

Educational Services

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Dear Parent/Carer,

We have planned opportunities across the year to share our learning and experiences, and to report to parents and carers.

Stay and Play Sessions

Please see details below of our planned Stay and Play sessions. Further information will be sent out regarding these.

Date	Time	Venue
Wednesday 27 th September	10:00-11:15am	Alloway Parish Church Halls
Wednesday 20 th December	10:00-11:15am	Alloway Parish Church Halls
Wednesday 31 st January	3:00-4:00pm	Alloway Early Years Centre
Wednesday 6 th March	10:00-11:15am	Alloway Parish Church Halls
Thursday 30 th May	5:00-6:00pm	Alloway Early Years Centre
Wednesday 26 th June	10:00-11:15am	Alloway Parish Church Halls

Curricular Evening – Learning Showcase – 12th October 6-7.30pm

We would love to invite all parents and carers from EYC - P7 along to our Learning Showcase. We will be set up in the school hall. There will be a short presentation about South Ayrshire Reads. This is an exciting new authority project that all schools in South Ayrshire are part of. After the presentation parents and carers will have the opportunity to visit various different stalls set up across the hall. All class teachers will set up a table showcasing learning at that stage. We also have tables set up with our colleagues from other agencies, such as Gillian our librarian, our Speech and Language Therapist, our authority nurture team, ASD support team, campus cop, family learning team, Young Carers and South Ayrshire Reads team. We aim to showcase not only the opportunities within our school but within our wider school community. Our Parent Council will also be on hand with tea, coffee and biscuits as well as being available to talk about the work of the Parent Council. This will be a super informal opportunity to talk to staff and see what learning takes place across the school. We would encourage all parents to attend. Please complete this form to indicate if you are coming for catering purposes. <https://forms.office.com/e/19sBudBvLs>

Care Plan Appointments

Parents in the EYC will be offered care plan appointments at intervals throughout the year. Please see details of this below. Care Plan appointments are booked through the sign-up system in the EYC foyer. More information will be sent out prior to each Care Plan Appointment week.

Care Plan Appointment Week (1)	Week beginning Monday 11 th September 2023	3pm-4pm
Care Plan Appointment Week (2)	Week beginning Monday 11 th December 2023	3pm-4pm
Care Plan Appointment Week (3)	Week beginning Monday 17 th March 2024	3pm-4pm
Care Plan Evaluations	Week beginning Monday 3 rd June 2024	TBC

Reporting to parents

A formal report will be sent to all pre-school parents on Thursday 23rd May 2024.

Children on Staged Intervention

Where additional support needs are identified, children in our EYC are supported with Staged Intervention paperwork which identifies specific targets for children to work on. Paperwork will be shared with parents in September and February with targets being evaluated in June. Some children will also have either annual reviews or Team Around the Family meetings. The Staged Intervention process is being reviewed by South Ayrshire Council so we will be in touch regarding any changes to our policy. Mrs Gilmour will be working alongside keyworkers to set September targets soon, and will be sharing these with parents.

Communications and Profiles

More information about our Learning Journal app, which will replace Seesaw, will be with you shortly. I know you will be missing seeing the pictures of what your child is getting up to in the EYC. Once we have Learning Journals in place, we will be able to begin sending this information digitally to you again. You will receive a permission letter and when you do we would encourage you to return this as soon as possible. We want to work very closely with our families and welcome you into school for all these opportunities.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lauren Miller".

Lauren Miller
Depute Head Teacher