



South Milford Preschool

WELCOME



EARLY YEARS TEACHER!

As some of you are aware, Mel spent all of last year completing her teacher training and officially graduated over the summer! We are so proud to boast that we are a 'Teacher-led setting', able to deliver high quality teaching within the early years sector. If anyone is interested in what this means, further information can be found here: [Teacher standards](#)

LEARNING THIS TERM

Our main aim this term is to settle the children into or back into the preschool routine. We are very excited to hear about their adventures over the summer and will take inspiration from their stories. We will look further into different forms of transport and places around the world they may have visited. We can compare this with our immediate environment looking at similarities and differences. If anyone has any pictures or interesting items from the summer we encourage you to share these! They create wonderful talking points within the group. (If you wish to send a picture feel free to send of whatsapp/email and we will print them off!)

NEW FACEBOOK GROUP

Each year we create a private facebook group for the parents of this year's cohort of children. We share pictures and updates weekly so please follow the page. We will email out an invite for this before the term begins! This year we will be known as the South Milford Preschool Adventurers.

FUNDING

We offer the new 2 year old / under 2 year old funding as part of the Government's Childcare Expansion scheme. You can now apply to access the new funding on your government gateway account. More information on this can be found [HERE](#).

INVOICES

Everyone should have now received an invoice. These are due on or before the 1st September. Those who access funding within preschool will receive an invoice for Snack and Resources on the same platform as government funding only covers your hours used.

TAX FREE CHILDCARE

When paying through TFC please make sure you use the following registration number and postcode:
Registration Number - 2734842
Postcode - LS255AF

Dates for the Diary:

Term begins - Monday 11th September

Term ends - Friday 25th October

October half term - 1 week (w/c, 28/10/24)

Parent consultations - W/C 14th Oct & 21st Oct (ALL)

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We hope everyone has had a lovely summer and we look forward to welcoming you all back to preschool and also welcoming lots of new faces into our preschool community. Our first day back at preschool will be:

MONDAY 9th SEPTEMBER 2024.

New children and families will have been invited to our open morning on Friday 6th September - we hope to see you all there!