

# St Werburghs Park Nursery School Newsletter

Term 1 October 2025

Wow! We are at the end of Term 1 already. It has been lovely to welcome back returning children and their families as well as welcoming new children and families to St Werburghs Park Nursery school. We would love to welcome our new caretaker, Al Wardle, to our St Werburghs family.

This term our focus has been on developing relationships. Key workers and staff have been getting to know children and families and we have been supporting children to make positive relationships with their peers. This is such an important skill for children to learn and develop and takes lots of time and energy for all that are involved.

We hope your children have had a great first term with us.

Best wishes Nicky

Here is a link for some ideas of things to do over half term. There are links to lots of different parks in Bristol if you are looking for somewhere new to go <a href="https://www.bristol.rocks/things-to-do/half-term-in-bristol">https://www.bristol.rocks/things-to-do/half-term-in-bristol</a>

At the beginning of next term, we will be thinking about **Bonfire night** (5<sup>th</sup> November), and we will also be dressing up for **'World Nursery Rhyme**Week' (10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> November)

Thank you to all the grandparents who were able to join us for our stay and play sessions to celebrate World Grandparents' Day. The children enjoyed showing them their classroom and their learning







Just a reminder that we are a nut free school.

Please ensure there are no nut products in your child's lunchbox.

Thanks



Lucy Freeman Assistant Head Teacher Designated Safeguarding



Nicola Brinkworth Assistant Head Teacher Designated Safeguarding Lead

**Our Safeguarding Team** 



Rachel Barnwell
Deputy Head Teacher
Deputy Safeguarding

We were excited to have 'Same Same but Different' Theatre group come and tell us the story of Rama and Sita, to celebrate Diwali. The children were brilliant and joined in with the dancing! The children have also been creating their own Diya Lamps out of clay.









We hope you have been enjoying seeing your child's learning online. It has been lovely to see some of your uploaded photos and comments about what your child has been doing at home! Please check your emails for all the information you will need to log in to your account. If you need any help with this, please phone or email the office

#### **Our New Website!**

# https://www.centralbristolnurseryschool.com

We have Launched our new website this term! Please keep an eye out for your class's weekly news!

## **Primary School applications**

If your child was born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022 you need to apply for a new reception school place. You need to apply by 15 January 2026. You can apply online by clicking on this link:

# https://parent.bristol.gov.uk/web/portal/pages/parents/admissions

If you would like any help, please speak to a member of staff.

## Term Dates and Closure Days 2025 to 2026

Term 1: 2 September 2025 to 24 October 2025

Term 2: 3 November 2025 to 19 December 2025

Term 3: 5 January 2026 to 13 February 2026

Term 4: 23 February 2026 - 2 April 2026

Term 5: 20 April 2026 to 22 May 2026

Term 6: 1 June 2026 to 22 July 2026

## **Inset days**

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – Afternoon Closure (Morning sessions run as normal)

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026 – Full day Closure

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – Afternoon Closure (Morning sessions run as normal)

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026 – Full Day Closure

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2026 – Afternoon Closure (Morning sessions run as normal)

### Governors

If you need to contact our Governors you can call 0117 9030317. You can also email our Chair of Governors on mike.akers@bristol-schools.uk