



BLAIRMORE NURSERY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

December 2020



In our 3-5 room we currently have two bubbles with four groups in each. New children will be starting with us in January and February so we will need to have three bubbles with three groups in each. Some groups will be moving to the new bubble. We will also have to move some children into different groups to ensure that siblings are kept together in the same bubble. If your child's group is changing you will receive a separate letter.

Drop-off and pick-up times will also change as follows from January:

	Groups	Drop-off	Pick-up
Bubble A	Blue Red Pink	8.45	2.45
Bubble B	Purple Yellow White	9.00	3.00
Bubble C	Green Orange Silver	9.15	3.15

## CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES

The children will be having a few busy weeks in nursery preparing for Christmas. Although Christmas isn't quite the same this year the children will be having a great time.

You should have received your letter with dates of activities for the children.

We will be having our Christmas party on Monday 21 December. Santa will be coming to our party. He will be socially distanced from the children and staff will be giving out the parcels.

We realise that this has been a very difficult year for so many families both emotionally and financially. At Christmas some families hand in presents for nursery staff, we would like to request that you do not do so this year as we know what an expensive time Christmas is when buying presents for your family.

## COVID UPDATE

Please do not send your child to nursery with a cough, high temperature or change or loss of taste/smell.

Please help keep all of our families safe by following the rules set out by the Scottish Government.

Please remember that families should not be visiting each other's houses, Children should not be attending birthday parties, play dates or sleepovers.

## CHILDREN'S LEARNING JOURNEYS

We hope that you have enjoyed receiving your child's learning journey this session. We really love to hear your feedback so please drop us an email to let us know what you think if you haven't already done so.

## CARE AND LEARNING UPDATES

Please sign the additional copy of your child's Care and Learning/Settling-in report if you have not already sent it back to nursery. We appreciate all of your comments.

## CHANGES OF CLOTHING

Please ensure that your child has a spare set of clothes in nursery. Also, as the weather is becoming colder, please send in a hat and gloves for outdoor play.

Please put your child's name on all outdoor clothing, jumpers and nursery sweatshirts. We have had several mix-ups recently but it is much easier to sort if names are on all items of clothing.

## FINALLY

The nursery closes early on Tuesday 22 December, pick up times are as follows:

3-5 ROOM	NORMAL PICK UP	PICK UP ON TUESDAY 22 DECEMBER
Blue and silver	2.45	1.45
Red and white	2.55	1.55
Yellow and pink	3.05	2.05
Orange and green	3.15	2.15
2-3 ROOM	To be arranged with your child's keyworker	

We re-open on Wednesday 6 January



We would like to wish all of our families a  
safe and Happy Christmas. 