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Spring Term 2 Newsletter 2026

We hope you are enjoying your week.

The next term is a busy term- please note the dates, this is a 5-week term and due to funding term dates are slightly different from school this year.

This term we will be holding our Parents/Carers consultations, World Book Day, Easter hat making and we will finish the term with our Easter Hat parade and festivities!

The first day of the new term is **Monday 23rd February 2026**

Themes and learning opportunities

The Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) sets the standards that all early years providers must meet to ensure that children learn and develop well and are kept healthy and safe. It promotes teaching and learning to ensure children's 'school readiness' and should support children to gain a broad range of knowledge and skills that provide the right foundation for good future progress through school and life. We also follow the non-statutory guidance, 'Development matters' to help support our own knowledge.

We will provide a high quality, enabling environment that supports the seven areas of learning and nurtures children's interests. The curriculum will continue in the format of 'themes' and will support each unique child. The themes will be as follows:

23rd February- 20th March: People who help us

23rd March- 1st May: Spring and animals

4th May- 5th June: Health and wellbeing

8th June- 3rd July: Space, the world, travel, summer

6th July- 20th July: School and transitions

We will also be following and supporting the children's interests and incorporating them to support their learning. Alongside our themes, we have accompanying songs and themed poems from 'The Poetry Basket' as well as letters of the week - the first letter of the first week of the new term will be 'U', the number of the week will be number '1' and the poem will continue to be 'Popcorn' you can view the poem with Makaton here: [Poetry Basket - Popcorn](#) or <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r95dKqmWMCU> we will also be looking at an older poem from the Poetry Basket 'Pancakes' - a relevant poem for this time of year!

Show and Tell

At Pre-school we welcome every child to bring something in from home to 'show and tell' during morning registration. It's a great opportunity for them to extend their communication, language and personal, social and emotional development. To make it fair, we ask that children show something **once** a week to allow everyone to have a turn. We are asking for children to **only** bring in specific items such as something that shows their achievements, something they have made, something related to our letter of the week or an item related to our current theme. Please label items from home if possible.

Take Home Ted

Take home Ted is our Pre-school Teddy, children who are due to start school this September will all have a chance to take him home for a week so he can join them on their adventures- this could be anything from a trip to the library or visiting family . Please add pictures, some words or allow your child to draw a picture of them with Ted visiting so they can share it with their friends when he returns with them to Pre-school.

Helpers at Pre-school

If you or a family member has a job or a hobby or if you would like to share cultural or religious celebrations important to your family with us, we would love to welcome you to Pre-school for a one off visit where you can share information with our children - For our next theme 'People Who Help Us' we are hoping to have some additional visits from 'people who help us' and are looking to invite more people who have occupations that would reflect 'helping people' this could be police officers, doctors, nurses, dentists, librarians etc. if you or anyone you know has a job that 'helps' and would be happy to come to Pre-school to give a short talk to the children about this, please let us know. Alternatively, if you'd like to come and read a favourite story or help us with our garden area, please let a member of staff know and we can arrange a convenient date for you.

Planned Educational Visitors to Pre-school

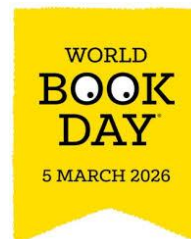
We have some dates booked in with Alice from Goblin Coombe Forest school, these will take place in June. I will be in touch closer to the time with more details.

We are looking forward to having a visits from a local PCSO and a member of the team at Tesco Nailsea during our 'People who help us' Theme.

We have also invited dentists and the library to visit and hope that they are able to join us!

World Book Day

From the week commencing **Monday 2nd March**, we will be celebrating World Book Day, this takes place On Thursday 5th March but to make sure all children are included, we are looking at World Book Day all week! We are asking every child to bring in their favourite book from home on a day they attend during the week to share with their friends. We are not adding additional pressure by asking for children to dress up, although they can if they wish to - we know siblings often dress up at school.



Parent/Carer and Key Person Consultations

Working in partnership with you is an important element in supporting your child's learning and development.

From the week commencing **Monday 9th March** and **Monday 16th March** we will be having parent/carers and key person meetings to discuss your child's progress in more depth, these will last up to 10 minutes each, if you would like a longer appointment, this can be arranged at an alternative time.

