

# **East Prescot Road Nursery School**

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Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November 2025

A warm welcome back to school!

What an exciting half-term we have ahead of us! Our new theme is "**Starry**, **starry night**" – children will be learning all about the stars, space, aliens, astronauts and rockets! This week, our new theme started with a bang as we celebrated our annual firework extravaganza on Bonfire Night.

We are so impressed with the amazing rockets, flying saucers and spacecraft that the children made over half-term and have brought into school. Amazing skills! It is clear the children (and all of you parents) have worked so hard. Well done! Don't forget to follow us **@eprns06** to follow all the lovely things happening in school.

As usual, here are some details about upcoming events in school...

## **Snack Fund**

Snack Fund is be due again for this half term. Please send your £12.00 payment into school in an envelope, marked clearly with your child's name and class. Thank you.

## **Children in Need 2025**

**Next Friday (14th November)**, we will be raising money for BBC Children in Need. Children come to school **wearing school uniform with a Pudsey or spotty accessory** (such as a hairband, necktie, socks etc). Or they may decide to wear stick-on coloured spots on their uniform. Please give generously and send your donations into school with your child for this very worthwhile cause. Thank you.

#### **School Photographs**

The photographer will be in school on **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November** to take the children's photographs in their lovely school uniforms. On this day, please send your child to school as you wish them to be photographed (hair etc). You will be able to purchase their photographs in time for Christmas. They make a lovely gift for family.

## Flu Vaccinations

Flu vaccinations are taking place in school on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> November**. Please refer to the letter sent home before half term and ensure that you **scan the QR code** to fill in your child's details and give consent.

#### **Nursery Rhyme Week**

Next week is World Nursery Rhyme Week. Children will be reciting their favourite Nursery rhymes. Nursery rhymes are extremely valuable to support early language and communication development, build confidence and prepare children for reading and writing as they get older. It is so important to read or say rhymes with your child at home.

#### **Punctuality**

If you arrive late (after 8.30am), you will be asked to wait in the foyer with your child until a member of staff becomes available. Please note that **lessons start at 8.30am prompt**.











#### **Attendance**

Please **telephone Joanne Jones** in the school office **by 9:00am** if your child will be absent from school for any reason. If we do not hear from you, we will follow up any unexplained absences as a safeguarding concern.

Children with vomiting and diarrhoea **must not attend school for 48 hours** from the last incident.

## Wednesday Afternoon Club

We **still have a few limited places** in our ever-popular Wednesday Afternoon Club. Now that your child has settled so well, why not let them stay all day on Wednesdays? The cost is £24.00.

# **Children's Birthdays**

Birthday cake is not permitted on account of allergies in school.

# Administering inhalers in school

We do not administer inhalers at specific times at the request of parents. If you know that your child is unwell and therefore requires their inhaler, they should be kept off school until they have recovered.

# **Missing Uniform / Lost Property**

Please ensure that all children's belongings are **clearly labelled with their name**. Items that are not named will be placed in the lost property basket in the foyer.

# Christmas Party Days / End of term

Christmas will soon be here! I want to give your advanced notice of the arrangements for the children's Christmas parties/changes to timings to accommodate these parties. Please see below for details:

Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> December	Nurture Base and Rowan Party Day Children in these classes attend school 11:00am – 2:00pm only No Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club	Birch and Hazel children <u>do not attend</u> school today
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Birch and Hazel Party Day Children in these classes attend school 11:00am – 2:00pm only  No Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club	Rowan & Nurture Base children <u>do not</u> <u>attend</u> school today
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	All children attend school 8.30am – 11.00am  • All children must be collected from school at 11:00am	No Lunch Club or Afterschool

## <u>Dates for your diary</u>

Monday 15th December

Friday 14th November Children In Need (children wear spotty accessories)

Tuesday 18th NovemberSchool photographsThursday 20th NovemberFlu Vaccination in schoolTuesday 9th DecemberHazel Nativity 9:00am

Thursday 11th December

Rowan Nativity 9:00am or 1.30pm (choose one viewing)

Friday 12th December

Birch Nativity 9:00am or 1.30pm (choose one viewing)

Nurture Base Christmas Stay and Play at 10:00am

Nurture Base Christmas Stay and Play at 10:00am Christmas Party Day for Nurture Base and Rowan

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December Christmas Party Day for Birch and Hazel

Wishing you all an enjoyable weekend!

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