

ELEPHANT & CASTLE CHILD CARE CENTRE



November 2021 Newsletter

NOTABLE EVENTS AND HAPPENINGS

Christmas Party Day
Friday 10th December,
2pm to 4pm.
Christmas closing, 5pm
17th December and
opening after new year
Wednesday 5th January.

GENERAL NEWS

We had an absolute blast celebrating Halloween. Thank you for taking part, the children in their costumes looked amazing.

Christmas Party With sadness the decision has been made that families will not be able to attend the party. We only have a small space and any form of social distancing is not possible. Hopefully, next year we can get back to normal. All our children are invited to attend, Christmas jumpers essential. Father Christmas will be attending this year. Further details will be following in the December newsletter. As you are all aware, coronavirus cases are rising in our region and we must remain cautious. However, It is very apparent that the children are very susceptible to contracting various viruses at the moment. Please keep testing twice a week with the lateral flow tests. If you suspect your child is suffering from covid-19 symptoms please access a PCR test. If we think your child is experiencing possible symptoms we will give guidance.

PLANNING

Interest- Our Pets

Book of the Month- Handa's Surprise. Towards the end of the month ask your child about Handa and the fruit. This supports and develops their recall skills.

Song of the Month- Twinkle Twinkle Little Star.

During November we will be discussing and crafting for Bonfire Night. On Remembrance Day we will be participating in the Minute Silence and making craft items. November 30th is St Andrew's Day and we will be celebrating this also.

Reception Class Admission 2022.

If your child was born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018, they are due to start school in reception class, September 2022. You will need to make an application. This can be done online or you could download an application form on the norfolk.gov.uk website. For more information on the admission process please also refer to the website and the Parents Guide. The closing date for admission is the 15th January.

