



Happy Kids Newsletter

November 2017

Woodwork

The woodwork area has proven to be very popular, with children of all abilities joining in. The children have been working hard towards their hammer licences and the older children have proven to be great role models for the younger members of the group. We are pleased to announce that they are very good at following the safety rules and only one adult is minus one finger so far!

Children in Need

On the 17th November we will be fund raising for Children in Need. The staff will be wearing their pyjamas and the children are invited to do the same. There will be opportunities for children to have their face painted if they wish.

Makaton

Keely recently attended a two-day Makaton training course and as a result of this, is planning on teaching the children and adults some signs which will help to develop communication skills. Keely is currently developing a display board and there will be signs, and symbols placed around the room to prompt us all.

ECAT

Talking tip for this half term:
Let your child take the lead: they will learn more from an activity that they are interested in!

Reminder: as we use the outdoors in all weathers please can the children have coats, wellie boots and spare clothes along with sunhats and cream as the weather is somewhat changeable!!

Welcome

We welcome Kobi, Paz and Sophie who have joined us.

Email, Facebook and Website

Our email is:

happykidsnewbury@btconnect.com

Facebook: [happykidspreschool](https://www.facebook.com/happykidspreschool)

Website: <http://happykidsnewbury.com>

Tapestry

We will continue to collect observations and update tapestry in preparation for end of term reports. Please feel free to add pictures and snapshots from home as you may observe moments and achievements we don't see here. If you have any questions in relation to your child's progress, please speak to their key person.

Christmas Celebration

On the last day of term, 20th December we will be having a special visitor who will be joining us in the morning. If this is your child's normal session then they can attend from 9am, if not you are welcome to join us from 10:30. We will be closing at 12 noon and there will be no afternoon session.

Term Dates

We will finish for the half term on Wednesday 20th December @ 12 noon and return on Thursday 4th January 2018