



Dear Parents & Carers

Welcome to the Summer Newsletter, we hope you are all doing well and staying Covid safe.

We have been open to support our keyworkers during lockdown and we have recently taken back more children as the restrictions have been lifted and parents have returned to work. However, we have been careful to prioritise the safety of the children and staff in these difficult times.

We have all missed the children and parents who have not attended, and we are looking forward to September when everyone returns and we can welcome our new starters. We wish all our school leavers going off to primary school the best of luck for the future.

Please try to enjoy the summer now you can at least go out and about and we look forward to seeing you all in September.

Stay safe, best wishes

Amanda & Simon and everyone at Chatterbox



Melville Renovations

You may have noticed if you pass by Melville Street that the scaffolding is up and the builders are hard at work repainting the building, repairing the sash windows, and guttering. We will be installing new railings and updating the lighting and outside equipment as part of ongoing essential maintenance and improvement plan. This will enable us to continue to offer the best environment and resources for the children to benefit from.

EYLOG are you connected?

Eylog is how we keep you updated about your child's development and you should be able to log in and access this information, all we need is your email address. If you are not connected please let us know.

30 Hours Funded Chidcare

If you child is 3 years old and you work 16 hours per week or earn more than £120.00 per week you could be entitled to 30 hours free childcare. The deadline to apply is 31st August, you should apply online using the following link

www.gov.uk/apply-30-hours-free-chidcare

Paediatric First Aid

During lockdown when it was permitted, six members of the team gave up their Saturday's to renew their Paediatric First Aid to enable us to keep up to date with latest life saving techniques. Topics covered included choking, anaphylaxis, head injuries, seizures, and asthma. With advanced training in automated external defibrillators and epi pens.

Dates for your Diary

First day of term	Tue 1st September 2020
Half term	Mon 19th October to Fri 30th October 2020
Last day of term	Fri 18th December 2020