There will be sign up sheets from the week commencing **Monday 23rd February** please book a slot with your child's key person asap- spaces are limited due to staffing. If you are unable to make any of the days/times allocated to your child's key person, or unable to sign up, please speak to a member of staff or email info@grovepreschoolnailsea.co.uk

The meetings are an opportunity to discuss things in more detail, however, key people or Leader, Caroline Reynolds can be available whenever it is needed to have a more detailed chat.

We will also be handing out Parent/Carer questionnaires to help us, please complete these and return them to Pre-school, your thoughts are valued by us.

Easter Hat Making and Easter Hat Parade

For the week commencing **Monday 2nd March** we are inviting parents/carers in to Pre-school at 9am to create Easter hats with your child. If you cannot attend the dates, please let a member of staff know and we will make a bag of crafts up for you to make the Easter hat at home with your child.

There will be a sign up sheet from the week commencing **Monday 23rd February** so that we have an idea of numbers on each day. Once you have made your hat with your child, please take it home as we have limited storage space. Please bring these back with your children for the **Easter Hat Parade on Friday 27th March**



The top 3 will win a small prize, we will be looking for the Easter hats that have the most **child input**.

On **Friday 27th March from 1.30pm**, we are inviting **all children** and their families to join us for an Easter Hat parade, refreshments and an Easter hamper draw - this will take place in The Grove, please drop children who do not usually attend on a Friday at The Pre-school door, then all adults (and siblings) are to enter The Grove door at the front of the building and take a seat in the bar area, ready for the parade to start around **1.40pm**

The fundraising committee will be using the funds raised on the day to benefit the children at Pre-school

Fundraising

Currently, we are raising funds to replace and purchase new and updated resources for the children such as puzzles, STEM activities, new tills for the roleplay area, outside resources etc.

Through Pre-school organised events and with the help of past and present parents/carers we are hoping our next project will be to update our heating/cooling to a more energy efficient system.

Easter Hampers

It's that time of year again when we are asking for donations of Easter chocolate/ gifts and crafts for our Easter hamper draw at the end of this term.

Money raised from this will be used to benefit our children at Pre-school. Please bring in any donations from the first day of term until Thursday 19th March when donations will be used to create hampers. Many thanks in advance!



At Grove Pre-school we love to take part in events supporting our local community, if you or someone you know are supporting the local community, please let us know, we are always happy to support a great cause!

[INNCo/SENCo support](#)

At Grove Pre-school, Caroline Reynolds is Pre-school Inclusion Co-ordinator (INCCo), this is also referred to at times as a Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator (SENCo).

Ms Reynolds helps to oversee any additional needs the children may require support with e.g. speech and language support, emotional development support etc. Ms Reynolds also supports families with English as an additional language.

The aim as Pre-school INCCo is to work in partnership with parents/carers, supporting the staff team and working with outside agencies such as the speech and language team or the North Somerset Area SENCo.

If you have any concerns about your child's development please discuss this with their key person and they will pass it on to Caroline Reynolds, alternatively, you can speak directly to Caroline Reynolds.

[The North Somerset SEND Hub](#)

The North Somerset SEND hub is a useful website for parents/carers to view to see what is available in our area. [SEND Hub \(Local Offer\) | North Somerset Council](#)

[Online Support for All Families](#)

[Tiny Happy People \(Cbeebies Parenting\)](#)

There is an overwhelming amount of advice aimed at parents/carers online, some of which can be conflicting!

A great website with reputable advice is Tiny Happy People - Cbeebies Parenting: [Tiny Happy People](#)

There is also a great page about Pre-schoolers on the website here: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/science-and-facts>

[Family Corner by The Early Years Alliance](#)

At Pre-school, we are a member of Early Years Alliance, they are offering a support and information service for families -

[Home | Early Years Alliance Family Corner](#) / https://www.familycorner.co.uk/#msdynmkt_trackingcontext=216b7465-caec-4c67-8c5a-8e1b10f40100

Family Corner: helps families to develop positive home learning environments.

On Family Corner, the Alliance's family arm, they offer a wide range of exciting sessions for parents and carers who would like to learn more about supporting their children's learning.



Term Dates Feb 2026- July 2026

Term	First Day of Term	Last Day Of Term
Spring Term 2	Monday 23 rd February 2026	Friday 27 th March 2026
Summer Term 1	Monday 13 th April 2026	Friday 22 nd May 2026
Summer Term 2	Monday 1 st June 2026	Monday 20 th July 2026

Pre-school is closed during Bank holidays.

Children's health/illnesses

Children can develop a range of common illnesses.

