



Armadale Early Learning & Childcare Setting Newsletter - (September 2019)



Dear Parents/Carers,

Please take a few minutes to read our Newsletter to find out some of the events and activities we have planned at Armadale Primary School Early Learning & Childcare setting this term and how you can get involved.

Please pay particular attention to the dates overleaf. We look forward to seeing you all soon.

Twitter – we're live!

Please follow us on @ElcPrimary

Online Learning Journals



Keep an eye out for Parent sessions over the coming months:

- How to log into your child's learning journal
- How to add a comment or achievement
- Regular sessions for parents/carers to access their child's learning journal using school technology



Wanted! Please Help:

We have almost completely run out of clothes for changing children when needed. If your child has borrowed nursery clothing please return it as soon as possible.

*Any donations of underwear, including socks, trousers and tops would be most appreciated.

Please leave a change for your child in their nursery bag, where possible. If there is no change of clothing available in their bag and no suitable clothing in nursery staff may contact parents/carers to bring a change to nursery.

Sharing our learning with you!

See attached dates for Stay, Play & Learn sessions and our new Snuggle & Read sessions for opportunities to explore our setting and your child's learning together.



Armadale ELC Session Times

- Morning Nursery Sessions are:
Monday - Friday 8.00am - 12.45pm
- Afternoon Nursery Sessions are:
Monday - Thursday - 1.15pm - 6.00pm
- Full Day:
Monday - Thursday - 8.00am - 6.00pm
(2 Days as identified by Pupil Placement)

Please ensure children are collected promptly to allow staff to set up for the next session.

Wherever possible, we would appreciate for registration purposes if all morning children could be signed in for 8.45am and afternoon children by 1.30pm. If you require greater flexibility, please don't hesitate to speak to a member of staff.

McMillan Bake Sale

Thursday 26th October 2019

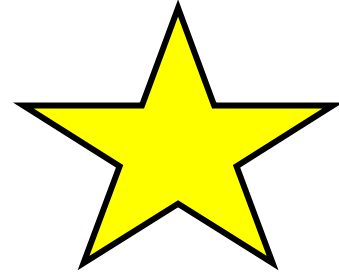
Children will be making tray bakes and small confectionery items to be sold in aid of McMillan Coffee Morning. Any donations of baked items to be sold in addition to these would be very gratefully accepted.

Please, no nuts as these are a potential allergen and also choking hazard for young children.

Items will be on sale at drop off/collection times.



Dates for your diary!



Wednesday 25th September - Stay, Play and Learn

12.15 - 12.30pm / 1.30 - 1.45pm

Come and share your child's learning experience.

Thursday 26th October - McMillan Bake Sale

Baked items/confectionery will be on sale at drop off/collection times.

Week beginning 30/9/19 & 7/10/19 - Pre School Parent Consultations

Please see separate letter for individual keyworker dates.

Wednesday 2nd October - Book Fayre visit

11.45am/1.30pm

Please join your child to explore the selection of books available.

Week beginning Monday 14th October - School holiday only

Please ensure you have returned the holiday sessions form sent out last week.

Thursday 24th October - Reviews

For individual pupils - parents/carers will receive letter.

Monday 28th October - Snuggle & Read

12.15 - 12.30pm / 1.30 - 1.45pm

A lovely opportunity to share a story together,

Week beginning 4th November - Online Learning Journal Parent sessions

Thursday 21st November - Stay, Play and Learn

12.15 - 12.30pm / 1.30 - 1.45pm

Come and share your child's learning experience.

Wed 26th /Thu 27th November - ELC visits to Pantomime

Week beginning 2nd December - Online Learning Journal Parent sessions

Tuesday 3rd December - Snuggle & Read

A lovely opportunity to share a story together,

Friday 6th December - School & ELC Christmas Fayre

Tuesday 17th December - ELC Christmas Singalong (TBC)

Wednesday 18th December - Christmas Party (TBC)

Thursday 19th December - end of term for ELC pupils / Monday 6th January - ELC pupils return



Lost Property

We have gathered quite a lot of lost items; please check the lost property box in the cloakroom for any items belonging to your child.

To help make sure items are returned to the correct child, please mark your child's name on ALL items of clothing including jackets, hats, scarves and jumpers.