



# Worstead Pre-school

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## December 2024 Newsletter

### **Message from Clare:**

Christmas is coming!

We will be doing lots of lovely Christmas activities with the children.

Bethany has been busy with the children preparing Christmas pictures, which you will be given the details for soon.

Christmas lunch on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December.

Christmas and cake craft morning on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December. Tombola – All parents/carers welcome. Please bring some coins for the tombola.

Christmas raffle will be drawn on 9<sup>th</sup> December – Remember to hand in tickets and money

Closed 23<sup>rd</sup> December – 27<sup>th</sup> December.

Closed 1<sup>st</sup> January 2025

Reopen for "all year-round children" on 30<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Reopen for "term time only children" 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025

We look forward to booking parent/carers meetings in January. This is a great chance for you to catch up on your child's learning and development and have a chat with your children's key worker.

We have created a meet the staff board in the preschool for parents/carers to familiarise themselves with who we are and what we do. We hope this will be a helpful improvement, please feel free to come into the preschool and look.

Do you have any questions?

Would you like to make any suggestions?

We value your input and we want your child to learn and develop to the best of their abilities and we can't do it without you.

We will be starting sensory food play after Christmas. This is to help children discover new foods, healthy foods and incorporate all the senses. Children will be able to touch, taste, see, smell the foods and listen when we talk about them.

Thank you to all for your continuing support

Many thanks

Clare, Bethany, Emma M, Emma A, Sally, Brooke, Karis and Ryan

### **Message from the Committee:**

We would love to see more new faces join our committee. If you are interested, please contact Karen [admin@worsteadpreschool.co.uk](mailto:admin@worsteadpreschool.co.uk). Tickets for the Christmas draw have been selling fast. All children were sent home with tickets Please hand in your sales and any unsold tickets to the preschool asap. Good luck to all that has purchased tickets.

Wishing you all a very happy Christmas

### **Message from Karen:**

Thank you for returning your funding claim forms and confirming sessions. If your circumstances change, please let me know. If you are having trouble trying to see if you are eligible for 30-hour funding, please let me know as I can help.

We will not be able to offer ad-hoc sessions from January 2025 as we are full in the mornings. We do have a few afternoon sessions but again these are going fast. If you would like your child to attend the holiday club over the Christmas period, please contact me at [admin@worsteadpreschool.co.uk](mailto:admin@worsteadpreschool.co.uk) and I will get a space booked.

Karen

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