



## NURSERY NEWSLETTER Autumn Term 2 2017

We are keeping the website updated with photographs so that you can see all the fun that we have been having. If you have any photographs that your child would like to share at Nursery, please send them in. Please keep a look out for any additional notices or reminder notes on the Information Board in the porch.

### **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY**

The last day of term is Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December. Nursery, and the whole school, will close for the Christmas Holiday. The school and Nursery will reopen on Monday 8th January.

### MESSY SESSIONS Article 28 - All children have the right to a good quality education.

Tuesday 5<sup>TH</sup> December - morning session

Thursday 7th December - afternoon session

Please ensure that on these dates, when your child attends Nursery, they are dressed in old clothes and footwear that you don't mind getting very dirty. There will be lots of paint, gloop and craft materials for the children to explore, and because we work on an even larger scale than usual, the Nursery becomes the messiest playground in town!

## THE NURSERY NATIVITY

The children will be performing on the stage in the downstairs hall of the main building. You will have the opportunity to order photographs of the children dressed in their Christmas outfits and to buy tombola tickets

Monday 11th December 2.15 -3.30 - Afternoon and beginning of the week children performing

Friday 15th .December 10.00- 11.15 - Morning and end of the week children performing.

N.B. The children that attend Nursery for 30 hours will take part in both performances.

# P.T.O For more information...

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## FAMILY STAY AND PLAY AT SCALLYWAGZ

Article 29 - All children have the right to be the best that they can be.

Wednesday 20th December 9.30 – 11.15 (Morning and beginning of the week children)

Thursday 21st December 1.00 – 2.45 (Afternoon and end of the week children)

We hope you will be able to join in with your child as they play at Scallywagz. You can take the opportunity to chat to the Nursery staff and look at your child's Learning Journal. We will be sending out more information about this event shortly.

### CHRISTMAS PARTY Article 31 - All children have the right to play.

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December

<u>All</u> Nursery children are invited to attend the morning session on this day for our party. We will play party games and enjoy sharing party food. The session will start and finish at the normal time 8.50-11.50. In the afternoon, Nursery will be open as normal.

### **STARTING PRIMARY SCHOOL**

For your child to start primary school in September 2018, you need to register by midnight on the 15th January 2018. To apply, log onto www.durham.go.uk/schooladmissions or telephone 03000 265896 for more information from the School Places and Admissions Team.