

NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2026

Keeping In Touch

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WELCOME

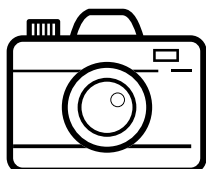
We have had a brilliant September, the children have settled very well into our new environment and we have really got to know the children. If you would like to increase the days your child attends Pre-School, please let Mrs Quium know.

PRE-SCHOOL PHOTOS

The Grove have invited us to have individual photos taken this year. This will be held on Thursday 8th October 2025. We will be in touch with more information. If your child does not normally attend on a Thursday but you would like them to have their photo taken, please let a member of staff know.



DISCO



We are delighted to join in the Grove Disco on Friday 16th October. 3-45pm-4.30pm. Mrs Quium and Miss Bradbury will be there! All children attending must be accompanied by an adult. Info will be shared on the parent whatsapp.

WELLIES

Please can all children bring in a pair of wellies. These can stay at Pre-School, there is no need to keep bringing them back and forwards. It means they are always ready for outdoor play.



COFFEE MORNING!

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our coffee morning on Wednesday. We enjoyed having some time to get to know you and we hope you got a chance to chat amongst yourselves.



FOREST SCHOOL

Forest school has been brilliant so far. We are aware it is going to get colder as the Winter is coming. Once this weather arrives, please dress your child appropriately with warm clothing and layers. Until then the children need to have arms and legs covered, but probably don't need their thermals on just yet! If you need spare clothing please do ask as we have lots! Please make sure your child comes dressed ready for Forest School on a Tuesday.

INVOICES

Just a gentle reminder October invoice is due on the 5th October. If your child is funded please see Sustainability contribution payment. If your child attends an additional session this will be sent at the end of the month. Thank you.

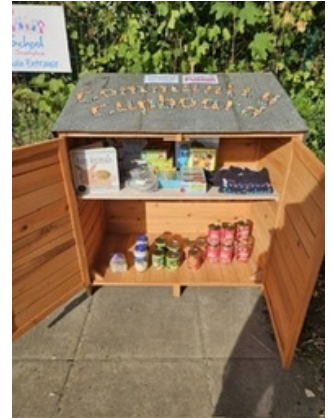
OCTOBER

We will be looking at.
w/c 28th Sept - Touch, colour - green
w/c 5th Oct - Hearing, colour - orange
w/c 12th Oct - Smell, colour - purple
w/c 19th Oct - Taste, colour - brown
Reminder that terms ends on Friday 23rd October and starts again on Monday 2nd November.

FUSION COMMUNITY CUPBOARD

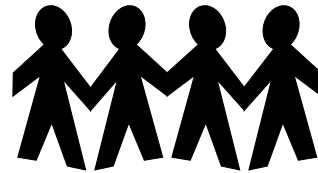


Our Fusion Community Cupboard is located by our gate and it is there for everyone in our community. You'll find food, clothes, resources and other useful items. Please feel free to take whatever you need, and if you have something to share, you're very welcome to add it. No Fresh food. Take what you need, give what you can, and support our community.



SAFEGUARDING ACCREDITATION

Over the summer we were busy gaining our Safeguarding accreditation through Bramah Safeguarding CIC. We are very proud of what we have achieved.



PRE-SCHOOL T-SHIRTS

Pre-School t-shirts in ages 2-3 are back in stock, for £7.50 each. Please speak to a member of staff if you would like to purchase one.



REMINDER

Please make sure your child has spare clothes in Pre-School and nappys if needed.



WHATSAPP

Please make sure you are part of the parent whatsapp - message Jo (Finny's mum) to be added -07900534589

SETTLING IN SURVEY

We would really appreciate if you could complete the Settling in survey - this helps us to reflect on our practice and strive for improvement.

WHAT WE GOT UP TO IN SEPTEMBER 2026

[Follow us on Facebook to see daily updates of what we get up to at Pre-School](#)



HARPENDEN SPRINGS

We have restarted our visits to Harpenden Springs. These will take place on Mondays, and every child will get the opportunity to go a few times this term. We are enjoy sharing books with the residents and all singing together. This is a real highlight of the week for us at Pre-School and for the residents and staff at Harpenden Springs.

