



November 2016 NEWS LETTER

Ofsted

Parents may be aware that we had our visit from an Ofsted Inspector back in the summer. This was very successful and Bright Sparks was awarded a GOOD, which we are extremely pleased with. We were informed in feedback that we are very close to an outstanding and need to further improve our partnership with parents to achieve this. Could we please encourage parents to make full use of the on-line tapestry and upload photos and interests from home and family activities. We are also open to and would encourage parents/carers to suggest any ways that they feel we could improve this.

The Ofsted report can be viewed on-line and in nursery if you would like to see it at anytime.

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome Natasha (baby practitioner) to Bright Sparks. I am sure most of you have had the opportunity to meet her now and she is settling in nicely.

Danny is coming to the end of his apprenticeship and will be leaving us at the end of term. All of us at Bright Sparks wish him well in whatever he decides to next.

Dates for you diary

Last day of term- Friday 16th December

First day of term- Wednesday 4th of January.

On our last day of term there will be a Christmas Party at 12pm and a small Christmas Carol services at 2pm. All children are welcome for the party and parents and carers are invited for the carols (this will be short where children will sing a few Christmas songs).

If anyone requires childcare in the holiday could you please let us know as soon as possible as we need to sort out our Christmas Closure Dates.

Session Times

Could we please remind parents/carers that children need to arrive at nursery at the start of their session time and collected at the end of their session. Children arriving early or leaving late will incur a charge. Unfortunately this is a necessary action as we operate on strict ratios.

Can we please ask parents to bring children with coats, wellies and a change of clothes to nursery each day.

Could we also ask that children do not bring in their toys from home. We can not assure that toys from home will return in the state that they arrived and can not guarantee that they will not go missing. There are lots of resources available at nursery for the children to access.

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