Step by Step Children's Nursery Newsletter

AUTUMN 2026



Welcome !

Welcome back to everyone, from a very hot summer!
A big welcome to our new families, we are currently getting to know your children, what they can do already and what their next steps are.
We will be introducing ourselves as keyworkers very soon



Staff

Preschool
Sandra
Elaine

Toddlers
Claire
Chelle
Taylor

Babies
Emma
Jaz

Manager
Becky

Cook/Maintenance-Manager and Finance
Lindsay

Reminders

Everyone needs to do a new funding and agreement form, please make time to sign them at drop off or pick up

Please label your child's clothing and belongings. We would like to encourage clothing that promotes independence.

All in ones and welly boots for wet weather are provided for, but you are very welcome to bring your own, as this makes it easier regarding allocating the right sizes to each child.

Please provide a bottle with water in, that the child can use through the day and manage themselves.
Please avoid putting juice in because:
1-It is better for their teeth.
2-The other children drink the bottles with juice in, as they are on the table.
3-We will dilute them.
If you feel your child will only drink juice, speak to your child's keyworker and we will work with you and offer it to them at certain times of the day.

Dates for your calenders

20th /22nd October -Babies and toddlers parents meeting
26-30 October -Half term
11th/18th November -Preschool parents meeting
30th November-Tis the season for... Christmas outfits (optional)
8th December-Nativity (To be confirmed)
16th December -Christmas party 2-4pm
25,28,30 Dec, 1st Jan - Closed
21,22,23,24,31st Dec - Open
21st December -3rd Jan- Christmas Holidays

Heads up on summer events...

Preschool Sports Day- 10th June(9.15am)
Nursery Trip to Miniature Railway-22nd June
Teddy Bears Picnic -15th July

This Autumn...



Children in need
13th November
Bakesale fundraiser
donations welcome

Bonfire night and Fireworks
5th November

Diwali
8th November

Themes

All about me
Autumn
Spooky Week
Diwali
Bonfire night /fireworks
Remembrance day/heros
Dinosaurs
Gingerbread /baking

Ideas for home ...



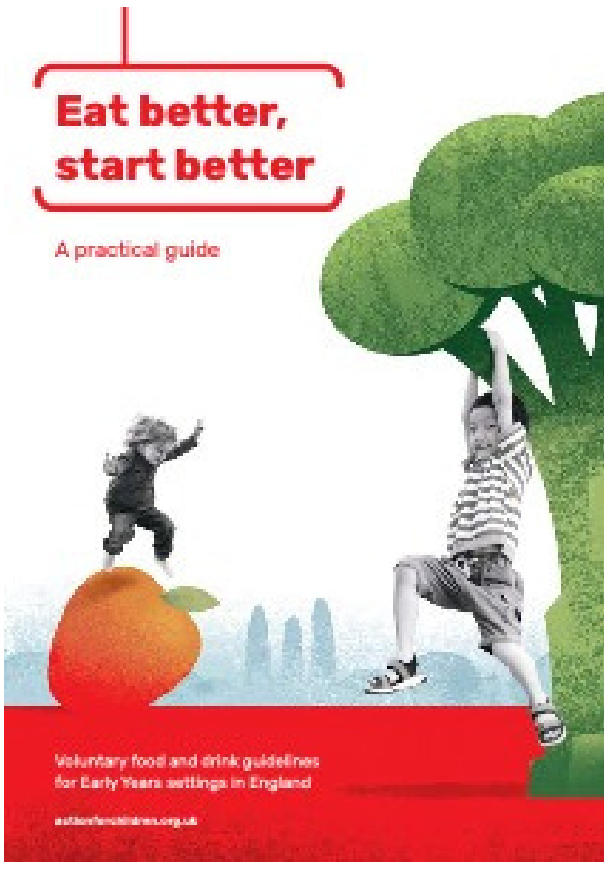
Play dough recipe

Play dough is loads of fun and great for building up fine motor skills and concerntration

2 cups of flour
½ cup of salt
1 tbsp oil
2 tbsp cream of tartar
2 cups of water
a few drops of food colouring

Invoices and Enquiries

Contact
Manager- Becky- 07485147294
Sickness and Absences
Contact
Nursery -07484741241



Helpful links ...

Healthy eating guidance

https://foundationyears.org.uk/files/2017/11/Eat-Better-Start-Better1.pdf

Healthy start scheme
https://www.healthystart.nhs.uk/

Better Health -Sugar guidance
https://www.nhs.uk/healthier-families/food-facts/sugar/

Support for families
https://familyhubs.eastsussex.gov.uk/

