

Blindmans Lane, Cheshunt, Herts, EN8 9DW

Hello Everyone,

Welcome back to the beginning of another school year. I would particularly like to welcome those families who are new to Arlesdene.

The new children are beginning to settle into Pre-school and School Nursery. We recognise that every child is different and work closely with you to support your child's individual needs so as to ensure a positive start to their time at Arlesdene.

Some things you need to know about nursery

Attached to this newsletter is important information about nursery. Please read this and keep it available at home so that you can refer to it throughout the year.

How do we communicate with our families?

We do our very best to ensure that we share information with all our parents and carers and therefore use a range of different types of communications which include:

- Our website, <u>www.arlesdene.herts.sch.uk</u>
- Facebook page, Arlesdene Nursery School and Pre-school



- Letters sent by email please ensure we have your correct email address
- Text messages please ensure the mobile number that we have for you is correct
- Information on the red display board in the nursery school entrance
- The boards outside the nursery and pre-school entrances

Future newsletters

We have sent a hard copy of this newsletter home with your child and emailed a copy to the address that you have provided. In future all newsletters will be emailed so please let us know if you do not receive an emailed version of this letter in order that we can check your details before the next newsletter.

Course for fathers or males with parental responsibility

Gifted, a Hertfordshire charity is running a course for fathers in Waltham Cross on Saturdays. This six week course is free and starts on Saturday 29th October. Please see the board outside the school entrance for further information.

We look forward to working with you and your family this year.

Best wishes,

Catherine Croft (Headteacher)

Diary dates

All Week	24 th - 28 th October	October Half Term – Closed
Friday	04 th November 2016	Individual Photos
Friday	18 th November 2016	Children in Need
Monday	5 th December 2016	Occasional Day Nursery and Pre-school – Closed
Friday	2 nd December 2016	Nursery Children to visit Cheshunt Free Church
Friday	9 th December 2016	Nursery Children Nativity play at Cheshunt Free Church
Tuesday	13 th December 2016	Nursery Christmas Workshop
Wednesday	21 st December 2016	Nursery party morning only session for children
	Last Day of Term	Pre-school party morning and afternoon