

# **Ightenhill Nursery School Newsletter**

19<sup>th</sup> September 2025

### Messages

#### Drop off and pick up times:

At the end of the day we open the gate from 3:20pm to allow parents with children at school more time to collect both children. If you require an earlier collection than this, we do a 3pm pick up. If you would like to be added to the 3pm pick up list, please advise the office.

#### **Contact Details**

If your contact details have changed, please inform the school office.

#### **Owl Visit**



On Wednesday the children had a wonderful time learning all about owls.

Photo's have been uploaded on to Tapestry.

#### **Absence Reporting**

As we wish Miss Grace all the best in her new role, please could parents wishing to email nursery to report an absence do so on the office email:

#### office@ightenhill-nur.lancs.sch.uk

or alternatively call the office on 01282 427154.

Thank you



### **Nut Free Nursery**



We have a child starting with a nut allergy. The following items should not be brought into nursery:

- Packs of nuts
- Peanut butter or Nutella sandwiches
- Fruit and cereal bars that contain nuts.
- Chocolate bars or sweets that contain nuts
- Sesame seed rolls (children allergic to nuts may also have a severe reaction to sesame)
- Cakes made with nuts
- Any home cooked meals for packed lunches that are made from nuts

This list is not exhaustive, so please check the packaging of products closely. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

Please ensure that your child does not bring food

containing nuts, thank you.



#### **Tapestry**

Please upload photos onto Tapestry for your child to share with their key person group. The children enjoy talking about what they have been doing at home and the photographs prompt their memory. It doesn't have to be an outing or an event, it can be anything that your child enjoys doing, something new they have learnt or something you are proud of etc. We also use the information to plan activities based on the

children's interests and to follow their lines of enquiry during play.



#### **SNACK MONEY**

We kindly ask for a contribution towards snacks. £2 week for 15 hour places and £3 per week for 30 hour places.

If you would like to pay for the half term, the amounts are:

Am or pm session only places: £14

30 hours places: £21

If you would like to do a bank transfer the details are below:

Ightenhill Nursery School Sort Code: 40-15-17 Account Number: 41031333

Please reference your child's name.





#### RAINBOW ROOM

This week in the Rainbow Room we have been learning all about owls, following our focus story 'Owl Babies'. The children all enjoyed the owl visit this week.

We have started to explore 2D shapes in maths group by competing inset puzzles.

We have been playing musical instruments, finding out how to make noises through tapping, blowing, and shaking.

Please could we remind parents that children are required to bring spare clothes to nursery, including socks.



#### **Mission Statement**

The focus of the school community at Ightenhill Nursery is to nurture each child in a happy and secure environment, encouraging them to develop and learn and to meet their full potential whilst having fun.

We nurture, we learn, we grow!

#### SUNFLOWER ROOM

This week in the Sunflower room we have been busy learning about owls. We enjoyed the owls visiting us on Wednesday and found out lots of interesting facts about them during the visit. This week has marked thee start of our art project, looking at `concentric circles' by the artist Wassily Kandinski.

In forest school the children have concentrated hard using a hand drill for the first time to help make conker spiders.

Please encourage your children to talk at home about what they have found out about owls this week.







### **Oral Health**

Within the EYFS there is a big focus on promoting oral health. Why oral health is included in the EYFS:

This has been included because good oral health habits need to be formed from the earliest age. Tooth decay is largely preventable, but it's still a

serious problem among young children.

Nearly a quarter of 5 year olds in England have tooth decay, with 3 or 4 teeth affected on average.

# THE MAKATON SIGN OF THE WEEK IS:





Oral Health

An Important Part of
a Child's Wellness



This week's attendance winner

**BUTTERFLIES!** 

97%















Headteacher Mrs Daniels-Green Number for the school office- 01282 427154





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