



Ronald Tree Nursery School



Parent's Newsletter 2020

Illness / covid

Please ring the school if your child is going to be absent for any reason
01536 514240

If anyone in your house has covid symptoms please contact 111 or 119 to book a test and all isolate. It is very important that you please ring the office to let us know the situation and to get advice. Thank you.

Travel and Covid

Letting is in Tier 2. The current restrictions are essential travel only and not to Tier 3 (including Leicestershire). If you intend to travel in this country or abroad at all, please let us know as you will need to complete a form letting us know your destination. We will need evidence of your travel details so we can ensure any quarantine rules associated with your destination are followed before returning to nursery. Thank you.

Christmas activity week and Visit from Father Christmas



During the week 14th-18th December the children will enjoy a range of Christmas activities and singing in their groups. Father Christmas is making a special socially distanced visit on Friday 18th, so the children will receive a present. If your child doesn't attend on a Friday, they will receive their present on their last day.

Nursery places available for January 2021

Do you know anyone who would like a nursery place for their 2,3 or 4 year old from January. Please ask them to either visit our website ronaldtreenursery.co.uk to register or contact the office 01536 514240 for further details.

Named Envelopes

From January we will be giving you a named envelope for parents to pay £2.50 each week or £10 monthly. This money covers the cost of snack and other items your child uses in nursery. Children will be able to post the envelope in the post box when they come into nursery. If you would prefer to pay by BACS please ring the office
01536 514240.

Thank you.



Dates for your Diary

Monday 7th December - Please bring a homemade decoration to hang on the tree outside

Friday 11th December—Christmas jumper day

Friday 18th December - Visit from Father Christmas and End of Term

Monday 21st December to Friday 1st January—nursery closed

Monday 4th January 2021- Closed for staff training day

Tuesday 5th January 2021—Nursery re-opens



All the staff wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas

Ronald Tree Christmas Post.

A list of the children in your child's group will be shown on tapestry. If your child wishes to send Christmas cards, please post your cards in the Ronald Tree post box by Friday 11th. Please remember not to lick the envelopes. Thank you.



Christmas jumper day Friday 11th December

Please wear a Christmas jumper to Nursery. If you don't have one you can stick Christmas decorations on a plain jumper.



30 hours funding per week for 3 and 4 year olds.

If you and your partner earn the equivalent of 16 hours minimum wage or above per week, you can qualify for 30 hours funding for your child. You can claim the funding in the term after your child turns age 3 and you **must** get your code by **31st December** to qualify for January. Please visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk and if you qualify please contact the office as soon as possible to discuss an increase your child's hours.
Thank you.



Children in Need

A huge thank you for your kind donations for Children In Need. We raised a fantastic **£158.87**

Bad Weather

Should the nursery have to close due to bad weather this winter, this news will be posted on our facebook page and school website. Please check for updates. This information will no longer be on the Northamptonshire County Council website.

Thank you very much for the lovely homemade decorations decorating our tree. They look fantastic!!



REMINDER

If your child will be age 4 by 31st August 2021,
Can we just remind you to apply for your child's school place for
September 2021 if you have not
already done so.

Applications need to be in by 15th January 2021 (5pm)
www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/admissions

Any queries about school places please ask a member of staff.