



Little Learners Newsletter

21st July 2017

Despite approaching the end of July we seem to still face that challenge of what to wear in the morning. If it is a lovely hot day and you are applying sun cream to your Little Learner prior to their Nursery session we have had reports of these devices being really helpful. The sun cream applicator helps your Little Learner to learn how to put cream on themselves and also can save a little time if you are in a hurry!



Follow this link for more information:

<https://www.solarbuddies.co.uk/product/solar-buddies-one-applicator/>

New Nursery classrooms building site

We are excited to report that progress continues to be on target and the windows and doors are due to arrive next week which will help to make the building look a little more complete. We are due to have the building handed over to us around 24th August, ready for us to kit out with furniture and resources. We will make a time and date available for you to tour the new building if you are interested to see!

Senior Nursery Business Support Administrator

We would like to introduce Katie Bebb, who will be working every afternoon between 12.15pm and 4.15pm in the school office. Katie has many years' experience in Nursery admin so will be pleased to help you with any questions you may have. As some of you may already know, Lynn Beake is relocating to Weymouth with her family to run a B&B. We wish Lynn lots of success in her new venture.

Learning diaries for pre-school leavers

Please look out for an email which will arrive during your Little Learners last week to inform you that your child's Tapestry learning diary is ready to download. If you have any questions or difficulties please do contact us and we will do our best to help.

Lost and found box

When you are next at Nursery please do check this before it goes to the charity shop at the end of next week. Some items have been in there for a number of months so please do check, you may have find something you'd forgotten you'd lost!

Congratulations

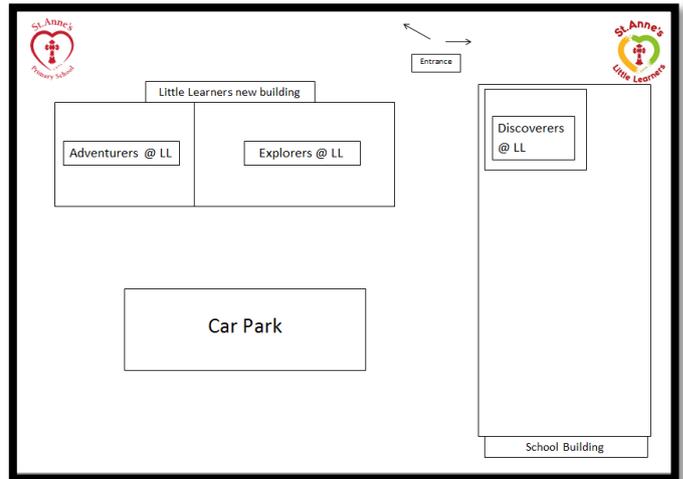
Those eagle eyed of you may have already spotted but we are pleased to confirm Abby Selwood is expecting her first baby. We are very excited for Abby who will be starting her maternity in November 2017.

Classroom names

Our new building will be opening on 4th September 2017, this means Little Learners will operate across three Nursery

classrooms. Each Little Learner will be allocated their own classroom and key person just as they currently do, however it is necessary to name the classrooms to ensure children and their families know where to go. Our three classrooms will be called;

Explorers @ Little Learners
Discoverers @ Little Learners
Adventurers @ Little Learners



If you have a Little Learner who is due to start in September, please keep up to date with your child's Tapestry account as it will be updated with your child's classroom information and key person.

If you have a current Little Learner or your Little Learner is starting before September, please look out for the same updates although unless we discuss with you otherwise, all current Little Learners will be staying in the Discoverers classroom.

Within the next couple of weeks we will be updating our website with photographs of the new Nursery Crew. To ensure as much continuity as possible for our existing children, most of the current Nursery Crew will continue to work in our Discoverers classroom. It is necessary welcome a couple of new faces to our Discoverers classroom and we will share with you when this is complete for you to start to get to know some new faces.

Collection arrangements

On an occasion that someone different will be collecting your Little Learner, it is important that you inform the Nursery Crew *in advance* and ensure we have their contact details on file. If it is an adult we have not met before, they will be required to provide us with photo ID and your Little Learners password on arrival. This is in addition to your prior notification that they will be collecting your child at the end of that session.

Nursery painting

During the school summer holidays Nursery will be receiving its annual paint refresher. This means our Little Learners will be using a different classroom for a day or two whilst the work is carried out. When we have notification from our support service team of the date – we will let you know.

Tulip Photography



Photo orders are ready to collect in the school office between 8.00am and 4.15pm each day. A text message reminder has been sent to all families who ordered photos but there are still some uncollected envelopes. Please collect your order as soon as you can – thank you!