



School Newsletter

Monday 9th June 2025



Welcome back to school!

It is hard to believe that this is our last half term. We have lots of exciting activities and events planned for our children, including our trip to Windmill Farm, our Beach Party Week and Graduation. Our theme for the final six weeks of school is "**Come Fly with Me**". Children will be learning all about transport, holidays and the culture and traditions of other countries.

Here are some important reminders...

Fathers' Day Singalong – Friday 13th June

We invite our lovely dads and grandads to come along this Friday to hear the children singing some lovely songs to celebrate Fathers' Day.

Times are as follows:

Rowan	9:00am
Birch	9:00am
Hazel	10:45am
Nurture Base	10:00am

For the 9am slots, you are welcome to wait in school after drop off time.

Windmill Farm – Wednesday 18th June

You should now have returned permission slips and payment for our trip to Windmill Farm, which is next Wednesday.

If you have paid to come as a parent helper, class teacher will confirm by the end of this week whether we will need you to come along. Many thanks for your support.

Library Books

We have lots of library books that have not been returned to school. Please return these as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Sun safety

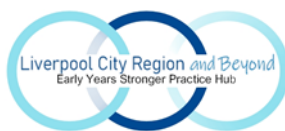
- **Children need a sun hat** that can be kept in school. Please label your child's sun hat clearly with their name and class.
- **Please apply sun lotion every morning before school** to exposed areas of your child's skin (face, neck, arms and legs. Our staff will re-apply sun cream later in the day to keep protection levels topped up.

NELI Preschool

Our book this week is "**Stardust**". Children will be learning the Special Words:

- **star**
- **wish**
- **win**
- **family**

You can find further information to support your child's learning at home by visiting our website. On the landing page, scroll down and click on the tile "NELI Preschool" to find the parents' information leaflet about the book.



School Fund / Snack Fund

Snack Fund is overdue. If you haven't done so already, please pay **£12** for this half term to your child's class teacher.

Summer term school uniform

As the weather improves, many children choose to start coming to school wearing shorts. Children may wear **plain green shorts** or continue to wear their green joggers. We often find that when children make the switch to short trousers, the number of cuts and grazes increases so this is something to be aware of. Less padding means more grazes.

- Summer dresses are not permitted;
- Sandals are not permitted as they do not provide adequate protection for your child's feet;
- Sensible school shoes (e.g. trainers) must continue to be worn with short trousers.

Graduation Events

It has been necessary to make some changes to our graduation timings. Please note your child's class and find the time for their graduation below:

Class	Date	Time
Nurture Base	Wednesday 16th July	<i>Please speak to staff for details</i>
Hazel Class	Thursday 17th July	9.30am – 10.30am
Rowan Class	Thursday 17th July	11.30am – 1.00pm
Birch Class	Thursday 17th July	11.30am – 1.00pm

Owing to the large numbers and limited capacity, we will need to limit places at these events to 2 adults per child.

As has been the case in previous years, children just attend school that day for their graduation, along with their parents/carers.

Attendance and Timekeeping

Please ring the school office and let Joanne Jones know that they won't be in **on the first day of absence**. As a maintained nursery school, we follow the safeguarding procedures and policies of Liverpool City Council. **Any unexplained absence will be followed up as a safeguarding concern.**

Names on all belongings / lost property basket

Please ensure that **all belongings are clearly labelled** with your child's name and class. This includes accessories such as sun hats. There is a lost property basket in the foyer where staff place any items found without a name.

Dates for your diary

Friday 13 th June	Fathers' Day Singalong
Wednesday 18 th June	School trip to Windmill Farm
Wednesday 16 th July	Graduation Day for Nurture Base children
Thursday 17 th July	Graduation Day for Birch, Hazel and Rowan class children
Friday 18 th July	Last Day of School (all children attend school 8.30am – 11.30am)

A huge thank you from all of the team for your ongoing support for our school.

With warmest wishes,

Mr Craig Bolton
Headteacher

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