



Fenwick Early Childhood Centre

Newsletter

January 2026



Welcome Back to Fenwick ECC!

We hope you and your children had a happy and restful Christmas break. We are delighted to welcome all our families back and extend a warm welcome to the new families joining our ECC community.

At Fenwick ECC, we value positive working relationships with our families and believe that strong partnerships support the best outcomes for our children. We are proud of our open-door policy and encourage open communication at all times.

If you have any worries, concerns, or questions, please do not hesitate to contact Joanne or Mr Houston - we are always here to help and support you and your child.

Scottish Showcase—Burns Supper

Primary 7 are hosting a Scottish Showcase Assembly on Friday the 30th of January.

Children from the ECC have been invited to take part by singing one of their favourite Scottish songs.

Parents/Carers are invited to attend the Burns Supper, if they wish.

Doors open at 09.15, the Showcase will start at 09.30 prompt. Please enter via the top entrance to Fenwick PS. ECC parents will be allocated seats around the edge of the hall.

Due to spacing constraints only one adult per child can attend.

Please visit the ECC App to access the link to book a place for the Showcase, this will be available soon.

The ECC children will sing first.

After the ECC children have performed Parents/ Carers can exit via the fire escape at the back of the hall, if they wish.

Children are welcome to wear a 'touch of tartan' to the Showcase, if they wish.

After the Showcase the children will enjoy a special Scottish snack.



Illness Guidance Reminder

As we move through the winter months, we kindly ask all families to continue following Public Health Scotland's guidance to help reduce the spread of illness within our ECC. Your support makes a real difference in keeping children, families and staff healthy and well.

Please remember:

- Children must remain at home for 48 hours after the last episode of sickness or diarrhoea before returning.
- Children should be fever-free for at least 24 hours without the use of medication before coming back.
- Good hand hygiene is essential — please encourage regular handwashing at home as we continue to do in the centre.

By following these measures, we can work together to help minimise the spread of winter bugs and maintain a safe, healthy and happy environment for everyone. Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.





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Personal Plan Reviews

Personal Plans are a legal requirement for all children attending the ECC. They must be completed within 28 days of your child starting in the Centre and are reviewed every six months to ensure we are meeting your child's needs effectively.

Personal Plan Reviews for all children who currently have a plan in place will take place between 23/02/26 and 26/02/26, between 3.00pm and 4.00pm.

Appointments will be no longer than 10 minutes.

If you are unable to attend the ECC on these dates, please inform your child's key worker as soon as possible.

For children who have recently joined the Centre, Tracy will arrange a suitable time to meet with you to complete your child's Personal Plan.

Sign-up sheets for review appointments will be available soon.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.



Important Dates:

30/01/26	Scottish Assembly
09/02/26	Holiday—Centre closed
10/02/26	In-Service Day—Centre closed
11/02/26	Centre re-opens
23/02/26—26/02/26	Personal Plan reviews
05/03/26	World Book Day (Further details to follow)
24/03/26	Rainbow Stay and Play 9.10- 9.45 approx. (Further details to follow)
25/03/26	Sunshine Stay and Play 9.10- 9.45 approx. (Further details to follow)
26/03/26	Star Stay and Play 9.10- 9.45 approx. (Further details to follow)
02/04/26	Centre closes for Easter holiday (Normal session applies).
20/04/26	Centre re-opens.



*Please scan this QR code to access school holidays for 2025–2026 *



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Keeping in Touch

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



Facebook— Search Fenwick Early Childhood Centre



GLOW Blog— Please scan QR code to access blog or search Fenwick ECC



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

