

Our termly plan, which shows what the children will be learning, is on our website:

<http://www.matlockpreschoolplaygroup.yolasite.com/learning-and-development.php>

For example, this term we will be concentrating on the following:

- ✓ Personal, Social and Emotional Development – **Managing Feelings and Behaviour**
- ✓ Communication and Language Development – **Listening and Attention**
- ✓ Physical Development – **Health and Self-Care**
- ✓ Literacy Development – **Reading**
- ✓ Mathematics – **Numbers**
- ✓ Understanding the World – **The World**
- ✓ Expressive Arts and Design – **Exploring and Using Media and Materials**

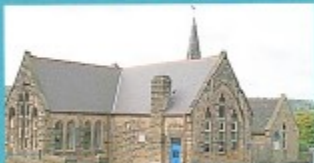


PLEASE SHARE YOUR CHILD'S ACCOMPLISHMENT WITH US—PICK UP A LEAF FROM PRE-SCHOOL, JOT DOWN THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS AND POP IT IN THEIR GREEN FOLDER.

If your child was born between 01/09/2013 and 31/08/2014 you must apply by midnight on 15/01/2017 to get them a place at primary school. Apply online at www.derbyshire.gov.uk/admissions or call 01629 537479. We have been given a few leaflets about applying which will be on the parents table.

Please note that Playgroup has no influence or further information about applying and cannot apply on your behalf.

MATLOCK
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SCHOOL



OPEN DAYS

www.matlockallsaints.derbyshire.sch.uk

MONDAY 6TH
NOVEMBER 2017
9:15AM

MONDAY 13TH
NOVEMBER 2017
1:30PM

Matlock Pre-school Playgroup
Association Registered charity
No.512263

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Special points of interest:

Children find it very disruptive if staff have to keep answering the door to late comers. Doors open at:

9am for Tin Hut and

8:50am & 12:20pm for Woolley Road

Contact details:

Tin Hut: 01629 583639
Woolley Road: 07789737417

Katy Taylor:

Please use in holiday time to contact pre-school or for general enquiries
07792 353802

Please let us know if there are any changes to your details.

E-mail:

matlockpreschool@gmail.com

Website:

www.matlockpreschoolplaygroup.yolasite.com

[yolasite.com](http://www.matlockpreschoolplaygroup.yolasite.com)

Apply for a primary or infant school place



FUNDRAISING



YOU can help raise donations for us without even leaving your sofa. And it doesn't cost you a penny! The Giving Machine is a fundraising organisation designed to help charitable causes raise money online. By signing up and shopping online via The Giving Machine you will generate a free cash donation for Matlock Pre-school Playgroup Association. With all your favourite retailers, including Amazon, Ebay, M&S, NEXT, Tesco, Sainsbury, John Lewis and Ocado, you are bound to find what you need and generate a

donation.

To sign up FAST, follow this link NOW:

<https://www.thegivingmachine.co.uk/causes/matlock-pre-school-playgroup-association/support/>

Sign up BEFORE you Christmas shop!

KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR...

The children have been making you their own Christmas design to go on **Christmas Cards**, tags, mugs, and other small gifts. A sample card with an order form will be in your book bags in time to order for Christmas.

This years nativity will be Thurs 7th Dec at All Saints Church at 10am,

with pre-show refreshments in the hall from 9am where there will be a raffle and a chance to pre-book a DVD of the performance. **Raffle tickets and Nativity flyers** will be in book bags.

Brrrrr... we want the children outside as much as possible so don't forget to send them to playgroup with waterproof footwear, a warm winter coat, hat and mittens (gloves take far too long to put on at 5 minutes per finger!)

Also, please label your child's clothes and bags to avoid mix ups.

Thank you



Events



Dates	Event
WC 6 th Nov	WR Parents Consultations (to be arranged individually)
Thurs 7 th Dec	Nativity at All Saints' Church 10am (pre-nativity fun 9am in the Church Hall)
Fri 15 th Dec	Christmas Parties * (TH-am / WR-pm, invites to follow)
Fri 15 th Dec	Pre-school Closes
Mon 2 nd Jan	Pre-school Opens
Wed 17 th Jan	Committee Meeting at Tin Hut (all welcome) 7.30pm
Fri 15 th Feb	Pre-school Closes
Mon 26 th Feb	Pre-school Opens
Thurs 1 st Mar	World Book Day *
Mar Date TBC	TH Open Morning (invite to follow)
Wed 14 th Mar	Committee Meeting at Woolley Road (all welcome) 7.30pm
Fri 23 rd Mar	Pre-school Closes
Mon 9 th Apr	Pre-school Opens
Mon 30 th Apr	Committee Meeting at Tin Hut (all welcome) 7.30pm
May Date TBC	WR Open Morning 9-10.30am
Date TBC	Parents Evenings
Date TBC	Starlight Charity Clothing Collection
Date TBC	Individual Photos & WR Leavers Group Photo (from 9am)
Fri 25 th May	Pre-school Closes
Mon 4 th Jun	Pre-school Opens
Wed 6 th Jun	Committee Meeting at Woolley Road (all welcome) 7.30pm
Date TBC	Summer Fair
Date TBC	Summer Trip for Children & Parents **
Fri 13 th Jul	Pre-school Closes ***

* Children can come in their favourite jumper or a hat and bring a donation for World Book Day. The money goes to provide books for children in developing countries

** Invite to follow (all children and parents are invited but pre-school will be open for those children who do not attend the trip)

*** A week earlier than schools

