

*Welcome to all our Seaford kindy families*

**Seaford Kindy News....January/February 2019**



*Celebrating child centred learning, caring and curiosity*

A warm welcome to all our families for 2019. This week, along with this newsletter, you will receive an information sheet highlighting some important routines and safety messages about kindy.

***Below is a list of which Friday mornings your child will be attending this term. Kindy on Friday mornings starts at 8.30 and finishes at 12.30pm. Although children do not stay for lunch it is advisable that you send along extra for their morning snack (eg some fruit plus some cheese and dry biscuits etc).***

**The dates for the Monday/Tuesday group to attend are:**

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February, 15<sup>th</sup> February, 1<sup>st</sup> March, 15<sup>th</sup> March, 29<sup>th</sup> March and the 12<sup>th</sup> April.**

**The dates for the Wednesday/Thursday group to attend are:**

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 8<sup>th</sup> March, 22<sup>nd</sup> March and the 5<sup>th</sup> April.**

**As a further reminder as to which group is attending that week for the Friday session, a note is placed at the top of the white noticeboard near the entrance.**

***Please advise staff if your child will not be attending the Friday morning sessions. We need to make changes on our system when families are not intending to send their child on a Friday (otherwise it will be recorded as ongoing absences). If you have informed us that your child can not attend Fridays and for whatever reason they are able to make a Friday, please see staff and we can add them for that particular session.***

**Please remember our full days at kindy finish at 3 pm. If you need to collect your child earlier ( eg you need to collect older children from other schools) staff would appreciate it if early collection of kindy children is prior to 2.45pm. Often at the end of the day children are involved in a group time (for stories, games etc.) and can find it difficult to concentrate if children are being collected. Thank you for your support with this!**



**During this term I am planning to meet with every family for approximately 10-15 minutes as a catch-up to talk about their child... this information will help us in planning for children. We have found this a valuable way to work with families in building up a profile for each child. 🌱 🌱 🌱**

**We look forward to a great year ahead... *from Heather and all the kindy staff!***