



Tillingham Pre-School Newsletter

Autumn Term first half

We welcome you and your children back after a lovely summer break, we would like to say a big 'hello' and welcome to Oakley and Edann-Rose who have started their Pre School journey with us. We have already been back a week and its lovely to see each and every child has settled quickly and enjoyed exploring the setting with smiles on their faces. The new sand pit shed has been a big hit! Please look on our face book page for pictures.

The theory of loose parts

Loose parts create richer environments for children, allowing them to do what they need to do, to follow their interests and go where their curiosity takes them. Environments full of loose parts lend themselves to a blurring of distinctions between learning and playing, allowing children to experiment, enjoy and find things out for themselves.



Messy play

Your children love to get messy and dirty, and there are lots of opportunities for them to do this. Please make sure you send them in clothes and shoes that you don't mind getting dirty. Even a spare set of clothes would be handy, as we found out on Friday when we had a few water trays out to splash around in and most of them decided to lay down and pretend to swim! There are activities to enable them to mix, create and even paint themselves. Watch this space!



Reminders

It is still very warm outside, so please cover your child in sun cream and bring a hat. Please name all clothing it makes it so much easier for the children (and us)



Please do not bring any food or drink into the hall except lunch boxes on a Monday and Friday, please remember we are NUT FREE.

If you have any questions or would like any further information please speak to Karen or Emma, alternatively feel free to send a message to your child's key person.

Please visit our webpage: www.tillinghampreschool.co.uk

Special events

September Birthdays

Teddy - 6th
Benjamin - 10th
Albert - 23rd
Francesca-Rose - 25th
Chester K - 30th
Harriet - 30th



Important Dates

Autumn term: Monday 4th September -
Friday 15th December
Half Term: 23 October - 27th October

Spring Term: Thursday 4th January 2024 -
Thursday 28th March 2024
Half Term: 19th February - 23rd February

Easter Break: Friday 29th March - Friday 12th April

Summer Term: Monday 15th April -
Tuesday 23rd July 2024
Half Term: Monday 27th May -31st May
and Bank Holiday 6th May

