



Cockenzie Nursery News

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Welcome back to all of our returning families and a huge welcome to all of our families who have joined us this session.

This term we are pleased to have been joined by Julia McKendrick and Suzanne Willison. Sadly, we said goodbye to Alexandra Ness and Rowan Banks this term. We wish them both the best of luck in their future posts.

The nursery team were thrilled to be able to open our doors again to all of our families in line with the guidance published for Early Learning and Childcare settings. A copy of this guidance can be found at <https://www.gov.scot/publications/coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-on-reopening-early-learning-and-childcare-services/>

For those families who are returning this year to the nursery you will be aware of some of the changes that we have been made to ensure that we are compliant with the guidance. We review our compliancy on a daily basis and amend our practice as needed. We appreciate the support from our families throughout this time.

As a team we are all so proud of all of the children as they have settled into nursery life and everyone has commented on how happy all of the children appear to be being back.

As always, if you ever have any concerns then please feel free to speak to your child's Key Worker, Mrs Pollard (Senior Early Years Practitioner) or myself at any time.

Kind regards,

Natasha O'Connor
Deputy Head Teacher



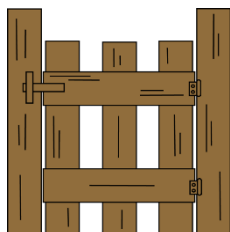
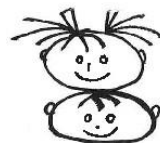
Nursery Blog

Remember to follow the nursery blog on www.edubuzz.org/cockenzienuresery



Dates for the Diary

- School is **closed** Friday 18th and Monday 21st September.
- Term ends on Friday 16th October with children returning on Tuesday 27th October.



Nursery Gate

Thank you to all of our families for supporting us in reducing the number of adults entering and leaving the nursery garden by using the entrance gate and exit gate. If there is someone new collecting your child please make them aware of the system we currently have in place for drop off and collection. The nursery gate system and the staggered drop off and collection time helps us to reduce the number of adults entering and exiting the nursery garden.

Groups	Drop Off	Lunch Time/ Friday Pick Up	End of Day Pick Up
Red Group Orange Group	8.30am	12.15pm	2.55pm
Blue Group Purple Group Yellow Group	8.40am	12.25pm	3.05pm



Lunch Orders

A huge thank you to all of our parents/carers who have been ordering their lunches in advance in the mornings. It has made a huge difference to the organisation of lunches. If you are not yet ordering in advance we do ask that you take the time log in and order so we know what your child is to eat.



Nut Free School

Please can I remind parents/carers that we are a nut free school. We do have some children in the school with severe nut allergies. Therefore, please can you make sure that you do not include any nut products in your child's lunch. This includes chocolate spreads like Nutella. Thank you for your support.



Sunblock

Unfortunately we have not had a particularly sunny August however please can all parents/carers make sure that there is labelled sunblock in your child's bag. A copy of the policy we need returned is attached.



Finally, a few reminders...

- If you have water proofs such as welly boots please feel free to send them in to nursery labelled and in a labelled bag.
- Keep labelling all of your child's belongings so that we can make sure everything is returned to the home that it belongs to.