

Welcome to our 'Cherubs Weekly Chatterbox'! A weekly publication to keep you up to date on all that is happening at Cherubs and CAWS.

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Key Dates:

February Half Term -
18th - 22nd February

Booking in Half Term

If your child receives funded hours at our Pre-School Learning Zone or attends CAWS, could you please let Laura S or Laura H know if you would like them to attend holiday care in the February Half Term.

Contact Details

Here is a current list of contact details for Cherubs and CAWS if you have any queries:

Telephone: 01993 832773

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For billing and initial place enquiries please contact Linda at
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For after care and school holiday care enquiries please contact Carol at
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Hello and Welcome Back!

Firstly, Linda and all of the team would like to say a Happy New Year and welcome back to Cherubs. We hope you all had a restful and enjoyable break, over the Christmas and the New Year period.

Baby Room

Welcome back to all of our little ones in the Baby Room!

Next week in the Baby Room we will be starting a new topic of 'The Zoo' where we will be working on artwork for an exciting new display. Our focus book for the week will be Buster's Zoo and we will be playing with toy animals as well as practising our animal noises!

Pooh Bear Room

Welcome back to all of our toddlers in the Pooh Bear Room!

Next week we will be continuing our Winter topic to match the chilly weather that is happening at the moment. We have a lovely winter display we are working on, complete with cheeky penguins! We will be looking at things that are cold and also doing ice play.

On the note of chilly weather could we please ask that you bring in a coat, hat, scarf and gloves when your child comes to Cherubs, as the children love going outside in the garden, even in the wintery weather.

Pre-School Learning Zone

Welcome back to the Pre-School Learning Zone!



We are back to phonics and our letter for next week is 'k'. This will be written to the rhyme 'down the kangaroo's body, tail and leg'. With this phonic in mind, could your child please bring in something beginning with the letter 'k', for our show and tell next week. Could we request that no other toys other than phonic related ones, come in from home. Our phonic show and tell objects are kept in a safe place, whereas other toys may get lost, which can be very upsetting for the children.

To encourage the children to try new fruits and vegetables, we have a communal fruit and veg bowl and welcome any contributions to this. We have found this resource a really valuable experience for the children, enabling them to shop, share and try. We thank you in advance for your contributions.

CAWS

Welcome back to school and CAWS!

This term we are trialling a new 'afternoon snack system', which gives the children much more choice on what they would like as a snack at CAWS. This differs from our previous 'set menu/sit-down' approach, by offering the children several choices of lighter snacks to combine. We are taking feedback from the children on their favourite choices and if successful will become a permanent change. The 'afternoon snack system' will run from 3:15pm to 4:45pm, so the children have flexibility on when they would like to eat.

As a CAWS general reminder, if you are picking your child up from school and won't be needing CAWS on a day you have booked, could you please let Carol or one of the CAWS team know before taking your child home from school? Many thanks in advance for your cooperation with this.

Door Entry System

As a reminder and for the safety of your children, could we please request that you do not let anyone into the building who you do not know, when you're arriving or leaving. Many thanks for your cooperation with this.