

Ghanshyam Nursery School

'laying the foundations for life'

We strive to provide the highest quality childcare facilities and personnel for the social, personal, cultural and religious advancement of the child

June Newsletter

Bluebell Room



We will be learning about fruits and vegetables. We will be doing a variety of activities, such as fruit cutting, fruit and vegetable printing. We will also be visiting the fruit and vegetable shop.

Parent partnership -Talk to your children and let them taste different fruits and vegetables and talk to them about healthy and not healthy foods when going shopping with them.

Tulip Room



We will learning about zoo animals and characteristics and habitats of zoo animals. We will be using flashcards and different types of materials for mark making and introducing animal sounds.

<u>Parent partnership</u> — Please speak to your children about zoo animals and take them a Zoo and send your pictures to us.

Sunflower Room 1

We will be learning about growing vegetables and fruits and understand how certain fruits grow. We will also be talking about the importance of these in our diet as well as comparing them.

<u>Parent Partnership:</u> When out and about, talk about the different transport that you see on the road and how we use them.

Sunflower Room 2

This month we will continue to learn about planet earth. We will also be preparing the children for school. We will be talking to them about their school and their feelings about big school. Children will be doing P.E. lessons once a week to get them used to dressing and undressing themselves

Parent Partnership: To bring in a P.E. kit with top, joggers



Parent partnership - Thank you to all the parents that have sent in pictures about what you have been doing with your child. The children have enjoyed talking about their experiences.

Free training

Paediatric first aid refresher

The nursery's online training provider is providing free training for parents. This course will give you the knowledge and confidence to deal with any emergency that might affect your child. This course can be taken anytime at your own leisure. If you are interested please let me know (Ushma).

Inset days 2022

Friday 10th June

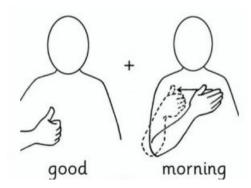
Friday 12th August

Thursday 27th October



Makaton of the month:

We are introducing Makaton for all the children and staff to learn to communicate in a different form. This month we will be starting with "good morning"



Emergency contacts:

May I remind all parents to ensure that you are providing the nursery with the correct contact numbers and names for all adults who can pick up your child in an emergency. We are unable to send the children home with anyone that you have not authorised us to do so.

Children's Spare Clothes

Can parents please make sure that they are checking their children's bags regularly and topping up with spare clothes.

Sun creams & Sun Hats

With summer approaching and the weather getting warmer, please ensure that you apply sun cream to your child and provide a sun hat. Please ensure that the sun cream is Factor 30+, hypoallergenic, waterproof and nut free. 24 hours creams are now available. Please ensure that the sun hat is labelled with your child's name.

Children Leaving

If your child is leaving this year, please remember to provide in writing at least one month's notice.



The policy of the month is:

Outings policy (Please see attached sheet)

Health & Safety— Parking

A reminder to all parents/carers <u>not to</u> park or wait on the Disabled Bays at the front of the temple premises at any time.

Parents/carers should use the main car park at the rear when dropping off and picking up their children. The cars parked at the front reverse out and it is often very difficult for the driver to see the children and the elderly

Staff retention

We wish to inform you that Angela has decided to stay with us and will continue to work in Sunflower room.

Thank you to all the parents in supporting me whilst I settle at the nursery. It's been a pleasure knowing you and your child.

Nursery Contact

Please can all parents ensure they have the nursery mobile number stored in their phone

The number is 07722574698.020 8909 9389 opt 1

All emails to the nursery should go to enquiries.gns@sksst.org



Children's outing policy

8.3 Supervision of children on outings and visits

Policy statement

Children benefit from being taken outside of the premises on visits or trips to local parks, or other suitable venues, for activities which enhance their learning experiences. We ensure that there are procedures to keep children safe on outings; all staff volunteers are aware of and follow the procedures as laid out below.

Children are taken to the Temple on a weekly basis also

Procedures

We ask parents to sign a general consent on registration for their children to be taken out on local short outings as a part of the daily activities of the setting. This general consent details the venues used for daily activities. This also included local trips that may include a short bus ride.

- We assess the risks for each local venue used for daily activities, which is reviewed regularly.
- We always ask parents to sign specific consent forms before major outings; and the risks are assessed before the outing takes place.
- Any written outing risk assessments are made available for parents to see.
- Our adult to child ratio is high, normally one adult to two children, depending on their age, sensibility and the type of venue, as well as how it is to be reached.
- A minimum of two staff accompany children on outings. Unless the whole setting is on an outing, a minimum of two staff also remain behind with the rest of the children. A manager or room leader must be present on a trip at all times and the nursery mobile phone must be taken and not staffs personal phones.
- Named children are assigned to individual staff member to ensure that each child is well supervised, that no child goes astray and that there is no unauthorised access to children. We ensure that all children on the outing are well supervised, that no child goes astray and that there is no unauthorised access to children.
- An outing risk assessment sheets is completed and staff ensure all emergency items are taken with them. e.g. first aid box

Parents who accompany us on outings are responsible for their own child only. Where parents have undergone vetting with us as volunteers, they may be included in the adults to child ratio and have children allocated to them.

Outings are recorded in an outings record sheet kept in the setting, stating:

The date and time of the outing.

The venue and mode of transport used.

The names of the staff members assigned to each of the children.

The time of return.

We take a mobile phone on outings, as well as supplies of tissues, wipes, spare clothing and nappies, medicines required for individual children, a mini first aid kit, snacks and water. The amount of equipment will vary and be consistent with the venue and the number of children, as well as how long they will be out for. We apply sun cream to children as needed and ensure they are dressed appropriately for the type of outing and weather conditions.

We take a list of children with us with contact numbers of parents/carers, as well as accident forms, medication forms and a copy of our Missing Child Policy.

We provide children to wear uniform and must wear jacket with badges that contain the name and setting telephone number – but not the name of the child.

Records are kept of the vehicles used to transport children, with named drivers and appropriate insurance cover.

We ensure that seat belts are worn whilst travelling in vehicles and that booster seats and child safety seats are used as appropriate to the age of the child.

As a precaution, we ensure that children do not eat when travelling in vehicles.

We ensure that contracted drivers are from reputable companies, do not have unsupervised access to the children and are not included in the ratios.

June Events

Wednesday 1st June - Queen's Jubilee Tea Party - dress up as

Royals - if arriving before 4pm, please collect your child from Ghanshyam Hall.

Week commencing 6th - 12th June -World Heart Rhythm Week



Thursday 9th - Gullivers Trip (more information to follow)



Friday 10th - INSET DAY - the nursery will be closed



Friday 17th June - Fathers day from 1.30pm - come dressed in Sports wear

