



TDDN Newsletter

January 2017



Happy New Year

Please provide warm outdoor clothing (labelled) for your child/ren to wear in the winter months - we do take them out, whatever the weather!

A big THANK YOU to all the parents who attended our Christmas Concert. The children were wonderful and performed brilliantly to such good audiences!

Training Depot Day Nursery endeavours to stay open during snow days. If there is heavy snow and your child is not going to be in, please do telephone the Nursery as soon as possible.



Please could you also make sure that your child has a spare (named) change of clothes at Nursery, especially if your child is toilet training.



Thank you.

Great News!
We have maintained both our 5 star Food Hygiene Rating and our Healthy Smiles accreditation for 2017.



Please Note: Failure to pay your child's fees may result in their place being offered to someone else.

WOW!

Parents – Please remember that if your child does something new at home e.g. counting to 10, or learning to swim, please record these on our WOW moments sheets available in the corridors.

Thank you

Please add us as a friend on Facebook to keep up to date with topics, books and pictures...

<https://www.facebook.com/trainingdepot.daynursery.06>



Dates for your Diary

Half Term Holiday: Monday 13th – Friday 17th February

Family Breakfast: Thursday 16th February 8 – 9:30am

Term Ends on Friday 31st March

Mr David's Message

Every good wish for 2017 to all our parents as well as their families and carers. I trust you all enjoyed the holidays with your children many of whom seemed delighted to be back with their nursery friends, this week.

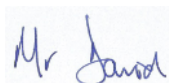
A warm welcome to those children who are joining us this term, we hope they will very soon settle down, make good friends and soon join in the nursery room activities to begin their learning journey with us.

Our flagship programme of 'Signing for Emotions' with many in the Cubs Room is continuing this term. We thank those parents who are helping by supporting the learning at home – and our Practitioners are delighted with the progress of several children who have clearly enjoyed the experience and are quickly learning their signs, often encouraging their friends. We also welcome DanceFlavourz who will be with us almost to our Easter break. The group are extremely popular with the children, parents are most welcome to join their children on those days the group are playing, singing and dancing, at Nursery.

Finally, an important request for help:

Please, parents leaving buggies in our garage, which you are most welcome to use, **always** fold them for storage. Our garage is used by Practitioners regularly throughout the day. Please help them.

NOTE - Our Under 2's Nursery Room has a few places on a Monday or a Friday still available.



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You may have seen the new Change4Life initiative 'Sugarswap' advertised on TV. Please see the attached pages for more information, or search online for Change4Life.

There is a new Be Food Smart app which helps you keep an eye on what your family is eating and drinking. With a simple scan you'll see how much sugar, saturated fat and salt is in your food and drink.



You'll also find hints and tips for healthier choices plus food detective activities for children and fun mini-missions for the whole family.