



ABC-XYZ

Welcome Back!

Welcome all of our children back into the new term & a special warm welcome to all of our new children in Reception.

Everyone seems to have settled in well at the start of the new school year. Yr R children have been allocated a key worker so please do not hesitate to speak to them, should you have any queries. As always, we welcome any feedback, comments or suggestions on how we can improve our service, so please contact us if you have any questions about ABC or XYZ.

New Staff

We have been busy recruiting new staff members over the summer and are delighted to introduce you to **John Tollit, Jamie Chester, Nancy Hussain & Shasha Gao**, who will be working at Alban City. It is fantastic to have 3 young male members of staff now - something of a rarity in the childcare field!

We are very sad to be saying farewell to Natalie, who will be leaving us at October half term. We would like to thank her for all her hard work during her time with us.

ABC Breakfast Club

Please ensure that if your child requires breakfast in the morning, they are in before 8.15am to allow them enough time to eat before heading off to class.

Please do not give your child snacks to eat at Breakfast. We have always been a NUT free environment and we have several children with a range of allergies and it is essential that no food, not provided by us, is brought into the setting.

Porridge will be back on the ABC menu this term as the mornings become chillier.

Staff Vacancy - if you know anyone who would like to join our Breakfast Club team, please give them our contact details. We are looking for a manager with experience of working with children and leading a team.



Autumn Term Preview

The children will be enjoying a range of themes this term, including 'Settling In', 'Weather', and 'Science'. We are very excited to have **Ventura Animal Encounters** coming in to visit XYZ on Thursday 18th October.

Look out for details regarding our Christmas Party date coming soon.

The display boards are changed regularly and show work done by the children in relation to the various themes we have throughout the term. Please do take a few moments to have a look when you come in.

Polite Reminders

It is of the utmost importance that all parents contact us at their earliest opportunity if you know your child will not be coming to their XYZ session.



With so many extra curricular clubs provided by school this term, it is really important you let us know if your child will be attending any of these additional activities. Rabia and her team manage the logistics of picking up and dropping off at all the different Clubs brilliantly, but it is vital we know who is attending what, to be able to keep track of everyone! Please note we save snack for all those attending activities from 3.30pm to be served when they return to XYZ.

When to use the Club phone - 07425 888544

- to report non attendance. A text message is great.
- to notify us if you are running late, or any changes to pick up arrangements
- if you urgently need to speak with your child. Please note NO children are allowed to use their personal mobile phones in the setting.
- speak directly to a member of staff at XYZ between 3pm and 6pm

Moved house ? Please ensure you have updated your contact details with us.