



Little Oaks Montessori - Spring Term Newsletter

We hope you had a lovely Christmas and New Year! After our relaxing break, we are very much looking forward to an exciting term ahead.

During this half term the children will be learning about 'Space' and then moving onto 'Time'.

French

For the first half of this term our French topic will be 'The Weather'. Please go to <https://littleoaksmontessori.co.uk/about-us/french/> to view our weekly lesson plans. A vocabulary sheet will be emailed to parents shortly, giving full details of the French words that will be learnt this term. Our French lessons are for our children entering reception class in September 2020.

Woodland School

Please go to <https://littleoaksmontessori.co.uk/about-us/woodland-school/> for our Spring term Woodland School dates.

Blog

For new parents, our weekly blog can be viewed at <https://littleoaksmontessori.co.uk/blog/>. The password is

My Montessori Child

We are very excited to announce Little Oaks will be implementing 'My Montessori Child', the worlds most advanced early education system for online record keeping. The system is user friendly and has many wonderful features. Some of these include; weekly observations of your child, with photographs, so you know exactly what your child has been learning at school each week; a home page with information about what your child is interested in at school and ideas of how to further their learning at home. Parents are also able to add observations from home, informing teachers of children's progress/experiences from outside the classroom and contributing to their child's learning journey.

The system is very secure, and you will only be able to access your own child's information. Please see the attached letter from David Gettman, the founder of My Montessori Child, for further information.

We expect to have this system ready for parents to access at the end of this half term. A parents evening will be held by David Gettman at Little Oaks, to give parents a full explanation and demonstration on how to use My Montessori Child. You will be informed of the date of this evening shortly. If you have any questions in the meantime, please do not hesitate to ask Miss Katie, Miss Amy or David directly at: admin@mymontessorichild.com

Clothing

A reminder to ensure your child has appropriate outdoor clothing (hats, gloves etc.), as we incorporate outdoor learning in the children's daily curriculum.

Term dates

Half term – 17th – 21st February

End of term – Friday 27th March