



## Alcester Nursery Studio Ltd

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### Newsletter November 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have had a wonderful half term break and are ready for the next half term ahead.

#### Setting mobile phone number- 07761203368

We now have a setting mobile number which can be used to send absence text messages if it is easier for you. Please ensure you put your child's name and reason for absence. The phone will be monitored Monday to Friday between the hours of 8-5.

#### Nursery & Wrap-around returns

We return on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November so please ensure your child returns with their red bags if they went home, restocked with nappies, wipes and spare clothes.

#### Meeting your child's keyperson

During w/c 10<sup>th</sup> Nov and w/c 17<sup>th</sup> Nov is our open weeks for you to come in along with other parents, play and chat to your child's key person. Jane and I sent out emails on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> October with the day and time slot you are invited in. Unfortunately with the volume of parents we cannot offer alternative dates.

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Charity no:1032182  
Accredited as a Quality Nursery  
Members of the Early Years Alliance

### School applications

School applications for reception 2026 will open on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2025. Please follow the link to register a place for your child. You have until 15<sup>th</sup> January 2026 to apply but I would suggest you have a look around the local schools that are having open days.

Here is the school application link:

[Applying for a primary school place – Warwickshire County Council](#)

If you have any difficulties applying and would like some help then please do not hesitate to ask me.

### Our Lady's open Day



### Open morning/afternoon Dates at St Nicholas school

Here is the link for St Nicholas School to book a viewing online for a morning or afternoon visit.

[Book a tour | St Nicholas' CofE Primary](#)





## Fees

There are some outstanding fees for October so can you please ensure these are paid before we return on Monday. Thank you!

## Staffing

At the end of last term we said goodbye to Caroline and Claire who have worked at the nursery for many years and have now moved on to new careers. We wish them well with their new adventures.

We are currently recruiting for more staff that must hold a relevant qualification and ideally have 1-2 years' experience working with children 0-5. If you know of anyone who might be interested then please give them my email for more information.

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## Clothing

As the weather is changing and we continue to access the outdoors for long periods of time throughout the day, I am asking you to please dress your children in appropriate clothing for the conditions. The children need a warm coat and layers, if need be, so please work with us to ensure they are dressed appropriately. If your child arrives in wellingtons, then they will need a change of footwear for indoors.

If any clothing is borrowed from nursery then can you please be prompt returning them? Thank you.

## Christmas hamper raffle

Please can I remind you that we would like some donations for our Christmas hamper raffle and any other donations that would be ideal for a raffle? Any proceeds from the raffle go back into the nursery to benefit the children.

## Photographs

You should all have received a link by email to order the photographs that were taken on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. If you want to order for free post to nursery then please ensure you place your orders before 7<sup>th</sup> November.

## Christmas festive cheer

**Monday 1st December** - Christmas festive fun morning for the 2-3's (in nursery) 9.15-10.45.

Maximum of two adults to attend this

event which is held in nursery. There will be singing, and you are encouraged to join in with Christmas crafts with your child. You may wish to dress your child in a Christmas jumper or similar for this event.

**Tuesday 2nd December** - Christmas sing song for preschool (school hall) 10-10.30  
All preschool children are involved in this event so if your child doesn't normally attend on a Tuesday can you please ensure they are in nursery for the morning by 9.30 am. All children are encouraged to wear a Christmas jumper or similar for this event, but please do not go out and buy anything specific. The



sing song will be held in Our Lady's school hall from 10am but you should be able to have access to take your seats from 9.45am. There can be a maximum of 4 adults to this event as it is held in the hall.

### **Christmas Disco**

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December 4.30-6  
£3.50 per child; all nursery children invited.

### **Dates for your Diary**

I apologise for taking a while to get the dates to you but I have finally been able to verify dates of things. The dates list events taking place throughout the year, our training days and holidays when the nursery is closed. Please keep these dates at hand for future reference.

**With Regards**  
**Penny Williams**

**Manager at Alcester Nursery Studio Ltd**