

A Few Reminders:

Weather

We would like to remind parents with the changes in weather to ensure your child is dressed appropriately. Waterproof coats and wellies, with hats and gloves would be great. Please bring plenty of spare clothes especially those who are toilet training and ensure babies have shoes once walking.

Lost property

could parents check their child's locker and peg to ensure there are no coats, cardigans, hats, gloves etc left behind. We would like to ask parents to put names in their children's clothing so they are easily identifiable.

Nappies wipes and spare clothes

Can we please remind all parents to supply their child with nappies and wipes, plus spare clothes especially if your child is toilet training.

Session times

Can we remind parents that you must collect your child on time; we cannot keep your child beyond their allocated time as other children are waiting to start their session. If you are late on more than one occasion you will be charged a late fee of £10.

Dates for your diary:

- SPRING HALF TERM - for term time only children – break up Friday 14th February– return Monday 24th February.
- WORLD BOOK DAY – 5th March 2020 – your child can come to Childcare as their favourite story book character or with their most loved book.
- EASTER– CHILDCARE WILL BE CLOSED - Friday 10th April and Monday 13th April.
- EASTER HOLIDAY – for term time only children – break up Friday 3rd April return Monday 20th April.
- MAY BANK HOLIDAY – Friday 8th May 2020 and Monday 25th May 2020 – CHILDCARE WILL BE CLOSED
- SUMMER HALF TERM – for term time only children – break up Friday 22nd May – return Tuesday 2nd June.
- SUMMER HOLIDAY – for term time only children – break up Friday 17th July2020 – return 3rd September 2020

We would like to thank all parents for their continuous support 😊

Hannah [Manager] and all the childcare team

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Noah playing peek-a-boo in the Baby Room

Dear Parents/Grandparents

Happy New Year to all of our parents/Carer's, and welcome back to another fun filled year here at Wingate.

We have a lot of new children beginning their journey with us this term, we would like to welcome you to our Wingate Family.

This term we will be exploring the changes in weather as we welcome in the Spring. The children will be planting seeds and watching the flowers grow alongside many more exciting opportunities.

Staff

As many of you know Hannah and Ellie will be leaving soon to have their babies, Hannah's last day will be the 10th February and Ellie will be leaving towards the end of March. We are all very excited to meet their two baby boys! Whilst they are on maternity leave we will be welcoming Courtney and Ella to our team. Your child's key person will inform you of any changes to the room or key group.

Questionnaire Feedback

The happiness of you and your child is crucial to our success, we would like to thank everyone who has completed and returned their questionnaires. These have been shared with the whole team and it has helped us to further improve.

Stay and Play Sessions

We will be arranging a stay and play session for both rooms soon, if you have any ideas or suggestions please speak to your key person.

**Professional development days for the rest of the academic year –
these days are staff training days and Childcare will be CLOSED**

Friday 13th March 2020

Monday 1st June 2020

The Baby Room

The babies have shown a huge interest in creating marks. They have focussed on their own movements and creating marks in sand, paint and glue.



The Pre-School Room –

The Pre-School room have had so much fun exploring the woods and allotment. The children have found a fallen tree in the woods, which has sparked conversation and exploration between them. We have also settled our new children in to their new environment.