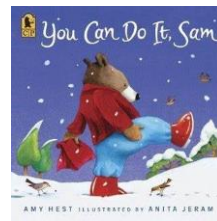
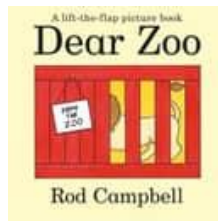


Happy New Year!! We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break.

This terms themes



7th – 10th January = Inductions and Christmas feedback

We look forward to welcoming our new families and hearing all about the children's Christmas.

This week we will be looking at our favourite stories

13th – 17th January = Weather and Favourite stories

We will be introducing our theme of weather and looking at wintery weather and the seasons.

Our book this week is **Stick Man**

20th – 24th January = Weather and Favourite stories

As we look at the story of The Gruffalos child we shall be talking about our friends and feelings, we shall be using story prompts to retell the story and look at different ways we can make marks in the snow.

Our story for this week is **The Gruffalos Child**

27th – 31st January = Chinese New Year

We shall be bringing lots of role-play into our sessions this week, as we celebrate the Chinese New Year. It is the year of the snake, so look out for lots of snakes and animals this week.

Our story this week is **Dear Zoo**

3rd – 7th February = Families

Over the next two weeks, we will be thinking about our families and those people who are special to us.

Our story for this week is **You can do it Sam**

10th – 14th February = Valentines

As we think about ways we can share with those we love we shall be looking at the book Biscuit Bear and, possibly making our own biscuits to share!

Our story this week is **Biscuit Bear**

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 22nd January 7:00pm = Committee meeting

If you are interested in becoming committee members please get in touch, we rely on parents being a part of our committee so we can keep our pre-school running. At this meeting the new committee will be focusing on fundraising for the new year.

Half term holiday 17th – 21st February 2025

Easter holiday 7th – 22nd April 2025

Reminders

- **If your child has suffered from any illness or sickness and diarrhoea it is required that your child does not attend Playstation until 48 hours after their last symptoms. We do not have the facilities or staffing to nurse children who are unwell. If your child needs Calpol please keep them at home.**
- **If your child is unwell or will not be attending a session, please can you either call or email as soon as possible at the start of the session, in order for the register to be marked appropriately, thank you.**
- We are a **nut free** setting. Please can you ensure if your child has chocolate spread in their lunch box it is a nut free variety.
- Can you ensure your child has a suitable footwear for playing outside, along with a change of footwear suitable for playing indoors. **In light of a recent fire drill please can we ask you to encourage your child to have suitable footwear for playing indoors, rather than bare feet, thank you.**
- If your child is in nappies please could we remind you to provide nappies and wipes as appropriate, along with a change of clothing.
- **Please ensure all your child's belongings are named, especially water bottles, sunhats and comfort toys, this stops any confusion and upset!**
- We understand that children like to bring in comfort toys or items, please could you encourage your child to bring in one small items of low value that can fit in their bag, thank you

If your child was born between 1st September 2021 and 31st August 2022 They will be eligible for a school nursery place in September. Please contact your chosen school to ensure they are enrolled as soon as possible, as places can be limited.



Please remember to use easyfundraising when you do your online shopping. Over 7,500 brands including eBay, John Lewis & Partners, Argos and M&S will donate to Playstation Pre-school - Hadleigh for **FREE** when you use easyfundraising to shop with them. This means you can raise donations for us when you buy anything from your weekly food shop to holidays!

#MakeItCount <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/playstationps/>

More information on how to sign up is on our website
www.playstationhadleigh.co.uk



Uniform

Whilst we do not require children to wear a uniform, we do offer the opportunity for parents to purchase t-shirts and fleeces to avoid getting the children's own clothing messy. If you would like to purchase, please speak with a member of staff. We also have some second hand uniform available for a small donation to playstation.

2 year old T-shirts - £7.00 3-4 year old polo shirts - £7.50

Micro fleeces £14.50 Heavy fleece - £16.50

Useful contacts

South Suffolk Family Hub Blossom House, Unit 7/8 Hadleigh Enterprise Park, Crockatt Road, Hadleigh, IP7 6RJ. 01473 265566


Health Business Hub The Health Business Hub can signpost you in the right direction for Health visitor, family support etc 0345 6078866 or childrenshealth@suffolk.gov.uk


Homestart For family support 01473 621104

PSNDAS for pre and postnatal depression advice and support 0843 2898401

SENDIASS Special Educational Needs and Disability Information and Support Services 01473 265310

Ways to keep in touch

 **Facebook Page** Check out our face book page, for weekly updates links to other parents' pages and more! [Playstationpreschool](#)

 **Tapestry** Please check your account regularly for latest updates. The weekly news and latest notices can be found on the **memo page**

Website Our website has the latest news and information.
www.playstationhadleigh.co.uk



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Telephone Our phone number is 01473 824271



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