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November Nursery Newsletter

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INSET Days- Monday 6th January 2025

School times

Nursery sessions are as follows:

AM 8.45am – 11.30am

PM 12.30pm – 3.15pm

30 hours, Yellow and Blue groups 8.45am – 3.15pm

Children arriving after these times will be marked as late.

In a school year , if your child is late every day by....	Your child would have lost	Or missed approximately
5 minutes	3.5 days from school	20 lessons
10 minutes	7 days from school	41 lessons
15 minutes	10 days from school	55 lessons
20 minutes	14.5 days from school	82 lessons
30 minutes	22 days from school	123 lessons

As always, we are here to help you.

Children in Need

On Friday 15th November, children can come into school wearing non-uniform, uniform or spots. We are collecting donations to send to the charity.

Nursery Stay and Play

We will be holding our nursery Stay and Play sessions on Wednesday 4th December. More info to follow.

Christmas Concerts

Wednesday 11th December at 10am - AM and yellow group
2pm - PM, 30 hours and Blue group

Christmas Parties

Wednesday 18th December will be our Christmas Party. Children can come to school dressed in their party clothes.

Christmas Dinner

Children will have a Christmas dinner on Wednesday 18th December. Children who usually have a packed lunch can have a dinner that day. Please let the office know by Friday 29th November. Thank you

Website information

<http://www.acrerigg-inf.durham.sch.uk/>

Our website is updated on a regular basis. You will find information about the curriculum, events in school and policies. All newsletters can be found on the website too.

E Safety message

Use safe search engines such as swiggle.org.uk or kids-search.com. Safe search settings can also be activated on Google and other search engines as well as YouTube and it is possible to lock these so that they can't be inadvertently removed. You can find out more by visiting the Google Safety Centre. Once you've put all of these controls in place have a browse and search for a few things to see what your children might see, if they were to do the same. Remember that voice-activated search works really well now.

Support for parents

As a school, we can offer families practical support. We run a "swap shop". We have new or nearly new uniform for you to choose from. Please email school on acrerigginfants@durhamlearning.net or pop into the office. Miss Garrod and Mrs. Simcox will be happy to help you.

We also have access to food bank and other forms of support. Karen Harrison is our Parent Support Advisor. Karen is on the school gate every Monday morning. She can also be contacted on 07775574978 .

Events for the next half term:

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| Friday 15 th November | - | Children in Need |
| Wednesday 4 th December | - | Stay and Play |
| Wednesday 11 th December | - | Christmas Concerts |
| Friday 13 th December | - | Christmas Jumper Day |
| Wednesday 18 th December | - | Christmas Parties |
| Wednesday 18 th December | - | Christmas Dinner |
| Friday 20 th December | - | School finished for Christmas holidays |

Thank you for your ongoing support

Mrs. K. Longstaff

Head Teacher