



Greengairs Nursery Class

August/September Newsletter



Welcome

It is lovely to be back in nursery after the summer break, staff are all looking forward to beginning our new session with all our lovely families. We would like to extend a warm welcome to all our new children and families. It has been lovely seeing all our returning children back at Greengair's nursery class.

Diary Dates - September

Personal plan meetings

17th Ladybirds

18th Butterflies

19th Bumblebees

27th - 30th Nursery closed September weekend



Meet the Team

Our team are ready to plan, support and work with your children throughout the nursery environment; indoors, garden and in the community.



Alisha Flynn
Keyworker/Butterflies



Kerijane Devan
Keyworker/Bumblebee



Emma McPake
Support worker



Lorna Sheerin
Support worker



Frances Campbell
Equity & Excellence
lead/Ladybirds

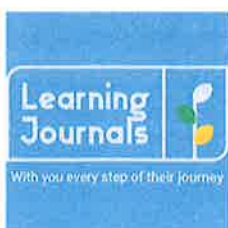
Drop off and pick up times

Nursery door opens AM: 8.45am

Nursery door opens PM: 2:45 pm

Nursery closes at 2.45pm.

Children will always come into nursery for a soft start where they meet friends in other groups and make choices and plan with their friends. Staff will observe and track their interests to support and challenge their learning.



This year will be using Online Learning Journals to track your child's learning. You will receive an email over the next few weeks which will prompt you set up the parental login details. We will send home a parent's guide to navigate the Learning journals, if anyone need has any questions, please don't not hesitate to ask a member of staff. If you already have Learning Journals, please ensure you can access this. Any issues, please speak to a member of staff.

Personal Plan meetings

There will be an appointment sheet available for all parents/carers to add their name with a suitable time to meet with your key-worker. A SHANNARI sheet will be given out prior to this appointment for you to look over, this is regarding your child's Health and Wellbeing targets which will be discussed.

Nursery Donations

The nursery donation bank is situated in the main room for donations to be collected. We ask for a £3 weekly donation to help cover breakfast/snack and any learning children show an interest in.



Nursery focus for August/September – 'All about me'

We follow your child's interest in all learning however, during the month of September, we will be looking at 'All About Me' as a focus for learning and getting to know your child. We will be discussing likes/dislikes, family/pets, and the world around us. If you have not returned your 'All About Me' book, can you please hand this into member of staff. We would love a family photograph to display on our learning wall.

We hope to get out into the community soon and may need parent helpers.

Change of clothes

Our lovely Scottish weather is now beginning to turn damp and wet. Some of our children are not too keen to wear the outdoor suits provided by the nursery, therefore their home clothes can get really dirty and have some children have to be changed more than once. So please check your child's bag to ensure there are enough clothes available to change your child.

Could you please check outdoor wellies? If your child has a pair suitable and if the size has changed.



I am delighted to be working in Greengairs nursery class for the foreseeable future getting to know the children, staff and families of the community.

I will always be around the playroom if you want to stop and chat.

Please feel free to ask me any questions and I will be happy to tell you a wee bit about myself.

We hope everything goes well for Gillian and her family, I'm sure she is be missed by all at Greengairs nursery class and we look forward to her getting back to join us.

Francis Campbell

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