



Newsletter Date
December 2018



Nursery Newsletter

Attendance and Punctuality

Every day of your child's nursery education is important to your child. Please ensure they attend nursery **every day**. If your child is poorly please telephone nursery to inform them of your child's absence.

We understand you may have other children that attend school, and it is difficult to get your child to nursery on time. Please can you make sure your child is in nursery as close to the start time as possible. Otherwise your child is missing important parts of their learning such as; register and group time.

Nursery

Morning: 8:45-11:45

Afternoons: 12:30-3:30

Please make sure you arrive on time to collect your child at the **end** of the session.



Primary School Applications for children moving to Primary School Sept 2018.

You can apply online now for your child's school place. If you do not have access to a computer you could complete your application form at Number One Riverside.

Every Tuesday – School Admissions Team are available **10-2** to help you complete your child's application form for Primary School.

The closing date is 15th January. PLEASE make sure you complete your application form on time. This will secure your child a place at a primary school.

Family Friday

Thank you to our families who stayed for Family Friday. We look forward to this being a regular event every Friday. This is a great opportunity for you to see what your child has been up to and for you to contribute towards your child learning.

Website

Please visit our website; it is updated regularly with new photographs and information.

www.howardstreet.rochdale.sch.uk



Children in Need

Thank you to everybody who participated and contributed for children in need. The children really enjoyed taking part with lots of spotty activities on the day and having their faces painted. We raised £107.17 for children in Need.





Parents emails

Do you have any special moments you would like to share with us? It could be a special moment such as; using a scooter for the first time or going to the park. Please send them to us. We will share these photos with your child and put them in their special books.

The email address is:
office@howardstreet.rochdale.sch.uk

Sickness/Diarrhoea Bug

Please keep your child off Nursery for 48 hours from the last bout of Sickness or Diarrhoea. This will help reduce the risk of the bug spreading and will ensure your child has recovered.

Please telephone nursery to report your



child's absence.

30 Hour offer

Is your child aged between 3 and 4?
Do both parents work? Or as a single parent do you work?

If your answer is yes to the above please have a look on the following website to see if you are entitled to 30 hours free child care.

www.childcarechoices.gov.uk

The link is also on our website.

www.howardstreet.rochdale.sch.uk

Click on this icon on the home page.

Please note all children aged 3-4 are still entitled to their free 15 hours.

Dates for your Diary

Every Friday

Family Friday

Thursday 20th December

Christmas Party Day AM 9:30, PM 1:15

Friday 21st December

Christmas concert – AM 10:30, PM 2:00

Please can all children wear a Christmas jumper.

Friday 21st December

School Closes for Christmas Holidays

Monday 7th January

Children return to nursery

It's cold outside brrrr.....

Now the weather is cold outside please make sure your child brings a coat to nursery and has a **hat, scarf and gloves**. The children really enjoy outdoor play and it is an important part of the curriculum, therefore the children still go outside in the winter. We would like to make sure they are warm and cosy as they play outside.



In the event of extreme weather and the school is at risk of closure please check our school website. If we close it will be on the website. We will do our very best to remain open.

Headlice!

Please check your child's hair every week. This will ensure they are treated promptly. If you require further advice please ask a member of staff.

