



Little Blossoms Newsletter

Welcome to the Winter edition of Little Blossoms newsletter.



Ofsted

On the 31st October 2019 we had our first Ofsted inspection, and I am so proud to announce we are graded as a

GOOD nursery.

After 8 months of being open, the team and I are ecstatic with this achievement, and thank you for the ongoing support. Please ask the office for a copy of the report or follow the link below:

<https://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/provider/16/2521146>

Little Blossoms Team

We have recently had some changes to our team, due to our increase of children, and would like to give them a warm welcome to these members of our team.

Little Buds Room

Jenny Early years practitioner

* Will be coming out of her room from January, to be our training coordinator.

Rebecca B Early years practitioner

Little Climbers Room

Natasha Early years practitioner

Katy Apprentice early year's practitioner

Little Flowers

Courtney Early years practitioner

*Jennifer will be going on maternity leave from the 29th November

Dates of your Diary

Term Dates

Non funded dates –
Week commencing 16th December 2019
Week commencing 23rd December 2019
Week commencing 30th December 2019

If you wish your child to attend during this period that currently are not booked to please discuss with Leanne or Lisa.

Christmas Closure:

Tuesday 24th December - Open 8.00am-3.00pm

Christmas Day, Wednesday 25th December – Closed – Bank Holiday

Boxing Day, Thursday 26th December – Closed – Bank Holiday

Friday 27th December - Closed

Monday 30th December - Closed

Tuesday 31st December - Closed

New Year's Day, Wednesday 1st January – Closed – Bank Holiday

Thursday 2nd January - Open as usual

Themes

Each month in nursery we will be concentrating on specific themes and significant events, where the children will take part in a range of activities

December – Christmas

January - All about me/Winter

February-Plants & Flowers/Chinese New Year/Valentine's day

Activities

Please talk to the practitioners in your child's room to find out the exciting activities that will be available for your child, and how you can share these interests with your child at home.

Parent Feedback

We would really appreciate your feedback. Please can we ask you to leave a review/feedback on the following:

Facebook - @littleblossomsnurseryblackpool

Instagram - littleblossomsnurseryblackpool

Google – Little Blossoms Nursery Blackpool

Exclusion periods

With the Winter weather now setting in, many bugs and germs are present and can easily be passed. Please can we remind you of our exclusion policy, which includes any sickness/diarrhoea does warrant an exclusion of 48 hours before returning to nursery.

Nativity/Christmas Party

The **Nativity!** will take place on Sunday 15th December 2019, at 1.30pm, taking place at JLC Dance, Spen industrial park, Ashworth Road, FY4 5LP.

Following the children's performance, we will be holding our Christmas party from 2.30pm (approximately) until 4.00pm, where there will be party games, food and a visit from Father Christmas.

Each room will be notifying their children of any specific costume requirements.



1st Birthday

Little Blossoms turns 1 on the 4th February 2020, we will inform you in the new year of planned celebrations.

Headlice

We have recently had some cases of headlice in nursery, please can you ensure you regularly check your child's hair and treat as required to prevent from spreading

Facebook

We have recently introduced a Little Blossoms nursery group, which is designed for the families of our children to allow us to share their experiences with you, along with any nursery news. Please request to be added to the group.

Parking

Please can we remind parents when dropping off or collecting your child, please do not park your car over the white lines, as the delivery vans cannot turn around.

Thank you as ever for your support and we wish you a fabulous Christmas & New Year.....

Leanne & the Little Blossoms Team x