



Newsletter – Autumn 2 - 2025

Please read the following newsletter to keep up to date with upcoming events, Pre-School news and information about what the children have been up to!

Key dates for your diary

Toddler Group – Friday 7th November & Friday 5th December 9:00 -10:00

Pre-School Christmas Nativity – Thursday 11th December Time – 2:15

Christmas Party and Father Christmas (all welcome) – Tuesday 16th December 1pm – 3pm.

Christmas Holidays – Wednesday 17th December (Last Day)

Spring Term begins – Monday 6th January

School admissions deadline - 15 January 2026.

This term we will be

Reading – The Story of Rama and Sita and Room on the Broom and Christmas stories.

Exploring – Festivals and celebrations, including Diwali, Bonfire Night, Hanukkah and Christmas

How can you help – talk to the children about what they can see and notice when you are out and about. Talk about what you celebrate at home and why. Children are welcome to bring in photographs or objects to share with their friends during show and tell.

Committee News

Wreath Making workshop is back by popular demand. Please see the flyer attached for details on how to book.

The Committee will be running a Christmas Raffle as one of our fundraising ventures this year. If you have any links through friends or family with any local businesses that would donate a prize, please let preschool or any member of the Committee know.

Tickets will be available to buy at the Wreath Making workshop and the Christmas Show.

Other News

Sessions

If you are looking at wanting to increase any sessions from January, please get in touch. Tuesday and Wednesday are now full from January onwards. We have a few spaces on Thursday left and Monday and Fridays are filling up fast!

Christmas Nativity

The Christmas show will be held in Pre-School on Thursday 11th December. All children from Pre-School will be involved and all parents, grandparents, guardians and siblings are welcome. More details will be sent out separately.

Christmas Party

Every year we hold a Christmas Party and invite all children to join us (at no extra cost). Parents are welcome to stay or drop and go. We play some party games before Father Christmas comes and meets the children and gives out a small gift. The children then have a small party snack to add to the excitement before pick up. Father Christmas has confirmed he and his reindeers can escape from Santa's Workshop on Tuesday 17th December to pay us a visit. I will send out more details nearer the time.

Child's Progress

After a very busy first half term getting to know and working with the children your key worker has written a short report celebrating the strengths of your child and the next steps we are working on. Please find these in the pigeon hole.

Access and Inclusion Officer Support

This term we will be working with our Access and Inclusion officer accessing ongoing SEND Specialist Support for our cohort. Please see the attached letter for further details.

Parenting and family programmes

Bradford District have a fantastic offer of FREE support, online and in person, and available to everyone. Support ranges from pregnancy through to life with babies, toddlers, older children, and for teens and beyond! <https://fyi.bradford.gov.uk/parenting-programme-pathway>

Reception applications for entry in 2026

You need to apply to the local authority where your child lives. If your child lives in the Bradford District, you should apply through the [online admissions system](#) between 17 November 2025 and 15 January 2026.