

Welcome to Heathhall Early Learning and Childcare Centre

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Thank you for your support

Thank you to the parents who attended the Parent Information Session on 03.11.25. It was good to share information about your children's learning, planning and ideas to help them at home face to face. I have pictures of the session and a video that I will put onto the Dojo and am happy to share any information in person if you wish. I will be sending out a questionnaire link on Dojo to collate your ideas and comments moving forward. Your time to complete the questionnaire is most appreciated 😊



What we are learning

We are learning about time - different clocks, routines at certain times of the day, nighttime and daytime. An interest in different types of transport has come from the children talking about where they went on holiday and how they got there. Baking and cooking are strong interest with us looking deeper in to measure and weight when enjoying these activities.

Names in everything

A quick reminder to put your child's name in any clothing, coats, gloves, hats, shoes and wellies that come to nursery.

Always send a warm coat with your child every day. We have spare waterproof all-in-ones, but children always like to wear their own coat.

Our Parent Council

Please come along and see what's happening in our Parent Council. The next meeting is Thursday 27th November at 6.30pm in the school. The parent council email is heathhallparentcouncil@gmail.com



Nursery Christmas Celebrations

We are hoping to hold our Christmas Celebrations in the nursery garden but will have the hall available if bad weather. Please keep Monday 15th December at 4pm free to come along and help us celebrate Christmas with your children. Family members are welcome to come along.

Nursery Christmas Party

If your child does not usually attend on a Thursday and you would like your child to attend the nursery Christmas Party, please contact Mrs Townsend.

Attendance & Absence procedure

We have a new Attendance & Absence procedure that has been attached to this newsletter. Please read, thank you.

Home Learning

Thank you for the increase in parents sending pictures and text about their child's learning at home and achievement to Mrs Townsend via Dojo. Your children are enjoying talking about and sharing these things with their friends 😊

All holiday dates at -

<https://www.dumgal.gov.uk/article/15239/School-term-and-holiday-dates>

Term 2 25/26

Dates for your diary

Bookbug

Friday 7th November, 11am

Children in Need

Friday 14th November

Bookbug

Friday 21st November, 11am

Stay & Play week

Wb. 24th November

Parent Council meeting

Thursday 27th November at 6.30pm in school

Dress Down Day

Friday 28th November for Christmas Hamper donation

Bookbug

Friday 5th December, 11am

Nursery Christmas Party

Thursday 11th December, 9.30 - 11.30am

Christmas Celebration

Monday 15th December 4 - 4.30pm in the nursery garden or school hall

Christmas themed Dress Down Day

Wednesday 17th December
£1 donation

Christmas Lunch

Wednesday 17th December

Dress Down Day

Friday 19th December

Christmas Holiday

Finish Friday 19th December, back on Tuesday 6th January 2026