

School Applications

Please be aware that the deadline for applications to Reception is Wednesday 15 January 2020. Parents will need to make an application by the closing date to ensure their application is considered as on-time.

Under 11s Leaflets for 2020 were sent in November to Hertfordshire residents whose children are born between 01/09/2015 and 31/08/2016.

Parents should apply online at www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions or alternatively if they cannot access the internet, they can request a printed version of the website information and application form from the Hertfordshire County Council Customer Service Centre by calling 0300 123 4043.

If you need internet access to complete your online application please let me know and we can arrange for you to use a computer.

Packed Lunches

If your child is in a 30 hour funded place or stays for wraparound care we ask that you provide a healthy, well balanced packed lunch in a standard size/shaped named lunchbox. You do not need to provide a drink, unless agreed for a specific reason with the key person or SENCO. We provide water for the children and the adult based on their table will ensure they are drinking enough.

At Tenterfield we follow a few key principles when it comes to children's packed lunches:

- No nuts - we are a nut free setting due to severe allergies. Please avoid chocolate spread as often these contain nuts or traces of nuts.
- No Egg. No Sweets or Chocolate.
- If you are providing your child with grapes these need to be cut in half to minimise risk of choking.
- Lunch should be an appropriate size for your child. It can be intimidating to be faced with a huge lunch at such a young age. The children have morning and afternoon snack so will never go hungry.



Forest School

Forest School will start again on Thurs 23rd January.

And will take place fortnightly.

Please ensure your child dresses appropriately for these sessions – trousers, warm clothes, wellies etc.

We will provide more information nearer the time via Parentmail.



EYFS session

Our next EYFS session will be on Friday 31st Jan at 9-10am & 12.30-1.30pm.

This session will have a focus on phonics. You will spend a short time with Mrs Beare & Miss Haley and then go into the nursery where you will have the opportunity to take part in some active phonic activities with your child.

Donations

We are currently looking for:

Old dustbins (metal preferably)

Buckets

Pots and pans

Muffin tins

Prams / Buggies/ cribs for babies

Old phones

Mirrors

We have some wonderful ideas to bring these items to life!

Survey Monkey

You will have received a link to our online survey this week to get some valuable feedback from parents about their child's time at Tenterfield last term.

Please check your parentmail emails for the link. This feedback will help us to ensure we are always supporting the children and families in the best way we can.