

Gentleshaw Newsletter

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

 Holiday club: Monday 29th October – Friday 2nd November 2018 we will be based back at St Joseph's and St Theresa's in Burntwood again.



WELCOME BACK!

We hope you all had a great summer and are ready for the new school year. We would also like to say a big hello and welcome to the new members joining us this year. We hope you have fun with us at Jozone and make lots of new friends.

STAFF CHANGES

Whilst Fern is on Maternity Leave Jo Bickley will be the Manager at Gentleshaw, she will be supported by both Abbie Cockayne and Angel Morphew.



GOOD LUCK FERN!

We just wanted to say a big good luck to Fern on the imminent arrival of her first born, we look forward to hearing all about your new arrival when they arrive. We hope you will come to visit us all so we can all say hello to your new little bundle of joy!

We will let you all know whether she has had a boy or a girl and the name when they arrive.

NEW TERMS AND CONDITIONS

We have made some changes to our Terms and Conditions for our Before and After School Clubs which will take affect from 1st September 2018. A copy of these terms and conditions have been emailed to you or a paper copy can be provided upon request at the Club.

Please can all Parents/Carers read and sign a copy of these terms and conditions and return to us as soon as possible.



LEARNING AT HOME IDEAS

Every newsletter we include some fun ideas for you to do at home with the family in order to help support your child's learning and development.

For this newsletter as it is the beginning of a new school year we have given you some useful websites to have a look at to brush up on skills ready to start another school year off.

Literacy: http://www.wordsforlife.org.uk/3-5/fun

Numeracy: http://www.familymathstoolkit.org.uk/activities-for-children

Physical Development: https://www.familyfuntwincities.com/fun-physical-activities-for-kids-of-all-

ages-categorized/

Expressive Art and Design: https://www.scholastic.com/parents/school-success/learning-toolkit-

blog/4-websites-where-kids-can-create-digital-art.html

Personal, Social, Emotional Development: https://www.pinterest.co.uk/ClaresTots/eyfs-personalsocial-emotional-development/

Communication and Language: https://famly.co/blog/inspiration/10-simple-communication-andlanguage-activities/

Understanding the World: https://www.tripsavvy.com/teach-world-cultures-to-your-kids-3128861



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STAFF

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Jo Bickley: Deputy Manager (Covering Manager during Maternity Leave)

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