

# Playmania Pre-School and Nursery

## Newsletter Summer Term 1



Another successful half term has flown by and we have had so many amazing wow moments. We have had the fire truck visit, nurses, dentists and doctors as well as our Spanish classes. We have had new members of the team start and have made some huge progress with all our little ones. We are excited to see what the next half term brings and have some exciting things planned as always. If anyone has any old toys or games they are looking to donate, or spare clothes we will graciously accept them.

### Next Terms Topic

#### Storytelling & Performance

31st March—11th April 2025

#### Travel & Transport

14th April—23rd May 2025

### Expansion News

The expansion is well under way!

We now have plans in place to get our outdoor playground built. The bare bones of the new classrooms will be done by the end of the Easter Holidays and as soon as Chelsie is back from maternity leave we will begin finalising the provision and displays. Once the rooms are ready we will be in touch about what transition might look like and how we can support your little ones during this change. If your little one is going to school in September please do let us know what school they are going to so we can begin to start the transition in the background by contacting the new schools.

### Travel & Transport

As part of our travel and transport module we have some language sessions for the children.

Chelsie's mother-in-law will be visiting from France to run some French lessons for the children.

Vicky will also be putting her Spanish degree to good use and teaching our littles some Spanish.

Aliya who works in soft play will be running some sessions on traditional Muslim culture.

**If anyone speaks another language or would like to come in and run a workshop about your celebrations, culture and backgrounds please get in touch.**

### Hours Changes

A lot of parents have asked us about changing their little ones hours in September with the new funding coming in. Please do finalise these details with us as soon as possible as we are reaching capacity very quickly on a lot of sessions.

### Reminder - Closure dates coming up

Bank Holiday Friday 18th & Monday 21st April  
Monday 5th - 9th May  
Bank Holiday Monday 26th May

### Tapestry Updates - Important

Please keep your little ones "About Me" profile up to date to date on your tapestry account. It allows us to keep up to date with their interests and continue the one-to-one plans we have in place now.

### Staffing and Nursery Updates

Chelsie has now started her maternity leave and will be returning to work mid June. In her absence, Shannon and Rebecca will be around to support you in any way you need along with the rest of the team. Once her little boy has arrived she will be popping in to introduce him to your littles so I am sure you will see her around.

We are also happy to welcome Megan to the team as a Level 3 practitioner.

We are thrilled to share that Shannon has completed her Level 2 in SEND needs. The work she is doing with our SEND children is amazing and we are so thrilled to be able to further her knowledge even further.

**We would like to wish everyone who celebrates a very happy Easter! We hope the Easter Bunny finds you and Eid Mubarak to all our families celebrating.**