

## General Information:

Welcome to the 2<sup>nd</sup> week back of term.

Due to the high temperatures at present, can we please remind you to make sure you provide your child/ren with sun hats as well as sun cream to keep them safe.

Can we please also ask for some welly boots which can remain at the setting, so that the children can access the outside messy play as often as they wish.

## Cooked food menu this week is: Menu one

Please be aware cooked food is ordered each fortnight. Any <u>new</u> cooked meal requests are required by Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September to take effect from Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

## Learning Lounge: booster classes for all children

An information sheet is being issued for all children in the Pre-School room regarding the classes your child/ren is attending, so that you can keep abreast of each week's activity. If you have not been handed your sheet, please just ask.

Letters & Sounds Pre School Room (Which instrument) – To develop general sound discrimination

This activity uses two identical sets of instruments. Staff give the children the opportunity to play one set to introduce the sounds each instrument makes and name them all. Then one child goes behind a screen and chooses one instrument from the identical set to play. The other children have to identify which instrument is being played.

**Blast for all three year olds** – an interactive program designed to improve listening and speaking skills.

Week 2 (Single action words. Add a phrase & action phrase) – Focusing on following directions from an adult e.g. Alex clap, Jane wave.

**Social skills for all two year olds - Week 2** - Feeling Safe - To know the rules of the setting, which are:

- We are kind
- We share
- We have listening ears
- We have walking feet

Individual Education plans (IEP's) - child specific

## Topic for term 1: All about me

This week's topic - Where I live and our community

Festival - Make a hat day 15/9/21

Focus activities baby room - Walk around and visiting features of our community

Focus activities toddler's room - Walk around and visiting features of our community

Focus activities Pre School room - Walk around and visiting features of our community

Show and play - Pictures of where I live & visit such as dentist, food shop and favourite park

Toddler talk - Eye contact

Baby Babble - Making music