

DEAR NURSERY FAMILIES



Our First Term Together

OCTOBER 2024

We have had such a lovely start to the new academic year.

The children have settled in so well, using the environment with confidence and thoroughly enjoying learning together. We have been immersing ourselves in our core texts, going on outdoor adventures and sharing confidently during 'Time to Talk'. We are now looking forward to investigating sounds in the environment and exploring Autumn nature treasures.

Team News

Our dear Amy is relocating with her family to Cornwall during October half term. Her last day with us will be Friday 25th October. She has played an integral role at our nursery since joining the setting over 7 years ago as a student. She is an outstanding practitioner, kind, nurturing, hardworking, basically totally brilliant! She will be greatly missed.

48 hours

Please note if your child has had sickness or diarrhoea the guidance states that the child should not return to the setting until 48 hours from the last episode.

Spare clothes

We are in need of girls and boys socks (2-3yrs, 3-4yrs) if you have any spare they would much appreciated and if your child goes home in nursery ones please can they be returned. Please continue naming all your child's belongings.

School Places

If your child is starting school for the first time in September 2025 you need to apply online by **15th January 2025**. Please go to the Gov.uk website and apply for a Primary School place. If you need help please phone school admissions on **0300 330 9472** any other questions or support needed please contact Lisa.

Please see below for information on Polegate School's Open days

Parents Open Days

Is your child starting school in September 2025?

We are delighted to invite you to our prospective parents open days, come and find out what Polegate School has to offer.

Thursday 7th Nov at 9am

Tuesday 12th Nov at 2pm

Thursday 14th Nov at 5pm

No need to book, we look forward to seeing you all!

Contacting the nursery

Please could you address all correspondence to **nursery@polegate.e-sussex.sch.uk** we have a new emailing system from ARBOR please do not reply to that address, instead use the nursery email.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 22nd October

Parent Consultations

Thursday 7th November

Parent Consultations

Monday 4th November

INSET DAY

First day of term 2

Tuesday 5th November

Friday 20th December

last day of term

Please note further information on Parent consultations will be sent shortly as due to the size of the cohort nursery have additional dates.

Thank you for your continued support

Polegate School Nursery

You can find our Dear Parents letter on our indoor and outdoor noticeboard and also under the Nursery tab on the website for Polegate School at www.polegateschool.co.uk. We send our letters out via email unless you request a paper copy.



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