

Abbey 3 4 5 Pre-School

Education and Fun in a Safe and Stimulating Environment



Newsletter - Term 1a (5th Sept to 20th Oct) 2017 / 2018

News / Fundraising

- We are very excited about our forthcoming Fashion Show at South View School on Friday 6th October at 7pm for 7.30pm start. Participants will enjoy a complimentary drink, view the models demonstrating outfits from a variety of high street retailers, have the chance to buy homemade cake and refreshments, take part in a raffle and of course have the opportunity to try on and purchase a few bargains for the new season.
- We have created a new Fundraising Rainbow - look out for it at Pre-School. As we go through the year we hope to show our fundraising as it progresses through different events - letting you know how much each event raises and also the lovely resources we spend the money on.

What we have been learning about

We are settling back into the routines of Pre-School life. This year's School Readiness children are adjusting to lunchboxes, library and extra activities and we are welcoming new children into our Let's Play, 2+ and mixed sessions.

On Wednesday 13th September we celebrated Roald Dahl Day - the children joined the Umpa Lumpas along the chocolate river, worked with Charlie in creating Willy Wonka's Chocolate Factory recipes using different types of chocolate and sweet decorations, mixed marvellous medicine with George and dressed up in outfits provided by Dahl's Costume Emporium. We also tried various types of peach for snack, floated across the ocean with James & his bug friends and made a big beard for Mr Twit to keep him warm. Great fun was had by all.

British Food Fortnight (23rd Sept to 8th Oct) gave us the inspiration to learn about where our food comes from, discuss healthy eating, enjoy some traditional British recipes (including Lincolnshire Sausages & Lincolnshire Potato Wedges), play food based games and try printing with Fruit & Veg.

Thank You

- Thank you to Sally at Passiflora's for providing us with fabulous flowers for the Abbey Flower Festival and lending us a range of accessories to add an industrial feel to our Lowry landscape.
- Thanks to Nick & Jan Kirby for the ongoing support in maintenance jobs around Pre-School.
- Thank you to parents for contributions to snack and ex parents for donations of play equipment.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

September & October

Frankie, Freddie, Leo W, Isabelle,
Macey, Nila, Amelia E, William Y,
Reuben, Harley
& Sarah



TERM DATES

Term 1a
5th Sept to 20th Oct

Term 1b
31st Oct to 19th Dec



If your child is feeling unwell, please do not bring them into pre-school. If too many of our staff get sick we will not be able to open as we will not be able to have sufficient adults to maintain the necessary ratios.

Help your child at home

- Please help your child become an independent dresser, teach them to put their coats on, do buttons & zips up and put their shoes on.
- Look out for numbers and letters in the environment, children love to spot them and tell you what they are.
- Talk to your child about the seasons, how plants & animals grow, where certain food comes from etc
- Talk about their senses appropriately - taste, sight, hearing, touch & smell.
- Positional language in context - in, out, over, under, above, below etc.
- Remember to look on our windows, notice board and Facebook page for ideas, information & events.

GALLERY

