

Parents' Newsletter



Summer Term 2

Asalam Alaikum / Peace be upon you all,

We pray you had a lovely break, and we are very happy to see you all back in the nursery.

Parent's Meeting



Establishing a partnership with our parents is vital to helping our children reach their full potential.

There are large gaps seen between children entering school from lower income families or families who don't engage in their child's education, and those from higher earners or families with a proactive involvement. We want to close this gap so that our children are in no way disadvantaged, regardless of their parents' circumstances. We believe this can be done through a successful partnership between parents and the nursery. Parents Meeting will be held online via Zoom. Please speak to your child's key person to book an appointment slot on the day allocated to your child's room. Parent meetings will be commencing week beginning 1st July.

Arabic Madrassa

If your child has turned 4 years old and you are interested in applying for your child to attend the Arabic Madrassa, registration is now open. For more information please email: arabicmadrassa@happychildreennursery.com

Lost Property

The lost property basket will be emptied towards the end of this term if your child is missing any pieces of clothing please check and remove. Any items of clothing left in basket, will either be donated to charity or disposed of by 3rd July.



Weather



As the weather is starting to get hotter, can we please remind you to put sun lotion on your child or send some in their bag.

Increase in Fee

We want to notify all parents paying fee's that there will be an increase in fee's from September 2024. 2 Year old: £45.50 and 3 year old: £44.50.



Communication Champion

Welcome to our first communication champion section in our newsletter. Recently we have appointed one of our practitioners as our 'communication champion'. Here you will find information and guidance to support your child with their communication and language development in the early years.

You can find some quick and easy ways to help you child here...

Toddlers

You can help your child by...

- Sharing stories together
- Singing songs when you're getting your child dressed or changing their nappy
- Holding your toddler's hands to help them make the actions as you sing songs
- Talking about the sounds you can hear all around
- Playing games where your child must follow instructions like "roll the ball" or "throw the ball"

Two year olds

You can help your child by...

- Using sock puppets, toy people or animals when you're sharing stories or songs
- When you are making a sandwich together, talk about what you are doing
- Joining your child in their play, talking about what you are doing and what things are called

Three and four year olds

You can help your child by...

- Playing listening games like "Simon Says..." or "Ready, Steady, Go"
- Making up silly sentences where each word begins with the same sound at the start of your child's name
- Talking about things you have done together and what you might do later
- When you're tidying up give your child simple instructions like "Put your shoes in the basket"

For more activities and online support, you can visit:

<https://hungrylittleminds.campaign.gov.uk/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people>

<https://www.thecommunicationtrust.org.uk/>



Parent Evaluation

Parents are a child's most important educators of their child; therefore, we strive to work in partnership with parents to promote the learning and development of all children.

Parents views and concerns are central to our work in developing our service and in evaluating 'what works'. Therefore, may we please request that all parents complete the **evaluation form using the link below**. This allows us to see where our strengths lie and highlights the areas in which we need to improve. This will allow us to enhance the experiences of our children and their parents/carers. If you need any support in completing the evaluation, please feel free to get in touch.

If you would like to use the **QR Code**, please scan below or otherwise use the link.



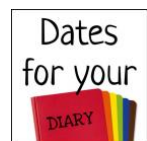
Link Below for Parental evaluation:

<https://forms.office.com/e/50ba2TM8cG>

Thank you for taking the time to read our newsletter. If you ever have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to talk to us.

From all the staff at Happy Children Nursery

Dates for your Diary



Eid Al-Adha closure- Monday 17th June (subject to change due to moon sighting).

Parents Meetings: week commencing 1st July

Summer Holiday closed 19th July 2024 and reopen 4th September 2024

