

Banbury School Day Nursery Newsletter

17th June 2022



DATES OF NURSERY CLOSURE IN 2022

We are closed:

29th August 2022 - Bank holiday

16th December 2022 - Last day of term before Christmas, we will close at 5.30pm

Nursery will re-open Tuesday 3rd January 2023

For parents whose children are in the preschool and will be going to school in September

Our preschool children who are going to school in September have been busy practising their leavers performance ready to show all of you and they are all very excited. We now have a date for when this will take place; their performance will be on **Thursday 14th July at 4:30pm**. For children who do not attend nursery on this day, please drop your child off at nursery for 3:30pm.

Also, we would like to take a group photo of the children leaving for school, could you please let us know if you are happy for your child to be in this and then we can let every child have a copy of this to keep.

Your child's government funding will finish on the 19th August, we are still waiting for some families to confirm when your child's last day will be. Could you please let us know as soon as possible, otherwise you will be invoiced for the last 2 weeks of August.

30 hour funding information for new applications

If your child will be entitled to extended funding from September - this is the case if your child turns 3 between April and August 2022

- please ensure that you apply for this by the middle of July. Oxfordshire is changing the funding portal for nursery from August and therefore nursery will need to submit the eligible children by the end of July.

After you have completed the online portal, please can you also email Andrea the following information, all together in the same email:

The code starting with 500

Your national insurance number

Your child's full name

Your child's date of birth

Staffing

Jess from our preschool room has decided to have a change in career and work in a children's home, her last day was Wednesday 15th June, we wish her all the best in her new career and we know the children will miss her lots.

We have a new member of staff called Charlotte helping at nursery until September until we are able to find a replacement, and we also have Lauren Watson coming to help in the holidays to cover staff on annual leave.

Hannah, one of our baby room seniors will be going on maternity leave in July and Abbie from our preschool will be going on her maternity leave in August.

We are looking to recruit staff, if you know anyone who is qualified in childcare and looking for work, please ask them to email Andrea.

We are also still looking for a cleaner for 3 hours a day, the role would be a flexible 1 ½ hours in the morning and 1 ½ hours at night or

early evening. If you know anyone who may be interested please ask them to email Andrea, the salary will be £11.00 per hour working 15 hours a week.

Spaces

As you may be aware a local nursery is closing after 25 years which is very sad news. We are now full except for Fridays, if parents need to change sessions and Andrea is unaware of this, please let Andrea know as soon as possible as there will be no flexibility in the nursery by September.

If you have previously registered for a space in the baby room for the future Andrea has kept these spaces for you.