



Dear Parents,

We would like to give a warm welcome to our new starters this term, Soren, Lauren, Luke and Bruno and hope that they have a happy and productive time at Arnold Lodge Nursery. The focus at the beginning of this term is observing the natural changes that occur during the winter season and we will use our observations of what the children do and say to plan our activities. We will also be celebrating Chinese New Year, Mother's Day and Easter.

Some parents have requested that we do not change the children back into their uniforms after gym due to the cold weather. So this term please bring the children to school in their school jogging suits and pumps as normal, leave their shorts at home and just bring their outdoor shoes to school on Thursdays.

Reminders

All requests for extra sessions and lunches for the Summer term 2012 MUST be made by the 31st January.

Please dress your children appropriately for outdoor play in the winter months, e.g hats, scarves and gloves. Please bring a pair of named wellies to keep at school to enable your child to play outside during inclement weather. Please make sure ALL items of clothing are named (not in pen as this washes off), that names are sewn/ironed and put ideally by the clothing label to enable staff to find them easily. By now all children should be wearing uniform as per your uniform list, school sweatshirts should only be worn as part of the school jogging suit.

May we wish you all a very happy and prosperous New Year.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Sue Taylor and all the nursery staff