

# Dunkys Day Nursery-Culcheth

May-June

## Babies

Our babies have been focusing on wow words and doing lots of messy play activities this last couple of months, we will continue to do this to build up a vocabulary and support early speech and communication.

We do this by having an established routine and song time so the children know what is happening next.



## Toddlers



Toddlers now have some baby caterpillars that they are looking after and learning about the life cycle of a butterfly. The children have really enjoyed this and have been really excited to see their progress. This has supported us in teaching the children about life-cycles and how things grow.

We have also been outside lots playing in the mud kitchen which has been lots of fun.



## Pre-School



We are continuing our new and improved 6-week plan, we have had to change this due to our menu moving over to the summer menu. A new copy has been posted on the front door and you can ask for a copy if needed so you know what is happening and when.

We are beginning preparation for the graduation and supporting the older children at nursery to go to school this includes some visits from new teachers and maybe visits to the new school, we will mainly be focusing on this as its such a massive transition for our children.

## Festivals & Events



World Bee Day-20th May 2022

The purpose of World Bee Day is to raise awareness of the importance of pollinators, the threats they face and their contribution to sustainable development.

Water Saving Week 23rd May to 27th May 2022

Climate change, combined with population growth and changes in lifestyle, has led to growing pressure being put on our water supplies. This is why we need to save water.

Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday-2nd Jun to 3rd Jun 2022

A two day bank holiday in the UK to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Replaces the Late Spring Bank Holiday. We will be having a tea party Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May, children can come in dressed in party attire if they wish to and we will make some crowns.

Father's Day-19th Jun 2022

13<sup>th</sup> June - Preschool

15<sup>th</sup> June- Babies

17<sup>th</sup> June- Toddlers



Celebration of fathers in the UK, the US and most of Europe and many other parts of the world. We will be inviting dads in to join in stay and play

Make Music Day 21st Jun 2022

Celebrates music in all its forms and the impact it's had on the world and the human spirit.



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## Birthdays

We all hope that your birthday is a super special day!



Alex G, James F, Sophia F, Lydia, Ava D, Beau, Jack, Juliet, Ava W, Harriet, Oliver H, Louis P and Milan



To our new children starting with us

Arlo, Evan, Emrys, Lydia, Amelie



## 30 HOURS

<https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

If you are eligible for 30hours free childcare please remember to re validate your code or send your new code to Vicki via email if your child has



or will be turning 3 soon.  
If you need more information please contact Vicki at nursery.



## Nursery news

We have raised a massive £104.51p so far this year, for our chosen charity CAFT

Thank you to all of our parents for all of your generous donations, it is greatly appreciated.



## Parent info



Please see below link and share with anyone who may need it 🙏

[Get help to buy food and milk \(Healthy Start\)](#)

## Half Term and Nursery Closure Dates

Half term - last day of term will be 27<sup>th</sup>  
May 10<sup>th</sup> June