**Pre school**

As some of our children are off to school soon, we will be starting small pre school sessions in the week for our school leavers. This may be half hour with just a small group practising their writing, recognising their names and preparing them to go off to school. This will happen throughout the week so every school leaver gets the chance for more small group time.

 Thank you for all snack donations we have received so far, we are very grateful and the children have been enjoying the variety of different foods.

We have a ‘Friends of Playgroup’ and ‘WPG Notice Board’ Whatsapp group...if you would like to join please let us know.

 **Just a few reminders: -**

- Please let the staff know if any of your contact details have changed.

- With the nice weather approaching please supply a bag with at least one change of clothes as we will be having lots of outdoors and water play.

- We encourage all children to bring a named bottle for each of their sessions.

- If your session starts at 12pm please hold onto your children until our morning session children have been handed over safely to their parents/carers before. We will then let you know when we are ready for them to join us and they can come in to the room.

**Lateness**

If you know your are going to be late please call or message the playgroup phone. We understand that being late isn’t always helped but we have noticed that this is happening alot recently. Please ensure you can make it to collect and drop your children on time as this does impact on the day especially at lunch times.

**IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**2nd May** – Inset day and day trip out (more information to follow)

**27th – 31st** May half term week

**3rd June** Inset day to coincide with Westfield School

 **18th July** last day of term

**19th** **July** - leavers Party for children who start school September 2024. More details to follow

September Return Tuesday 3rd September

**SESSION TIMES/ FEES**

The current fees are detailed below.

 - Under 3’s £16.80 per session

 - Over 3’s £15.90 per session

You can receive EYEE funding as follows:

 - Born between 1st Apr-31st Aug funding from 1st Sept after 3rd birthday

 - Born between 1st Sept-31st Dec funding from 1st Jan after 3rd birthday.

 - Born between 1st Jan-31st Mar funding from 1st Apr after 3rd birthday.

**Lunches – Important**

Please can the children not have Raisons or Marshmallows in their lunch box, we have been informed that these are also a choking hazard. If they get stuck in their throat, they can expand larger in a childs airway.

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**FEES**

All fees are payable with in 7 days of getting your invoice unless discussed with Nikki or Amy. Please note on the bottom of your invoice that it will have 5% interest each month the invoice is unpaid, also the chance of losing your childs place at playgroup.

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