To help guide parents and carers on how best to treat their children at home, a team of paediatric experts has developed the HANDi App. The HANDi app aims to provide advice and support to parents and carers when a child is unwell.

The HANDi app offers simple and straightforward advice, for the following conditions in children:

- diarrhoea and vomiting
- high temperature
- 'chesty baby' illnesses, such as bronchiolitis, asthma and croup
- 'chesty child' illnesses, such as wheezing and asthma
- tummy pain
- head injuries.

You can download the app here: [HANDi app - BNSSG Healthier Together](#)

Please remember, children should not attend pre-school if they have a temperature, even if this has been treated with medicine. They should not attend Pre-school if they have had diarrhoea or sickness until 48 hours after the last episode. As we have a small staff team, we may be unable to open if there are too many of us unwell.

For more information please visit the NHS website: [Is my child too ill for school? - NHS](#)

Important Dates for Spring Term 2

Event	Date	Time
Easter hamper donations accepted	From Monday 23d February	-
Easter hat making	W/C Monday 2 nd March	Sign up
World Book Day	W/C Monday 2 nd March	-
Parents/carers consultations	W/C Monday 9 th and 16 th March	Sign up
Easter hat parade	Friday 27 th March	1:30pm

Coming up

School starters Sept 2026

Now you have applied for a school place for your child, if they are starting school in September 2026, the next important date is 16th April this is 'National Offer Day' where the school place for your child will be offered and you will need to respond to this.

Please let your child's key person know which school your child is confirmed to attend, we will then look at encouraging children to engage in focus group activities in school groups.

Please see the school admissions website for more information:

[Parent guides | North Somerset Council](#)

or

<https://n-somerset.gov.uk/my-services/schools-learning/school-admissions/apply-school-place/parent-guides>

11.59pm on 15 January 2026	The deadline for applications to be submitted to North Somerset Council.
16 April 2026 <i>or the next working day if this falls on a weekend or bank holiday</i>	If you made an 'on time' application and provided an email address, you will receive your outcome via email.
National Offer Day	If you made an 'on time' application and did not provide an email address, your outcome letter will be sent out by second class post on this day.
By 30 April 2026	You must respond to your offer by this date.



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PLEASE BRING ALONG ANY SIBLINGS YOU
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GOES TO YOUR GROUP.

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& PRODUCTS.

WE WILL BE AT YOUR GROUP ON

Wednesday 6th May

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Photographer at Pre-school

This year, we will be having a photographer visit Pre-school on **Wednesday 6th May**.

All children in on that day will be photographed and you will receive a sample and be able to buy digital or physical copies if you wish.

If your child does not attend on a Wednesday or you would like photographs with siblings. Please book a time slot on the sign up sheet when it is available

Information for new starters and reminders

Pre-school Curriculum goals

At Grove Pre-school we will provide an enabling environment that supports and extends all children's learning and development, including children with English as additional language and Special Educational Needs.

We will implement the Early Years Foundation Stage to holistically cover all 7 areas of learning and development and support all characteristics of effective learning through flexible planning which is responsive to individual children's needs, interests and experiences.

As follows are goals that are important to us at Grove Pre-school. We aim to work in partnership with parents/carers to help children to be able to learn, remember and master some important skills by the end of their journey at Pre-school.

Communication and language:

- To know and be able to recite, with actions, at least 6 poems from the Poetry basket with support
- To know and be able to sing at least 6 familiar songs, with actions
- To be able to retell our chosen Pre-school stories – 'Barbara's Very Useful Guide to Moods' by Nadia Shireen, 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle, 'Misha Makes Friends' by Tom Percival, 'We're going on a Bear Hunt' by Michael Rosen and 'The Three Little Pigs' by First Readers

Personal, social and emotional development:

- To be aware of their different emotions and know at least 2 healthy ways to help regulate their own emotions, with the help of our wellbeing box.
- To know our pre-school rules that support our British values. – Play safe, be safe, share and take turns, listen to each other, be kind to others and have fun!

