

Dear Parents and Carers,

This is the final newsletter for this school year as **term ends at 12pm Friday 19th July.**

May I take this opportunity to **thank each and everyone of you** for your support this year, it is much appreciated by us all.

May I also **thank all the staff** who have worked tirelessly every day to ensure that each child gets the very best start to their educational journey.

This week we are saying goodbye to over 100 children who are leaving us to start primary school. We will miss each of them but they are ready now to move on and we know they will continue to flourish.

If you are looking for **activities to do with your children over the summer**, do take a look at our website: [Home Learning – Guildford Nursery School and Family Centre \(guildfordnurseryschool.co.uk\)](https://www.guildfordnurseryschool.co.uk)

Or you might like to do some of the activities listed here: [Resources | The Froebel Partnership](#)

If your child is returning to us in September, you may wish to consider getting them out of nappies whilst the weather is hopefully warmer. Research shows it is better for your child's bladder and bowel health to stop using nappies between 18 and 30 months. This website has some very useful advice: [Potty training: how to start & best age to potty train - ERIC](#)

Apparently over half of all 3-4 year olds nationally spend an average of 9 hours a week online so it is **never too early to consider online safety**. It is advised that children are always supervised when they are online just as we would supervise children climbing trees, playing in the park etc.

We wish you all a very happy and safe summer and look forward to welcoming back the children who are returning to nursery in September.

Kind regards

Sally (Headteacher)



Dates for your diary:

Thursday 5th September: Children return to nursery

Friday 25th October: Nursery closed for staff training

Half term: Monday 26th October – Friday 1st November

Nursery sessions finish on **Wednesday 18th December**

Christmas party on **Thursday 19th December**