



Welcome Back

We hope you have enjoyed the lovely Easter Break, it was nice to see some sunshine finally! This half term we have our annual trip to look forward to on the 23rd May to Hadleigh Farm. Please see the letters coming out asap.

We are pleased to announce the arrival of baby Zoe Louise Rae Deadman, Sophie and baby are both doing well and im sure you will see Sophie and Zoe at preschool.

Our Themes

Please check out our notice board by the front gate as this is updated with our weekly themes, please feel free to let your child bring in anything relating to these themes for show and tell.



Towels

A number of children do not have their own towel, please can you ensure that they bring a small hand towel in with their name on it, this is part of their development as they match belongings to their name. Also dont forget to take the towels home each week to wash.

Snack Money

Please remember to bring your 20p to every morning session and encourage your child to put it in the money box (little house) located in front desk. This contribution helps us to provide a wide range of snack options for the children. Please note snack is only available to children who attend a morning session.

Attendance

We have a duty of care to your children and want to make sure they are safe, so if for any reason your child cannot attend preschool please let us know via text, phone, email or staff member. If we are not informed we will try to contact you initially via text message to check their whereabouts.

Please note

As we work on school Readiness this term please provide your child with a simple PE kit of a t-shirt and shorts. Also ensure that your childs bag contains a sun hat and sun cream (named).



Volunteers

Do you or someone you know have a special talent you would like to share with the children at preschool. Can you play an instrument or fancy reading a group story? Please let us know and we would love for you to come and share this talent with the children. Or if you have a passion for arts and crafts and would like to spend an hour helping the children in preschool, we are always looking for volunteers to help out.

Committee

We are always looking for parents to join our enthusiastic committee group. We usually meet once a term, if you would like to join our committee then please let us know, we would love to have you!



Healthy Lunch Boxes

We do like to promote healthy eating, not only because it helps to grow strong healthy children, but the right foods help their concentration and interaction. So please try to avoid too much sugar in their lunch boxes, instead of a chocolate cake or chocolate bar perhaps raisins or an orange, you may find it will save you a few pence aswell!

Family Board

If you have a photo of your family then please bring it in so we can add it to our family board. We often use the pictures to help your little ones settle as we can talk about where the picture was taken and who is in it.

Our Website

Remember to check our website www.thehullbridgepreschool.co.uk Also please join our facebook page as we regularly post updates.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Terry, Gracie-Mae, Skyla-Mae, Harley, Jacob, Ella, Aidan, Archie, Oscar, May

Tapestry

Dont forget to let us know what you and your little ones have been getting up to, if you are unsure how to add things to your Tapestry account then please see Donna.



Children's Belongings

Please ensure that all your childs belongings are clearly named. This includes clothes, footwear, towel, lunchbox and drinks bottle. There is a lost property box in the coat area, this will be emptied every two weeks. All unclaimed items, will be put into the clothes bank. If possible please try to ensure your children's shoes are slip ons or velcro. This helps the children with their self care and independence. Please dont forget that children need indoor and outdoor shoes aswell as coats and a set of spare clothes as we always go outside!

Lunch Club

For children that are funded the council have advised that the donation should not go through the invoice system. Unfortunately this means more paperwork however we are able to email the suggested donation so instead of an invoice you will receive an email! Please note without the lunch club donations we are unable to make our lunch an interactive, role modelling session as staff would not be able to sit with the children but only supervise.

Dates for the Diary

- Hadleigh Trip - 23/5/16
- Sports Day - 10/6/16
- Family Photos - 27/6/16
- Graduation Party - 15/7/16

Term Dates

Last day of this half Term is **Friday 27th May**
Return back to Pre-school on Monday 6th June. Thank You
Donna, Sam H, Shirley, Karen, Sophie, Louise, Maria, Sam T, Beth, Kristy &