone about, please mention and the Pre-school will do all they are able to help.

★ **Kind Regards**

★ **Stars Pre-school Team**