Physical Development:

- For children to be able to complete an obstacle race
- To be able to be independent and knowledgeable about their self-care -to be able to use the toilet, washing their hands properly, putting their shoes and coats on.
- To make healthy choices about food, drink, activity and oral hygiene

Literacy:

- To show an early interest in stories and a passion for reading with a focus on our 5 chosen Pre-school books - 'Barbara's Very Useful Guide to Moods', 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar', 'Misha Makes Friends', 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' and 'The Three Little Pigs'
- To know the structure and storyline of our 5 chosen Pre-school books and be able to reference them and describe what happens during the different parts – beginning, middle and the end.
- To recognise and write some of their name

Maths

- For children to be able to subitise and have a deeper understanding of numbers 1-5
- To be able to describe a familiar walk and route we take at pre-school

Understanding the world

- To know the metamorphosis process of a caterpillar to a butterfly and to know how to grow a seed into a plant
- To have positive attitudes about the difference between people

Expressive Art and Design

- To be able to show different emotions through the media of dance, paint and role play
- To be able to play instruments with increasing control and meaning

Arrangements for drop off and pick up

Early drop off

If you wish for your child to start Pre-school earlier, we offer an 8.30 start for a fee of £6 each time, please arrange this in advance via email or talk to a member of staff.

Drop off is operated from the gate, we feel this works well for everyone and it allows the children to settle quicker at the start of the day as well as promoting independence - it's lovely to see the children walk in together, helping each other.

Please wait outside the gate until a member of staff invites your child in, you are welcome to come in with your child if you feel they need this. Mornings can be busy, if you wish to speak to a member of staff you may need to wait until we have welcomed all the children into Pre-school and helped them with their individual needs.

At the start of the day, a member of staff will greet you and your child at the gate, please remain outside the gate, a member of staff regularly checks the gate for new or late arrivals in the morning. Children can enter once a member of staff is there and the remaining members of staff will be inside to welcome children and help them get organised for the day. At pick up/drop off at 12pm, please wait outside the gate and a member of staff will bring your child to you/welcome your child into Pre-school.

At pick up we welcome parents/carers in at 3pm, please wait outside the gate until a member of staff invites you in.

You may be asked to show photographic ID if a member of staff who hasn't met you yet is on the gate. Please notify us at drop off if there are any changes to the person picking up or notify us ASAP if this changes throughout the day. If someone different is to pick up your child, please notify us, they will be required to bring ID and provide us with a password if they are not on the registration forms.

Drop off - 9am (or 8.30am if booked for an early start)

Pick up- 3pm for all

Late Collection and Fees

We ask that you are on time to collect your child, it can be upsetting for your child if you are late and they know they are being collected, it can also cause issues with staff/ child ratios if your child is due to go home at lunch time and another child needs to join for the afternoon session

If you are consistently late to collect your child, due to at least two paid members of staff having to stay with them at Pre-school, a charge of £6 per 15 minutes will be incurred

Contact Details

Please notify us of any changes of home address/ telephone number/ email address as soon as possible so we can update our records. **All our contact details are at the top of the newsletter.**

Emergency Closures

In the event of extreme weather or illness causing staff shortages resulting in us having to close, a memo will be posted on Tapestry and a Facebook post will confirm this.

Clothing

We encourage outside activity and regularly go for walks.

With the changeable weather, please ensure your child has suitable clothing - no shoulders showing, and footwear- no open toed shoes.

Please provide **named wellies** in a bag and a **named sun hat**, that your child likes and knows is theirs, to stay at Pre-school all year round.

Please apply all day sun cream during spring and summer months

Please provide named changes of clothes including pants/socks or nappies/wipes if they wear them in your child's bag

If you wish to purchase any you can do so online:
Uniform is optional, if you would like your child to wear a uniform you can purchase it here:

<https://www.gouldgarments.co.uk/grovepreschool>

Books and book bags

We are fortunate to have several boxes of books at Pre-school the children can borrow these (new children will receive a book bag during their first week at pre-school, if not before) this will include a book to record any comments about the books read, what your child thought about the books and any reading progress. You can also use the record book to write a note for your child's key person.

There will be an information sheet and 'Family book' enclosed, please fill this with family members, pets and anything of importance to your child. These are a great resource to help your child settle and to help them share their home life with us. There is also a 'wow' sheet, this is for sharing 'wow' moments with us- your child's achievements.

We will be sending several books home at a time so please only send in book bags a maximum of once a week or when the books have been read.

Our Pre-school rules

During the first week back at Pre-school, we will be reminding returning children and introducing new children to our 5 Pre-school rules, these follow our British Values.

We will be working on supporting the children to remember and follow them to help create a positive Pre-school environment.

Please support us at home by talking through them with your child in preparation of them returning/ joining us at Pre-school.

