



Sidcup

JAN 2020

### Message from the Owners:

Could we please ask that any changes to payment details or childcare vouchers are brought to the office by the 15<sup>th</sup> of every month.

**Please note we will now be adding a late payment fee of £5 for any overdue invoices.**

For childcare choices you can visit [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk) to find out if you're eligible for 15 or 30 hour funding. Information about the new tax free childcare scheme is also available here.

Can we please ask that if you are emailing us about any payments, invoices, extra sessions and holidays please message [admin@monkeypuzzlesidcup.co.uk](mailto:admin@monkeypuzzlesidcup.co.uk)

And to report your child's absence please use the Eylog app.

Sharon and Davinder

### Our Team

Caroline Franz – Nursery Manager

#### Little Einstein

Sadie Carroll – Level 3 Room Leader Little Einstein

Keili Knight- Level 3

#### Big Einstein

Katie Waller – Level 3 room leader Big Einstein

Teigan Nancarrow – Level 3, Unit lead under two's

Nafiya Hayrettin – Level 2

Stela Taneva – Level 2

Nicola Johnson – Level 3

#### Toddler Room- Darwin

Emma Hilling – Level 3 Room leader

Selina Morgan – Level 3 Deputy Room leader

Phoebe Culley – Level 2

Charlotte Hogden – Level 2

Simran Dhothar- Level 2

Lillie-Mai Staden – Level 3

#### Preschool- Faraday

Chanda Gohil-Level 3 Room leader/  
Forest School Leader

### Dates for your diary

Jan 28<sup>th</sup> & Feb 4<sup>th</sup> Fire Station outing

March 11<sup>th</sup> Inset day

April 15<sup>th</sup> Parents evening

Georgie Hicks – Level 3, Unit lead over two's

Emily Phillips – Level 3 Deputy room leader

Beatrice Obaseki- Level 3

Kitty Eromomsele – Level 3

Rebecca Paddington - Student

#### Bank

Parminder Vij - Lunch cover

Jolita Urbonaite – Lunch cover

Karen Sewell – Bank staff

Gurnek Bhandal

Raman Gill-Admin

#### Chefs

Anoop Vallopallath

Irma Gumauskiene

**Please ensure you close the gate when you enter and leave the nursery and do not let anyone into the nursery**

Visit

<http://monkeypuzzlesidcup.co.uk>  
/ to see photos of the nursery and monthly news updates

### Faraday

This month in Faraday we have been finding out about 'people who help us'. We have had visits to Specsavers and the fire station, and had a fireman come in to show us his uniform and talk to us about what he does. We painted our favourite emergency vehicles and learnt new songs about people who help us. We enjoyed role playing working in a library and for world braille day we had activities and learnt about braille.

### Darwin

In Darwin this month we have been learning about 'people who help us'. We have talked about the different professions and at circle time have focused on the people who help us and what we know about them. We have a new reading area in the shape of a fire engine and a doctors surgery. We have also had more trips out for walks and have started going on Friday library trips.



### Little Einstein

This month's theme for little Einstein was called 'people who help us'. We have done painting or collage of people such as police, doctors, vets or firefighters and the vehicles as well. We have set up a police station in the room with people and vehicles, and a tray with ramps for the children to push and pull the different vehicles and practice their noises. We also did a board for Chinese new year and the children made their own lanterns.

### Big Einstein

This month in Big Einstein we have been looking at shape, colour, texture and pattern. We have had out shape puzzles and shape blocks. We have also had a range of shape based activities in the black tray. During colour week we have had out different coloured rice and the matching coloured objects e.g. red rice and red objects. For this month we made a sensory area where we focused on textures. In our small world area we focused on the patterns of animals.