



Alcester Nursery Studio Ltd

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Newsletter April 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Spring finally. We have been teased with a little bit of sunshine and the chance to finally meet up with some of our nearest and dearest. Lighter nights make the evenings more enjoyable and we hope for better things to come.

Thank you!

I want to say a huge thank you to all of you for following the guidelines of lining up and maintaining social distancing for Our Lady's parents and children to pass. I have still seen one or two children running off towards the school but can I ask that you try to not let this happen.

Flow Lateral Testing

All staff have been having regular FLT done at test centres. Now that the government have recognised Early years practitioners and teachers for the 'key workers' we are they now send us our own kits which we do twice weekly at home. Hopefully this is a bit of reassurance for you as parents as all results are recording in the test and trace app.

Coronavirus guidelines

Please continue to keep you up to date with government updates as we do. Please follow the link below for more information.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

Fundraising

Please support the nursery by signing up to the easy fundraising app. For every new sign up the nursery gets a £5 donation.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ansltd/?invite=ulz3pa&referral-campaign=s2s&utm_source=refsharebox

Our school lottery

Buy your tickets for Alcester Nursery Studio and not only can you help raise money for us, you can be entered into the draw to win £25,000 and a chance to win an amazing £500 to spend on bikes and/or accessories at The Bike Factory in the April Prize Draw!

Every time you buy a ticket you're contributing to the nursery and giving us the best chance to provide the best resources for the children of Alcester Nursery Studio!!

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/alcester-nursery-studio>

Staffing

We are currently recruiting for some more staff in the preschool end. We have had a few apply and will be interviewing the first week back after Easter.

Company House no: 5278232

Charity no:1032182

Accredited as a Quality Nursery

Members of the Pre-School Learning Alliance



Absences

Can I please ask that you always call nursery if your child is not going to be in due to illness? This also applies to school children too who may be accessing afterschool care.

Plotting progress

Can I please ask if you have not already returned your Child's Spring plotting forms that you do so when we return? Thank you!

Easter fundraiser

The children thoroughly enjoyed the picture search activity in the nursery garden and the chocolate crème egg in exchange. I would like to say a very BIG Thank you to Sara, Noah's mum for providing the eggs for us. If any of you have or are due to do your family walk to raise more funds for nursery then we would be most grateful.

2-3's outdoor area

We are having some new equipment installed in the outdoor area for our younger members of nursery this month. The money we raised from fundraising events is going to fund this project. I will post some photos in our next newsletter.

Sun cream

Can I please ask, with the weather getting warmer that you apply sun cream on your child before they arrive at nursery? If your child is allergic to certain sun creams then you provide their own labelled one with their name on it. We will have some sun

cream which we can use for topping up children.

Afterschool

For children attending our after-school clubs as you know we have to keep the two schools in separate bubbles. So, to make things fair we rotate them around the two areas every couple of weeks so they get to play outside in the larger and smaller play areas.

School reception place

All offers of places will be sent to parents on Friday 16th April. So, can I please ask that once you know, that you inform Penny?

Easter Holidays - 2nd-16th April NURSERY - CLOSED

Nursery and wrap around care will commence on Monday 19th April

I hope you all have a lovely Easter break, have fun meeting up with family and friends in outdoor settings and continue to keep safe and well.

Kind Regards

Penny

Manager of Alcester Nursery Studio Ltd