Be kind to all - using kind words and kind hands/ feet

Share and take turns- We support children to do this using sand timers and name lists for fair turn taking
Play safe, be safe- not running inside, keeping shoes on, listening to instructions

Look after our things- Pre-school resources are for all to enjoy and we would like to encourage the children to help to take care of them like they would their own toys at home

Listen to others- including their friends, any visitors and the teachers at Pre-school



'Take 5' Pre-school Rules



Fees

Invoices are issued via Tapestry 'Memos' - if you have any questions, please speak to Caroline Reynolds

Session fees/ funding

If paying privately the cost is £24.00, per session (3 hours) this can be paid monthly/weekly/daily or half termly in advance. Fees continue to be payable if a child is absent. Where there is availability, we will sell sessions. Please ask a member of staff if you would like to book any temporary extra sessions.

Early starts from 8.30am are available, paid privately at the cost of £6.

Each child's attendance is conditional upon continued payment of any necessary fees and/or funding. We expect children who are eligible for funding to use funding for all their sessions at Pre-school or to pay fees as above, we therefore expect that at the end of the first week of term we will have received a payment from each parent/carer for a monthly/weekly/ daily or half termly payment or a completed Funding form.

Funding codes

Funding codes for up to 30-hours last approximately 3 months from the date you received the code, you should receive an email but please make a note to re-check/verify every 3 months.

For more information visit: www.gov.uk/30-hours-free-childcare

2-Year-Old Funding for Families Receiving Additional Support

The link for parents/carers to apply for 2-year-old funding for families receiving additional support is:

<https://live.cloud.servelec-synergy.com/NorthSomerset/Synergy/>

Please contact Maria Powell or Liz Owen via Two.YearoldFunding@n.somerset.gov.uk

if you have any queries about applying for the funding.

Tax-Free Childcare

You can subsidise payments via tax free childcare if you are eligible, a contribution is made towards your payments, for more information visit: [Tax-Free Childcare - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](http://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare) /

<https://www.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare>

The URN Ofsted registration number, if using tax free childcare is 2653730

Registered as: Mrs C Reynolds, Grove Preschool.

Resource fee

We ask for a resource fee contribution, without it we would be unable to cover extras such as fruit, drawing materials, extra resources, seasonal gifts. You can pay termly (6 times a year) or yearly.

Hours attending per week	Resource fee per term	Total per year
3-15	£11.00	£66.00
16-30	£16.00	£96.00

Bank details for Pre-school

Grove Preschool Nailsea Limited

Account number: 19949720

Sort code: 04-06-05

Please use your family name as the reference. We do not take cash payments.

Absences

Please let us know via telephone call, each day of absence before 9am if your child will not be attending and why, for our safeguarding and records. You can call either telephone numbers 07722326993/07749240004. If you are unable to call, please email us: info@grovepreschoolnailsea.co.uk

Please do not post on Tapestry as this may not be seen soon enough.

Please do not expect a reply, if we have not received communication from you, for safeguarding reasons, we will contact you.

Food and drink

Please inform us of any changes to allergies or dietary requirements as soon as possible.

Following our duties outlined in the EYFS Statutory Guidance we encourage children to make healthy choices about food and drink, please help support this by providing healthy food choices in their lunch box and **only water** in their water bottles for Pre-school.

Snack time

We will provide a variety of different fruit/ vegetables alongside a drink for your child to choose for a snack during the morning session- the cost is covered in the resource fee.

Lunch boxes

Children staying past 12 or attending at 12 for lunch will need to bring a packed lunch in a named washable lunch box with an ice pack - we provide a safe space for lunch boxes and make sure the children are aware that lunch boxes are to be used at lunch time.

We are under regulatory obligation to provide healthy, balanced and nutritious food to children where supplied - this is usually just snack time where it will be a piece of fruit. We must encourage healthier food choices for packed lunches, this includes supporting parents/carers to provide:

A balanced diet covering the 4 main food groups

a variety of fruit and vegetables to access different vitamins and nutrients.

We are also asking that you avoid foods and drinks high in salt, sugar and saturated fat, milk and water are the only drinks that can be consumed at Pre-school.

- Please see advice below regarding the statutory framework for healthy eating and choking hazards, the leaflet is in poster form so it can be viewed in full without printing.

Please remember to cut grapes and cherry tomatoes as these are a choking hazard for young children. We are a nut free setting, please do not include any nuts or foods containing nuts.

