



Broomlands Primary School

Nursery Newsletter

Term 2 - January 2020

"Play is our brains favorite way of learning"

Staffing

We would like to welcome Mrs Simpson, Early Years Practitioner who will complete our wonderful team here in Broomlands Hub. We would also like to offer a warm welcome to our new children and their families who have started nursery this term.

Fund Raiser

This term we are planning fundraisers to enable us to purchase necessary resources for our Hub. We intend to hold a pyjama day on Friday 31st January when your child can attend nursery in their bedtime clothes or onesie only if they would like to do so. A donation can be made on arrival from all children who wish to take part. It is also our intention to hold a bake sale in February made by the children during the stay and play sessions. In March we will be celebrating World Book Day by inviting parents /carers to come into the setting and read books to the children and in June we are holding a sponsored pedal push followed by an ELC4 graduation. Further details on these events will follow.

Parking

Could **all parents/carers** please note that unless you are in possession of a blue badge the school car park is for teaching staff and visitor use only. These guidelines are in place to protect the safety of our children.

Socks

The team would appreciate any donations of unwanted socks you may have to enable a supply to be build up for changing the children when required.

Stay and Play

In February Stay and Play sessions will commence in the Hub. During these sessions we will share with you our high quality provision within our safe and stimulating environment. These sessions also enable parents/grandparents/carers to join their child in the setting and take part in activities with them. The sessions will last 30 minutes and will take place on the dates below. You can sign up to these sessions by placing your name on the sheet provided at the nursery door.

- 3 February 2020 - 2.30-3pm
- 4 February 2020 - 9-9.30am
- 5 February 2020 - 2.30-3pm
- 6 February 2020 - 9-9.30am
- 7 February 2020 - 11-11.30am

Visits to Murray House

We will be joining the residents in groups of 12 at Murray House with the Boogie Beat Music and Movement Team on the following dates.

Tuesday 4th February 2:30 - 3pm

Tuesday 10th March 2:30 - 3pm

Tuesday 28th April 2:30 - 3pm

If you require any further information please visit

www.facebook.com/BoogieBeatScottishBorders

Attendance

As we are now preparing the children who are moving up into P1 for a smooth transition, it is vital that they are present for the start of the session to enable them to participate in all daily routines. Please also remember that if your child is unwell and unable to attend nursery that you let us know. You can now contact us on

kelsonurseryhub@scotborders.gov.uk

PE kit

Following the half term holiday all children will require PE kit for their gym session on a Thursday. This should consist of a tee shirt and pair of shorts which should be labelled and kept in your child's tray. This is to encourage independence and we thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Personal possessions

Could we please ask that you discourage your child from bringing their own toys into Nursery. If the toys become lost or broken this can be very upsetting for the child. If this cannot be avoided your child will be asked to put their toy into Mrs Andersons special bag to keep them safe.

Communication

Now and then we will be putting questions out to help us improve our practice. Please feel free to comment and share your thoughts with us.

Dates for your diary

24 January - P1 class assembly

29 January - Achievement assembly

14 February - in-service day

17 February - HOLIDAY

18 February - HOLIDAY

19 February - HOLIDAY

(Nursery will be open for pupils using the 50 week service on all of the above dates).

18 March - Achievement assembly

6 May - Achievement assembly

Thank you for your continuing support.

Kind Regards

Mrs Anderson, SEYO

