

Rainbow Family Centre ~ Winter Newsletter

As the Christmas Holidays are fast approaching we thought it would be a good idea to put together our final newsletter of the year. Sonia, Jenna and all the staff, at Rainbow Family Centre, would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your support over the past year and during a very challenging year for us all.

Bubbles

To ensure the safety of your children, family and our staff we have adapted our 3-5 bubbles in accordance with government guidance.

On a weekly basis, children and staff in bubbles B and C will rotate between the 3-5 playroom and our outdoor learning environment which we will continue to make full use of to support and enhance the children's learning.

While the children will be predominantly outdoors they will have access to our outdoor classroom, areas within the nursery and will enjoy their lunch indoors. Our staff will plan and provide a range of fun, stimulating learning experiences. The health and safety of children is very important to us therefore, our staff will carry out daily risk assessments and during different weather conditions.

Please do not hesitate to call the Centre where Sonia or Jenna will be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Sponsored Dance Day

You may remember that we held our Sponsored Dance Day in November. This was a great success which the children, and staff, thoroughly enjoyed.

We are completely overwhelmed and delighted to say that because of your donations we have raised an incredible **£1845.05**. The children and staff at Rainbow Family Centre would like to say a huge "THANK YOU" for your support.

The money raised will help us to make Christmas extra special for the children.

Christmas Craft Day - Wednesday 9th December

To get us all into the Christmas spirit, we will be having a Christmas Craft Day on **Wednesday 9th December**. The children can wear a Christmas jumper if they would like to.

This will be a normal session for all of the children where they will have opportunities to make some Christmas Crafts to take home.

Diary Dates

On **Monday 14th December and Thursday 17th December** we are organising a special (virtual) Christmas surprise for parents. We would appreciate if they children come to nursery with their pyjamas on these days. You can send these to nursery in a bag with your child's name.

On **Wednesday 16th December** we will be having our Christmas Party and a visit from Santa at 10:00 and 1:30pm. Due to COVID-19 we cannot allow parents into the building to see their child receive their gift. However, we will take lots of pictures on the day and are planning a special Christmas surprise for parents.

On **Thursday 17th December** we will be having our Christmas Lunch. The menu has been attached below.

The nursery will close on **Tuesday 22nd December** for the Christmas holidays and re-open on **Wednesday 6th January**.

Inverclyde Primary and Nursery School
Christmas 2020 Lunch menu



Main Meal

Steak Pie with Roast potatoes and seasonal
vegetables

Or

Festive Roast Turkey Sandwich

Dessert

Individual Christmas Ice cream

*vegetarian options available on request



Sonia, Jenna and all of the staff at Rainbow Family Centre would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. We look forward to seeing you all safe and well in the New Year.