



Pear Tree Newsletter

January 2025

Please continue to check the Family Newsfeed, as well as following us on Facebook

 and Instagram for updates on what we have been doing at Pear Tree. 

Key Dates

6th Jan	First day of term for AYR Children
7th Jan	First day of term for TTO Children
8th Jan	Tiny Talk class for Butterflies (recurring weekly within term time)
15th Jan	Deadline for school applications for Sept 25 starters
6th Feb	Library trip for Grasshoppers
TBC	Visit from Abbey View Nursing Home residents
14th Feb	Last day of term for TTO children
18th, 19th & 20th Feb	Lower Covey Forest School for all Primary school age children
24th Feb	First day of term for TTO children
4th April	Last day of term for TTO children
8th, 9th, 10th, 15th, 16th & 17th April	Lower Covey Forest School for all Primary School age children
TBC	Trip to Oxfords Bakery for Grasshoppers
18th April & 21st April	Whole nursery closed for Bank Holidays
22nd April	First day of term for TTO children
5th May	Whole nursery closed for Bank Holiday
23rd May	Last day of term for TTO children
27th, 28th & 29th May	Lower Covey Forest School for all Primary School age children
TBC	Trip to The Sherborne for Grasshoppers
	Please see our nursery calendar for further term dates (attached)

Happy New Year!

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break with your loved ones and welcome you all back to nursery for 2025. We are starting the new year with the topic of 'Around the Globe'. Within the Butterfly Room, we would love our families to share photographs of anything exciting that you get up to at home with your children over the winter period. Within the Grasshopper Room we welcome you to send in photos from different holidays you have been on and different countries or places you have been to, so we can use these on this terms display board and for class discussions.

Reverse Advent



We were blown away with your generosity during our Reverse Advent, at a time of year where we understand everyone is stretched financially. Thank you for helping us to make a difference in our community.

School Applications

Deadline for school applications is Wednesday 15th January. Please let us know the schools you have selected for your child's first and

WINTER CLOTHING FOR NURSERY

As the weather changes and we head into the colder months, we would like to remind families of the essential clothing items required for nursery. Please name your items so we can find the owner.

ESSENTIAL ITEMS

- WOOLLY HAT
- WATERPROOF WINTER BOOTS/WELLINGTONS TO KEEP AT NURSERY
- WARM WATERPROOF COAT
- WARM SOCKS AND GLOVES
- WARM WATERPROOF TROUSERS OR SUIT
- SLIPPERS TO KEEP AT NURSERY

Please provide a dry/clean bag for essential items and a waterproof bag for any wet/muddy items

NON-ESSENTIAL ITEMS BUT SNUGGLEY!

LOTS OF LAYERS, SO WE CAN ADD SOME FOR WARMTH WHEN OUTSIDE AND TAKE SOME OFF WHEN INSIDE



Please welcome Victoria who will be working across both classrooms.