

Welcome Back!

The team are so pleased to see so many of our wonderful children returning to Cottontails! Although some children will only be with us for a short period, before they start the next part of their journey at Primary School, we are so glad to have the final weeks of the summer term together.

Latest Government Update on Covid-19 Operations: On 2nd July 2020, the Government announced that all Early Years provisions can operate at **full occupancy** from **20th July 2020**. There will be a number of changes to our practise (that have now become the norm) to provide the safest possible environment for all of our children.

- Your child's room will form a 'bubble'; this meaning staff will not cross bubbles where possible, avoiding cross contamination
- Staff have split private space to spend their break and lunchtimes
- We have a rota in place to share the outdoor spaces, keeping 'bubbles' separate at all times
- Entrance to your child's room will remain the same, using the three separate entrances to access the Nursery
- Parents remain unable to enter the Nursery to limit traffic in the small corridor spaces and rooms. We hope to re-introduce stay and play opportunities in the future when the risk has reduced further
- Child updates and daily handover will continue to be via our Family app. If any parents do not have access to this, please notify the nursery so we can arrange an alternative method
- Siblings will now return to their usual room as part of the transition back to 'normal operations'
- We will continue to carry out regular cleaning and sanitisation of areas, including high-traffic points around the Nursery
- Resources within rooms will remain limited (in smaller amounts) to support cleaning practises
- Any child who has been administered medication containing Paracetamol or Ibuprofen will not be able to attend Nursery unless the medicine has been prescribed by a doctor. This is to support the early identification of symptoms, related to the Coronavirus, these medications may mask.

Reassuring Parents: Upon entering the pandemic measures the management team made the clear decision that our children's health and happiness must form the focal point of all action taken. Our children since their return have been able to access their usual continuous provision resources due to the 'bubbles' we maintain.

As we move forward and the measurements ease, we will look to invite all parents and grandparents into the nursery for a range of "stay and play" coffee mornings to thank you all for your support during these times.



£50 off offer... Yes, it is that simple! Refer a friend and if they enrol their child at one of our Cottontails Nurseries you will receive £50 off of your next invoice!

Terms and Conditions:

- Your friend must sign their child up to start with us this year
- The discount will be applied to your invoice when they start with us

01925 224 735

www.cottontailsdaynursery.com



Holiday Club 5 – 11 Years

Tuesday 28th July – Tuesday 4th September 2020

If parents of pre-school graduates, require September transition care, please enquire now so management can forecast numbers.

Holiday club for children who attend Primary school is £26/ day inclusive of food. 8am – 6pm.



Get up to £2,000 towards your childcare costs with Tax-Free Childcare.
childcarechoices.gov.uk



Tax Free Childcare

Tax-Free Childcare can be used to save money on childcare costs, alongside 30 hours. You can receive up to £2,000 per child per year through Tax-Free Childcare and can use this to pay for childcare.

Nursery Uniform

We have now released the Nursery uniform ready for September!

If you have not ordered your child's uniform, please be aware that delivery can take up to 3 weeks.

Ordering forms are available from the Nursery office, Burtonwood or via our Family app.

Pre-school Graduation and Party:

Friday 24th July 2020 9:30am – 2:00pm

All Pre-school children are invited to attend.

Due to Covid-19 parents will not be able to attend.

The Nursery staff will record our traditional ceremony and upload this onto Family.

A professional photographer will be in attendance to take photographs of the children with their cap and scroll.

The Nursery will provide food for the party.





cottontails
At the heart of child development

BABY ROOM

(3months – 18months)

TODDLER ROOM

(18months – 2years 8months)



Emma Reilly

Baby room Manager &
Deputy Nursery Manager



Victoria Atherton

Baby Room Manager



Carolyn Rimmer

Toddler Room Manager



Libby Brown

Toddler Room Practitioner



Sarah Fairhurst

Little Learners Room
Manager

LITTLE LEARNERS

(2Years 8months – 3Years 8months)



Hilary Pritchard

Preschool Teacher



Jenni Gravener

Little Learners Room
Practitioner



Jessica Madden

Little Learners Room
Practitioner

PRESCHOOL ROOM

(3Years 8months – 5Years)

Nursery Chef



Natalie Young

Preschool Room
Manager



Lisa Arnold

SENCO & Member
of Nursery
Management



Dawn Lambert

Nursery Chef

Hanne Bennett

Preschool Teacher and Pre-school
Education Leader



Candina
Lowery

(Maternity Leave)
Pre-school
practitioner



Term Dates for your Diary:

