

# Theydon Bois Pre-School Group

# Newsletter 18 October 2021

Dear Parents, Carers,

It has been a very busy first half of the Autumn term at pre-school, we have welcomed back our children from summer 2021 and settled 25 new children into the setting!



One of our topics for this term has been looking at dental hygiene and promoting healthy eating. Our manager Tammy has created a very informative visual display for the children to encourage lots of discussion around healthy foods and brushing teeth!

If you would like further information please <u>click</u> <u>here</u>.



## **Lost Property & Labelling**

If your child has lost an item of clothing at the pre-school, please do have a look in our new lost property box which can be found in the porch area (where you drop/collect lunch boxes), it is a bright pink box so you cannot miss it.

Please could we remind parents to label **ALL** items of clothing, lunch boxes and drinks bottles with your child's name. It is especially helpful at lunch time so that we can ensure lunch boxes and water bottles are given to the correct child.

Sticky name labels can be purchased at <u>Stikins.co.uk</u>. By using <u>this link</u> a percentage of sales will be donated back to the pre-school so you will also be supporting our fundraising initiatives!



# **Parking**

Where possible during the morning drop off, please could we ask parents to try to avoid parking along the wall of the pre-school. This is to allow enough space for our staff to park their cars and open the pre-school to the children for a 9am start.

#### **Christmas 2021**

Over the course of this week your child will be coming home with their Christmas card design for 2021. Should you wish to make a purchase of the card design, please ensure you return the form with payment by **Friday 5 November**. A good percentage of sales of cards and products will be donated to the pre-school and help our fundraising efforts.

### **Nativity**

After much thought and consideration, we regret we will not be inviting parents in for our annual nativity. The children will still take part in a nativity during session time and will also be learning Christmas songs to sing with you at home, so be assured no fun will be missed!

We hope that this will help to keep everyone as healthy as possible in the lead up to the festive season.



**REMINDER – Friday 22 October is an inset day, and the pre-school will be closed.** We wish you all an enjoyable half term and look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 1 November.