



Earith Pre-School 7

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Summer Term Newsletter

Welcome back! We hope you all had a lovely Easter break.

We have some exciting events planned for this term, if you have any ideas that you would like to share, please let us know!



Dates for your Diaries

Friday 23rd May – Sponsored walk. More details to follow.
Open to all children. Children will be bringing their sponsorship forms home during the next week.

Tuesday 22nd July – End of term picnic and school leavers graduation. More details to follow. Open to all children and their families

Snack Money

At pre-school we like to offer the children a wide variety of fresh fruit, vegetables and snacks. We ask for £5.00 every half term per child, which enables us to ensure we have a good supply for all the children.

£5.00 contributions towards the purchase of fresh fruit and snacks are for the half term from Wednesday 23rd April – Friday 23rd May 2025.

Please could we ask that payments made to the pre-school are placed in a named envelope

If you would prefer to opt out of the snack time contribution you may send your child to preschool with a healthy snack. Please see more information at the end of this news letter

Library Books - During the next couple of weeks each child will bring their book bag home with a book to share with you. Once you have read the book please return it and your child will be able to choose another.

Preschool community book store

Please help yourselves to the books in our book store which can be found in the courtyard. They are yours to keep

News Time Dates

- Monday 28th April
- Tuesday 6th May
- Wednesday 14th May
- Thursday 22nd May
- Friday 23rd May

Please send in any news that your child would like to share. It could be somewhere or someone they have visited, a family celebration, an achievement, for example, a swimming certificate etc.



Fund Raising

As a small charity we rely on donations from our pre-school friends and the local community. This year we are fundraising in order to make significant changes to our outside play areas. We have set up a 'go fund me' page to help with this. Any donations that you are able to make would be gratefully received and would help get us closer to our goal. If you or someone you know would like to make a donation, they can visit our go fund me page using the link below. A huge thank you to you all already, we are so grateful for all of your support, it allows us to continue our work for the community.

Click Here to Make a Donation: [Go Fund Me, Earith Pre-school 7](#)

Thank You!

Easyfundraising

The pre-school is registered with Easyfundraising, so you can raise FREE donations for us when you do your everyday online shopping. All you have to do is find the retailer you want to shop with on the Easyfundraising website or App, shop as usual and the retailer will donate to us when you make a purchase – at no extra cost to you!

This means you can support the pre-school when you do your grocery shopping, book holidays or days out, order takeaways, buy things for the kids, or even when you renew your insurance and energy policies.

It's easy and completely FREE. Just visit our Easyfundraising page at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/earithps7/?invite=KKNKGJ&referral-campaign=c2s>

Tapestry and Facebook

Don't forget to check in with your child's Tapestry account for weekly updates on their pre-school activities. Memos are also sent via Tapestry

You can also follow us on Facebook to keep up to date on any changes or events.

If you are having any problems accessing your accounts please do not hesitate to speak to a member of staff, we will be happy to help.

My Name Tags

Please ensure that all of your child's belonging are labelled. We recommend 'My Name Tags'

[My Nametags - Personalised name labels for kids 56 name tags from £15.95](#)

Our exclusive school code is 47370. For every order placed preschool receives a donation

Useful Reminders.....

Illnesses

For any illness, please inform us by phone or email, if your child is unable to attend and remember that if your child has vomiting and/or diarrhoea, they must be clear of the symptoms for 48 hours before returning to pre-school. If we have not heard from you by 9.30am we will make contact via email or phone to ensure everything is ok.

Remember, if children have had Calpol and/ or have a temperature, they would be better staying at home and returning to pre-school once their symptoms have subsided.

Lunch Reminders:

Please do not put sweets in your children's lunchboxes, Also please be aware that we DO NOT allow nuts or nut products in the pre-school.

If your child has grapes, olives and/ or tomatoes in their lunch (all lovely additions), it is a good idea to cut these in half lengthways.

Naming Items:

Please make sure that all of your child's items are clearly labelled with their names. This includes, please, Lunchboxes, water bottles as well as items of clothing.

Up to Date Information:

It is important that we have the most up to date information for families. Please inform us of any changes to medical conditions, addresses, or contact details.

Term Dates 2025

Summer term 2025

Term starts	Wednesday 23 rd April 2025
May Day	Monday 5 th May 2025 – Preschool CLOSED
Half term	Monday 26 th May – Friday 30 th May
Term ends	Tuesday 22 nd July

Funding and 30 hours entitlement

Depending on circumstances, some children are entitled to extra funded hours. If you think you might be eligible and are interested in applying, the link to the website is. [Homepage | Childcare Choices](#)

If you already claim any/all of the 30 hours free childcare, please remember that to continue being able to claim you must log in to your HMRC account at least once a term to re-confirm your eligibility.

Pre-school Uniform

We do offer an optional uniform for the children to wear at Pre-school. We hold a small stock of polo shirts and sweatshirts which are available in different sizes. Please ask a member of staff for further details.

Our Outdoor Areas

We will still be spending lots of time outdoors and, now that the weather is changing, please send in named sunhats and sun cream, in a labelled bottle. If you do not have a spare set to leave at pre-school we will be happy to send these home at the end of each session. Just let us know

Please apply sun cream to your child before arriving at preschool and we will reapply at lunch time to those children who stay with us all day.

If you would prefer to provide your child with their own snack please read the requirements below.

Should you wish to opt back in to making snack payments you will be required to wait until the start of the next half term.

All snacks ***must*** be sent in ***a named airtight container*** and left in the box provided.

Morning snack

- Your child may bring a small selection of appropriately prepared fruit or vegetables

and ONE of the following:

- Breadstick
- Cheddar biscuit or cracker
- Small amount of dry cereal
- Rice cake

Afternoon snack

- 1 plain biscuit such as rich tea finger, rich tea or digestive. OR
- 1 bread stick or cheddar biscuit or cracker

All children will still receive the choice of milk or water at snack times and will have constant access to their drink bottles throughout the day.

The Nursery Milk Scheme has been running since the 1940s, funding 1/3 pint (189ml) of milk a day for under-5s attending childcare.

WE ARE A NUT FREE SETTING AND ANY PRODUCTS CONTAINING NUTS WILL BE SENT HOME UNOPENED.

PLEASE DO NOT SEND SWEETS OR CHOCOLATE

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask

Thank you for your continued support and co operation