



### Potted Sports

ECC potted sports will take place on Thursday 30th May in the Playing Field adjacent to the School.

The ECC children's Buddies have been working hard along with Mrs Murphy, the Active School Co-ordinator, to create stations for children to show off their sporting skills.

Parents/Carers, family and friends are invited to join the event from 1.50pm – 2.45pm.

Children will take part in a variety of stations, then there will be a short presentation at the end.

If Parents wish, children can be signed out from the field. Each key worker will have their sign out sheet with them.



### Key Dates:

As we approach a very busy term, please find some key dates below:

27th May— ECC closed

28th May— ECC closed—In-service day

30th May— ECC Potted Sports

31st May— ECC trip to Dumfries House

Week Beginning 3rd June— Progress appointments

7th June— Transition Event—Parents are invited to attend

Week beginning 10th June— Open afternoon in ECC  
(Further details will follow)

10th June— New Primary 1 Parent Information Session

14th June— Teddy Bear's Picnic with Buddies from P5/6

21st June— Celebration of Success for children moving to P1 (Further details to follow)

28th June— ECC closes for Summer holidays

19th & 20th August—In-service days ECC closed

21st August —Pupils Return to ECC

### Outdoor Play

As the weather begins to become drier, warmer and a little more predictable, the children are spending large amounts of time outdoors.

For accessing outdoor play, even in the good weather, children will require waterproof clothing. Some larger, warmer suits may be too warm for them and they may prefer lighter weight puddle suits or waterproof trousers and a light jacket. Please feel free to access your child's outdoor trolley to check their waterproof clothing at any point.

Sun cream will also be required for each child moving forward. On sunny days please apply sun screen to your child before they attend the Centre. This enables them to access outdoor play straight away. Staff will re-apply creams after lunch, if required. Please provide sun-screen (minimum SPF 30) for your child in their bag or in the basket in the ECC corridor, clearly labelled with their name.

Please note sunscreen expires 12 months after opening. Using sunscreen after 12 months can reduce the effectiveness of the protection it provides.

Sun hats can be placed in labelled boxes in Playroom 1.



Please contact Mrs McKillop or Joanne McKay on:



(01560) 600403 or

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If you have any worries or concerns.



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**ECC trip to Dumfries House**

We will travel by coach to Dumfries House on Friday 31st May 2024.

The coach will leave the ECC between 09.30am and 9.45am and return to the ECC by 2.30pm.

Due to the unpredictable Scottish weather can children please wear sunscreen/ hats and have a water-proof jacket with them.

Children will need old, comfy clothes, and sensible shoes for climbing and playing.

Please can we ask that no open toed sandals or crocs are worn on this day.

Children will all wear a high-vis vest when visiting the park, but if they have ECC uniformed tops can these be worn too. This helps to make the children easily identifiable.

Packed lunches will be provided for all children. These will contain a sandwich, water, fruit and a small snack.

If you wish to send your child with an additional snack for the day then please do so with bag clearly labelled with their name.

Children will be assigned to an adult for the duration of the trip and this adult will carry each child's snacks.

Please note—we are an allergy aware establishment and would kindly ask that snacks containing nuts are not sent with your child.

There is no charge for this trip.

If you have any questions please speak to Joanne.



**ECC Garden**

The children have been working very hard in the garden recently, they have been planting and are beginning to fill our beautiful new green house, which was donated to us by Fenwick Mother, Baby and Toddler Group. A massive thank you to them for their kind donation.

We may need some volunteers to help with some garden maintenance in the near future—if you can be of any help please let us know. We will also be looking to source some compost and plant pots to help develop the children's interests in gardening.

**Keeping in touch**



Learning Journals—If you require your log in reset please speak to your child's Key Worker or Joanne



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Our Vision is for all children to achieve and attain in a safe, happy and nurturing environment.

Our Aim is to ensure every child and young person reaches their full potential and is 'the best they can be!'

Our Values are—

Kindness, Ambition, Respect and Honesty