Drinks

We provide milk or water in a cup at snack time and lunch time.

Please provide a named water bottle for your child so they can have access to water throughout the day. - If you forget to provide one, please let your child's key person know and we will find them a spare for the day.

Celebrations

Many families like to celebrate their child's birthday and other special events such as a holiday by bringing in a cake or sweets to the setting to share. This can mean that some children are eating these unhealthy foods several times a week. Due to updates in the EYFS and our food and in line with this, our nutrition policy, we can no longer regularly share unhealthy celebratory food. Due some months being busier than others for celebrations, we are suggesting celebrations involving food remain entirely healthy- for example fruit platters to share, or involve non-edible options to celebrate with such as bubbles or stickers. If you would like to discuss this further, please let me know.

Online Communication

Tapestry

We use Tapestry as our primary source of communication to work in partnership with parents.

Tapestry has multiple functions, not only can you view your child's personal online learning journal with records of photos and observations of your child you can also view documents via memos which will include **information, updates, newsletters, invoices, fee reminders and emergency closures due to weather etc.**

For information on how to use Tapestry please visit: <https://support.tapestry.info/parents-carers/>

Please check Tapestry regularly to view your child's observations and important Memos

Once you have read memos, please 'like' the post so we know you have seen it.

Email invites have been sent out from Tapestry to all new families and re-sent to parents/carers who have not yet set their account up (Please check junk/spam)

New Families-Please go into your child's account, on the right-hand side it says "About me" please complete this section to help us learn more about your child and create a starting point to help us support continual progression.

Please note: the staff have a rota for observations each staff has multiple key children, with this in mind, there will not be updates every time your child attends, but there will be focused observations initially to establish a 'starting point' and 'Wow' moments, There is a general update weekly for all families.

Facebook-We have a Facebook page where we share more general information and updates, to like our page search **Grove Preschool Nailsea**

Instagram-Follow us on Instagram: www.instagram.com/grovepreschoolnailsea

If you are having trouble accessing anything online please speak to a member of staff.

You are welcome to chat to a member of staff at any time, call us during session times or email us if needed.

Safeguarding

Our Safeguarding statement: "We are committed to promoting the welfare of and safeguarding all of our children and expect everyone to share this commitment"

Our designated safeguarding lead (DSL) is Assistant Leader, **Nicola Brierley**, in her absence, Assistant Leader **Nikki Ferguson** is also qualified to deal with any instances or queries relating to safeguarding. Leader, **Caroline Reynolds** is designated safeguarding officer and oversees any safeguarding work. If you would like to speak to us privately regarding the safeguarding of any child, we can accommodate this.

Below is a reminder of our statutory duties in safeguarding all children:

There may be times when staff are required to have difficult conversations with you. Where staff are concerned about a child's safety or welfare, they may ask questions you may find uncomfortable or upsetting. Please understand they are normal procedure and we are not passing judgement.

If we need to take further action, as a result of our conversation, we will inform you, unless we feel doing so would cause more risk. We must do this as part of the statutory duties that apply to **all** early years providers. We are required to note any existing injuries on an existing injuries form.

Please let us know if your child has an injury at home or on their way to Pre-school. We understand that children have accidents. If you do not inform us when you drop your child off, we will need to ask you how your child has any injury such as a bruise or other mark. This will then be recorded for you to sign. If you would like to discuss anything further, please speak to a member of staff.

Grove Pre-school Anti-Racism Statement

We have always joined North Somerset and the Early Years team at Grove Pre-school to share that we celebrate diversity, promote inclusion, and challenge racism and all forms of prejudice.
We want every child to grow up to do the same.

This is imbedded in our practice and the British values that we follow. You can see this in more detail, along with other useful information on our parent/carer board to the left of the door as you enter our Pre-school room.



Everyone has an equal right to help to make decisions
We vote on activities such as books, songs and outdoor play



Everyone has an equal right to liberty- freedom of expression
We encourage everyone to share their opinions, ideas, thoughts and feelings



Rules are applied equally and fairly- everyone is aware of our rules
We practice positive reinforcement and have discussions about our rules and why we have them



We respect the values, ideas and beliefs of Everyone we treat each other kindly, allowing everyone to have a 'voice'
We take turns to speak and listen to each other we take equal turns sharing toys- with the help of our sand timer



Understanding, accepting and not judging those we don't share the same beliefs or ideas with
We discuss and learn about lots of different religions and beliefs we enjoy learning about different celebrations