2020 – 2021 Year	Start:	Last Day:	Key Dates to note:
Autumn 1 Term	Monday 7 th September 2020	Friday 16 th October 2020	McMillan Bake off and Coffee Morning: Tuesday 29 th September 2020 (provisional)
Autumn 2 Term	Monday 26 th October 2020	Friday 18 th December 2020	Spooktacular Stay and Play! Friday 30 th October 2020 – Fancy Dress Welcomed (provisional) Parents Evening: Tuesday 10 th November 2020 Wednesday 11 th November 2020 Pre-school Christmas Performance: Thursday 3 rd December 2020 (2pm Performance) Friday 4 th December 2020 (10am Performance) Christmas Parties: All room parties to be during the week of 7 th December 2020. Day and Time for individual rooms tbc. Christmas Craft Fayre: Saturday 19 th December 2020 (provisional date)
Spring 1 Term	Monday 4 th January 2021	Friday 12 th February 2021	Friday 12th February 2021: Valentines Dinner - children and parents invited. Food to be served by the Nursery. Booking forms will be sent out. (provisional date)
Spring 2 Term	Monday 22 nd February 2021	Thursday 1 st April 2021	Bank Holiday: (Nursery Closed) Friday 2 nd April 2021 Mother's Day Morning: Friday 12 th March 2021 (provisional) Parents Evening: Tuesday 16 th March 2021 Wednesday 17 th March 2021 Family Egg Hunt! Wednesday 31 st March & Thursday 1 st April (provisional dates) Individual Rooms will be allocated Times and Days.
Summer 1 Term	Monday 19 th April 2021	Friday 28 th May 2021	Bank Holiday: (Nursery Closed) Monday 3 rd May 2021 Monday 31 st May 2021 Sports Day! (Provisional week due to Weather) Week Commencing 24 th May 2021
Summer 2 Term	Monday 14 th June 2021	Monday 26 th July 2021	Father's Day Morning: Friday 18 th June 2021 (provisional) Pre-school Graduation: Friday 23 rd July 2021 10am – 2pm Summer Open Day: Saturday 24 th July 2021

2021 – 2022 Year	Start:	Last Day:	Key Dates to note:
Autumn 1 Term	Monday 6 th September 2021	Friday 22 nd October 2021	McMillan Bake off and Coffee Morning: Tuesday 28 th September 2021 (provisional)
Autumn 2 Term	Monday 1 st November 2021	Friday 17 th December 2021	Spooktacular Stay and Play! Friday 29 th October 2021 – Fancy Dress Welcomed (provisional) Parents Evening: Tuesday 9 th November 2021 Wednesday 10 th November 2021 Pre-school Christmas Performance: Thursday 2 nd December 2021 (2pm Performance) Friday 3 rd December 2021 (10am Performance) Christmas Parties: All room parties to be during the week of 6 th December 2021. Day and Time for individual rooms tbc. Christmas Craft Fayre: Saturday 18 th December 2021 (provisional date)
Spring 1 Term	Wednesday 5 th January 2022	Friday 18 th February 2022	Friday 11th February 2022: Valentines Dinner - children and parents invited. Food to be served by the Nursery. Booking forms will be sent out. (provisional date)
Spring 2 Term	Monday 28 th February 2022	Tuesday 5 th April 2022	Bank Holiday: (Nursery Closed) Monday 18 th April 2022 Parents Evening: Tuesday 15 th March 2022 Wednesday 16 th March 2022 Mother's Day Morning: Friday 11 th March 2022 (provisional) Family Egg Hunt! Thursday 31 st March & Friday 1 st April (provisional dates) Individual Rooms will be allocated Times and Days.
Summer 1 Term	Tuesday 19 th April 2022	Friday 27 th May 2022	Bank Holiday: (Nursery Closed) Monday 2 nd May 2022 Sports Day! (Provisional week due to Weather) Week Commencing 23 rd May 2022
Summer 2 Term	Monday 13 th June 2022	Tuesday 26 th July 2022	Father's Day Morning: Friday 17 th June 2022 (provisional) Pre-school Graduation: Friday 22 nd July 2022 10am – 2pm Summer Open Day: Saturday 23 rd July 2022