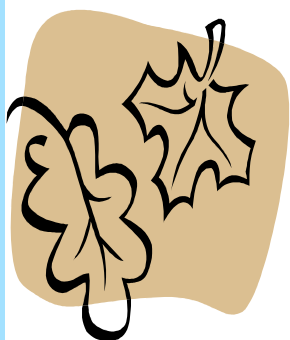




Welcome to The Early Years Centre at Camps Hill Newsletter!

We would like to take this opportunity to keep you updated on the goings on within the Early Years Centre. We always welcome parents comments and suggestions, so please feel free to speak to your Childs Key worker at anytime.



SCHOOL SECURITY

Please can you ensure that the Centre holds the correct contact details for your child, this is vital as we may need to contact parents urgently if your child is ill.

If anyone other than yourself (Or someone who regularly picks up your child) is due to collect them at the end of the session, you will be asked to provide us with a password, this can then be entered

onto your Childs details and used in the future. If your Child is to be collected by a different adult, please make sure you inform your Child's Keyworker. Please give this password to us and the person who will be collecting your child. We are not able to hand over children to adults who we have not previously met without prior notification and an agreed password.

FREE CHILDCARE FOR YOUR CHILD !

All children regardless of their circumstances are entitled to 15 hours of free childcare the term after they turn three, we can also offer up to 15 hours free a week for 2 year olds (Subject to you meeting the

funding criteria) If you think you may be entitled to funding, please see the school office, we will be only to happy to make the claim on your behalf. If you wish to change your child's current sessions, we are able

to do this on a half termly basis. If you wish to do this, please put in a request at the school office, you will then get notification of your child's new hours before the end of the term.



Please ensure that NO medication (Inhalers etc) food or drink are left in children's bags, if you would like to leave any of these items, please see a member of staff.

Payment of School Fees

As a reminder, please can you ensure that your Childs fees are paid for on time, you will be invoiced half termly for the hours / extra hours taken. On this invoice there will be a payment due by date, if we haven't received payment by this date, you will lose your Childs sessions / extra hours.

If paying for your bill is proving difficult, please speak to a member of staff or the office regarding a payment plan.

Our Christmas performances will be taking place on :

Monday 6th December at 2.00pm

Tuesday 7th December at 10.00am

No tickets are required for the performances, we look forward to seeing you there!



Library Books

If you would like to borrow books from our library you can purchase a book folder from the school office, these are priced at £2.00 each



Term Dates 2010/2011

Autumn Term 2010:

Term Ends: 16th December at 3.30pm

Spring Term 2011:

Starts: 4th January 2011

Half Term: 21st February—25th February

Term Ends: 8th April at 2.15pm

Summer Term 2011:

Starts: 26th April 2011

BANK HOLIDAY: 2nd May

INSET DAY: 27th May

Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June



Our supply of spare clothes has depleted, so please can you ensure that you send your child in with a named set of spare clothes for each session.

We are hoping to begin gardening outside, we have plans for a raised bed in our outside area and we have already begun clearing the schools garden area. We would appreciate donations of any unwanted gardening equipment, hand tools, pots, seeds etc. We are also collecting Morrison's Lets Grow vouchers.



We still have some places available in The Early Years Centre, please see The School Office for details!

