



Newsletter

Autumn 2020

A very warm welcome back to all the children and their families, especially to our new children who have all settled in well.

We have been very busy at Pre-School since reopening. All the children have settled well. We have been on Autumn walks, painting autumn objects, we have been busy in the mud kitchen and with the construction toys, making bread and learning about The Little Red Hen story.

Meet the team!

Please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff if you have any questions, worries or concerns.



Rachel Blood



Amanda Moores



Angelina Noone



Gemma Peacock



Rukaya Mottershead



Shelley Brennan



REMINDER: Please would you drop off and collect your child on time. The morning session starts at 9am (if you are dropping off at school first, please arrive no later than 9.15am). The afternoon session starts promptly at 12.15pm and finishes at 3.15pm. If you are collecting before a school pick up, please do not arrive before 3pm. If you need to collect your child early as a one off, please let a member of the team know in advance, thank you.

As the weather is getting colder, please can we ask that you provide **suitable cold weather clothing** for your child to wear whilst at Pre-School. We will be spending as much time outside as we can and therefore children need to be equipped with the appropriate clothing such as a warm and waterproof coat, wellies, hats, scarves and gloves – as well as a change of clothes. Please ensure that they are clearly marked with your child's name.

Remember not to send your child to Pre-School wearing their best clothes!



Please check the 'class DOJO' regularly, as we use it to share information, send private messages and to send updates. If you have any problems accessing DOJO, please do let us know.



Should a child have an infectious disease, such as sickness and diarrhoea, they must not return until they have been clear for at least 48 hours.

PLEASE HELP US TO KEEP PRE-SCHOOL COVID FREE

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- a high temperature
- a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot, for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours
- a loss or change to sense of smell or taste – this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

**STAY AT HOME
IF YOU HAVE
COVID SYMPTOMS**

GET A TEST. DO YOUR BIT.

What to do if your child has symptoms

If your child has any of the main symptoms of coronavirus:

1. Get a test to check if they have coronavirus as soon as possible.
2. Stay at home and do not have visitors until you get the test result – only leave your home to have a test.

Anyone you live with, and anyone in your support bubble, must also stay at home until you get the result.

Useful Contact Numbers

Swann Lane Pre-School:
07469 706237

For finance / admin enquiries:
0161 427 4730 incl. card payments

Email address:
admin@swannlane.co.uk

Useful information can be found on our website:
www.marplechildcare.com

Thank you for your continued support,
Rachel and the team 😊

To keep your 30-hours extended funding place YOU need to check your details are up to date every 3-months. Go to: **gov.uk/childcareaccount**

**If you would like to pay via Direct Debit,
please let us know**



Funded Places – please note that when you have signed the **Parental Agreement** form, you have secured your child's funded place for the whole term. You are not able to change your child's funded place during a term, except in exceptional circumstances:

- family moving house
- Change in child's primary carer
- Change of employment, i.e. new job/unemployment
- Health & Safety concerns (child with long term sickness / child protection).

We require 4 weeks notice of any such event and will claim funding in lieu of this change.

→ October 2020 Half term break ←

Swann Lane Pre-School closes on
Friday 23rd October
Pre-School reopens on
Monday 2nd November

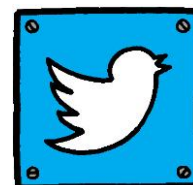
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