



Noah's Ark Christian Pre-School (Buckhurst Hill)
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Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Primary School Admissions

If your child is due to start reception in September 2020, then you will need to make your application for a place now. Please go to:

<https://www.essex.gov.uk/apply-for-a-primary-school-place>

Essex do not send out school place letters or reminders and **you will need to apply online before 15th January 2020.**

Photographs

Nicky Bamber (our friendly photographer) has delivered the photographs that she took of the children. These will be available to buy from Monday. Please note that you cannot take the photographs until you have paid for them. You also cannot take photos of the photos.

Thank You

A massive thank you to Electra's mum & Agnes' mum for coming in last Tuesday to do Christmas crafts with all the children. The tree decorations and cards they made were fantastic.

Nativity (Busy Bees)

The Busy Bees have been practising their Nativity. We hope that they will be in fine voice for their performance on Friday 13th December. The performance will start at 9.45am prompt.



Christmas Singing (Caterpillars)

The Caterpillar children will be performing a few songs on Wednesday 11th December at 9.45am prompt. They are still very young and so the singing will not take too long. But please do come along to see your child sing and stay for a mince pie and squash after.

Photos & Video

Photos & videos may be taken at the nativity & singing. But please do not put these on social media if the images show children other than your own.

Christmas Cards List

You can pick up a list (first names only) of the Busy Bees or Caterpillars from Fran. Just ask!

Christmas Party & visit from Father Christmas

On the last day of term, Wednesday 18th December, we will have our Christmas party. This will include a visit from Father Christmas. If your child does not usually attend on a Wednesday, but you would like them to come to the party then you can pay for the additional session (£18). But please let us know in advance, as we need to ensure we have enough staff. The party will last the whole session and include party food.



Christmas Services at St. John's Church, Buckhurst Hill

St. John's Church, Buckhurst Hill warmly invite you to. . .

Carol Service on 22nd December at 7pm

All age Christmas Service on Christmas Eve at 5pm

Midnight Communion on Christmas Eve at 11.30pm

Family Celebration & Communion on Christmas Day at 10.45pm

Books

Last week the Caterpillars were focussing on the book, The snail & the whale.

The Busy Bees have been focussing on the book, The tiger who came to tea.

New Year

We return in the new year on Monday 6th January 2020.

From all the staff & committee at Noah's Ark Christian Pre-School – we wish you a happy, healthy and peaceful Christmas.

God bless.

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