

Cardenden Nursery Newsletter 2 (April 2025)





Headteacher's Update ...

I have almost completed my first term at Cardenden Primary and I can hardly believe it! I apologise for not being around in the nursery and having the chance to say hello to more of you. I promise to be around more in Term 4 so I can get to know you all a bit better.

Term 4 will be a busy one, where we are looking forward to starting the transition process between rooms and for our pre-schoolers who are moving into P1. We are also keeping our fingers crossed for the better weather and lots of outside play!

Sun Awareness

We are feeling hopeful for sunshine and nice weather after the Easter holidays. In line with the Early Years in Fife Policy, we ask that **you apply sun cream** to your child before they come to nursery.

Please note that there will be sun cream in nursery if parents forget to apply this and ask that you make your child's key worker aware at drop off.

Also, if cream is washed off after children get wet or for any other reason, nursery staff will provide cream for the child to reapply.

We also ask that, if possible, you send your child(ren) to nursery with **appropriate eye protection** with a **brimmed hat** and ideally **sunglasses** with UV filter. Now all we need is the sunshine!





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Seesaw



Are you connected to Seesaw? Please make sure you are keeping an eye out for updates and any news that we are posting to let you know about nursery updates.

Can you help?



We are running low on tissues and wipes.

If you can donate these to our nursery

stock we would be very grateful!

Lunch Boxes

Please remember to put any lunchboxes in the plastic box at the front door in the nursery foyer.



Positive Postcards

It has been a pleasure to hand out positive postcards to the winners from nursery over the last couple of weeks.

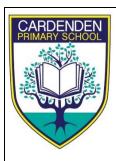
Our nursery boys and girls have been coming along to assembly and have sat and listened so well.

I can't wait to hand out more positive postcards and hear about all the successes from our youngest pupils at Cardenden.



Big Hoose

We have a close nursery connection with the company if there is a time you need extra assistance, please speak to Nicola about the supports they can provide. This inventory of available items is sent weekly to nursery and can be ordered and collected by staff. This service is means tested and requires staff to complete the relevant paperwork for any requests.



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Nursery Easter Raffle



The nursery is hosting an Easter raffle to help raised funds for resources. This will directly support our children's learning and development, allowing us to provide positive learning opportunities for each child.

Tickets are £1 a strip and can be purchased at the nursery. The raffle will be drawn on Thursday the 3rd of April at our 'Big Breakfast'.

Voluntary Contributions



We will be stopping envelopes coming home for money. From Term 4, this will stop completely and instead we will be asking for Voluntary Contributions, in line with Fife ELC Policies and Guidance.

Moving forward, we will invite parents/carers to make a voluntary monetary contribution to the nursery on a weekly basis and will be seeking your views on how this money should be spent.

Keep an eye out for more information coming soon!

Easter Big Breakfast

This will take place on Thursday 3rd April, please keep up to date on any Seesaw posts from your child's room as the event will look different for each session.

All parents are welcome to join their child for breakfast and Easter fun!

