



"We Learn to Be Wise"

Aberlady Nursery News

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Dear Parent/Carer

As we come to the end of term 2 we would like to say a big thank you to Miss Ness for all her hard work and contribution to the nursery since January and we wish her all the best in her future jobs. We will be welcoming back Mrs Hall after the Easter Holidays and look forward to hearing all about her travels.

A photograph showing three children in winter coats (red, blue, and blue) standing outdoors near a brick wall. They appear to be engaged in a planting activity, with one child pointing towards a potted plant.	<p>Our Learning...</p> <p>We have been exploring the season spring through songs, planting, art and books. The nursery went a walk around the school grounds to find signs of spring and used the camera to record their findings. The children have also enjoyed making spring art using different media.</p>
A graphic featuring a white hand with the index finger pointing up, next to a yellow smiley face. The text "Don't FORGET!" is written in red and black above the smiley face.	<p>Parent drop-in/Information Evening</p> <p>A reminder that the nursery will be holding 2 drop-in/information evenings on Monday 1st April and Wednesday 3rd April at 4:15-5:00pm. This will be an opportunity to speak to the nursery team about your child and their learning. The team will also provide information about 'readiness for primary 1' and the importance of developing fine motor skills.</p>
A close-up photograph of a brown stick insect resting on a large green leaf. The insect's body is long and thin, resembling a twig.	<p>Stick Insects</p> <p>Our stick insects are looking for a home over the Easter holidays. The stick insects like to eat privet hedge leaves. If you are interested in caring for our stick insects over the holidays then please speak to a member of the nursery team. Thank you,</p>

	<p>Daily Mile</p> <p>The primary 5/6's are joining the nursery for 'Daily Mile' where the children will pair up with a P5/6 to run or walk around the school. This is a great way to encourage our children to be healthy and active and is also part of our nursery to Primary 1 transition.</p> <p>This will take place with the afternoon children on a Monday and the Morning children on a Tuesday.</p>
	<p>Junk!</p> <p>Our children love junk modelling and subsequently we are running low on gluing materials. If you are able to, we would be very grateful for donations of items in your recycling, e.g. cereal boxes, kitchen roll tubes, egg cartons etc.</p>
	<p>Wonderful Wednesday's</p> <p>The morning children participated in a Wonderful Wednesday and a Terrific Tuesday last month. The themes were symmetry and Spring and some of the activities included planting sunflower seeds, painting symmetrical pictures and responding to spring music. Photographs of these are uploaded to our Twitter account.</p>
	<p>Easter Holidays</p> <p>The nursery will break up on Friday 5th April and will return on Tuesday 23rd April. We hope everyone enjoys the Easter Holidays and we look forward to seeing everyone and welcoming new families to the nursery in the new term.</p>