



Greenfields Children's Centre

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Dear Parent/Carers

A warm welcome back after the summer holidays. We welcome our new children and parents to Greenfields and I hope you will enjoy your time at our Centre. We are all so delighted achieving three outstanding judgements for the school, the children's centre and the day care and we will continue to work for positive outcomes for our children. I hope by now you have had the opportunity to read the reports in detail. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me. We are all here for you and your child.

June McHugh

Reminders:

Please label all of your child's clothes in order to prevent them getting mixed up with others.

We will be visiting the Mandhir on Wednesday 19th October. More information to follow but please put the date in your diary so that you can accompany your child.

Diary Dates:

- 3rd October – Mosque Visit
- 8th November – Gudwara Visit
- 15th November – Curriculum Day
- 30th November – Letters and Sounds Workshops
- 5th December – Parents Evening



The Nursery Bears will be coming home this week. Please look after them and return them to nursery the next day.

Encourage your child to draw a picture and parents/carers can write a little message to say what the bear did at home.

Books, books, books.....

The library is now open. Reading is a very important part of your child's education and using the library fosters their enjoyment of books and enables them to make choices and select their favourite or new books.

The over 3's can use the library everyday at 8.20am-8.45am or 12.20-12.45pm.

The Under 3's can use the library in their room when they arrive in the morning.

If you do not have a book bag you can purchase one at the admin office and join the library.

We look forward to seeing you use the library regularly with your child.



Under 3s



All of the children have settled well back into their nursery routine. New children are beginning to form relationships with their keyworkers and peers.

Indy and Poonam have changed rooms - Indy will be working with the babies and Poonam with the toddlers.

Over 3s

The children were very happy to come back from their summer holidays and seeing their friends again. They all settled back into the nursery routine very well and explored a range of activities with confidence and independence.

David plays with the train set.



Ruby and Aadam painting together at the easel.



Family Learning





ESOL

“OPEN DAY”
Wednesday 5th October
from 10:30 am – 1:30pm

Anyone interested in ESOL classes please drop in and speak to Ravinder Cheema and tutors from Ealing’s Adult Education team

Your meeting with tutors will take about 30 minutes

Men’s Group

Dads, Grandads, Uncles...

Meet in the Summer House for friendly chat and a cup of coffee...

Every Friday from 8:30 to 11:30 am




Sticky Fingers

A six week cooking activity for parents and children aged 5 and under



Every Monday from 12th September to 17th October
Time: 1 – 2.30pm

Venue: Greenfields Children’s Centre

To book a place, please call 020 8893 3609






Talk Time




A fun session for parents & children aged 0-3 years old, based around helping your child’s communication, language & literacy development. Come along & access a wide range of books for you to explore with your Child during a stimulating session of creative story telling, rhymes and songs.

Every Friday
 16th September to October

Time: 11am – 12.30pm
 Venue: Greenfields Children’s Centre

Please call in advance to book your place:
 Phone: 020 8993 1723 / 3609
 Email: ealingoutreach@coram.org.uk






You can attend any of our listed activities. All are free. Contact our Outreach Service for bookings & further information on: 020 8993 3609 or ealingoutreach@coram.org.uk.

Activity	Day	Date	Time
Sticky Fingers	Monday	Weekly: 12 th Sept to 17 th Oct	1 – 2.30pm
Bumps to Babies	Monday	Weekly: 31 st Oct to 19 th Dec	1 – 2.30pm
Talk Time	Friday	Weekly: 16 th Sept to 21 st Oct	11am – 12.30pm
Stay and Play	Friday	Weekly: 9 th Sept to 16 th Dec	9.30 – 11am
Baby Massage	Friday	Weekly: 4 th Nov to 16 th Dec	11am – 12.30pm





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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
NHS Developmental Checks 9am – 12.30pm	Yoga 1.30 – 3.30pm	Knitting Club 1 – 3pm	Webster Stratton 9.15 – 11.30am	Veolia Citizens Advice 9am – 2pm
Coram – Sticky Fingers 1 – 3pm	Somali Ladies Tea Meeting 12.30 – 3.30pm	Weight Watchers 2 – 4.30pm	Driving Theory 2 – 3.30pm	Stay & Play - Coram 9.30 – 11am
Stress Management & Wellbeing 1 – 2.30pm	Beauty – Indian Bridal Make-Up & Henna 9 – 11.30			Career Guidance with Michael Zinkin All day
Coram Bumps to Babies 1 – 2.30pm	Tamil Weaning Group 11.30am – 1.30pm			Family Information Services 10.30am – 12pm
				Coram – Talk time 11am – 12.30pm
				Fun & Learn 1 – 3pm
				<i>Please enquire at the Admin Office for further details if you are interested in any of the above</i>