



The Duckling Nursery Ltd
Writtle Infant School
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Newsletter 2019/k

Welcome

We welcome four new little Ducklings, Wilf, Madeleine, Annabel and Priscilla and a new member of staff Miss Suckling into the nursery this half term. We wish them all many happy times with us.

Self-registration

We hope you like our new self-registering system for the children. Hopefully this will help to free the cloakroom a little as children will no longer need to share coat hooks.

Friends of Ducklings

Our next meeting is on Tuesday 12th November. This will be a preparation evening for our Autumn/Christmas Fayre on Saturday 16th November. Please let me know if you can join us to help with the preparations. We will be making hampers, wrapping soft toys, making sweetie cones and preparing activities for the craft room. We would love to welcome new parents to come along to our Friends of Ducklings meetings.

Sewing week

The week beginning Monday 2nd December will be our sewing week. The children would love your help with a sewing activity for Christmas. If you have a little spare time during that week and would like to come and join us please let me know a time and day that is suitable for you.

Parent/carer key person consultations

These will take place on Friday 6th December starting at 12.55. The appointment sheets will be available from Monday 25th November for you to book your time. Please come and see me if you require further information regarding the consultations.

Duckling Christmas Party

Our Christmas party is on Friday 13th December and is for **all Duckling children**. Please bring the children to the nursery at 8.45 where they will all be collected at 12 midday. We will have great fun playing games, dancing and singing ending with our party lunch. We hope everyone will join us for our party fun. Please let me know if your child is coming.

Duckling Christmas Entertainment

Monday 16th December for one performance only

The Duckling Children will perform

That's Not My !!!!!!!

The performance will take place in the Infant school hall. Please can the children be brought to the hall doors on the playground for 9.am in their costumes (further details on these will follow soon). We will have a little pre-performance fun and settle the children before opening the doors for you, our audience at approximately 9.15. There are two seats available for every child, please let me know if either you won't need two seats or if you require more. We hope **all children** will take part in this wonderful entertainment, as it is always great fun and a huge success. Please can I reassure those parents who use our breakfast club that we will open as usual on both Friday 13th and Monday 16th December.

Reminder`

Once again can I please remind everyone that the children's sweatshirts, coats and shoes need to be named? Also as the colder weather approaches hats, gloves and scarves will also need names on them. This is a really big help to staff when we are trying to help the children get ready for home time.

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