



Sherwood Green Nursery

Dear Parents/Carers,
Welcome to August – our final academic month of the year! As we head towards the end of term, we're excited to make the most of every moment with fun, engaging activities for all our children, including those attending our Holiday Club. This month, we'll be celebrating special occasions such as Yorkshire Day and Pakistan Independence Day, alongside a variety of creative, cultural, and outdoor experiences designed to spark curiosity and joy. From themed crafts and messy play to group games and summer treats, August promises to be packed with memorable moments for everyone.



Pictures
of the
month



We would like to welcome all the new families to our Sherwood Green family. We are excited for the new adventure ahead. We look forward to a wonderful month filled with fun and learning. Thank you for being a part of our Sherwood Green Nursery family

STAY CONNECTED

Please remember to share your child's interests with us via the Blossom app or when dropping them off. Your insights help us tailor our care and activities to each child's needs and preferences.

Don't forget to stay connected with us on social media and our website for updates, photos, and more. We love sharing the magic of Sherwood Green Nursery!

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Funding Update

From September 2025, all children currently receiving 15 hours of working parent funding will become eligible for 30 hours of funded childcare.

To discuss or update your child's schedule in line with the increased hours, please contact Emilia on nurserymanager@sherwoodgreennursery.co.uk.

If you believe you may be eligible for this funding but are not yet receiving it, please visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk and complete the form to check your eligibility.

Important: If you are applying for a new code, this must be obtained and sent to us before **31st August 2025** in order for your child to access the funding from September 2025.





NATIONAL PLAY DAY

06.08.2025

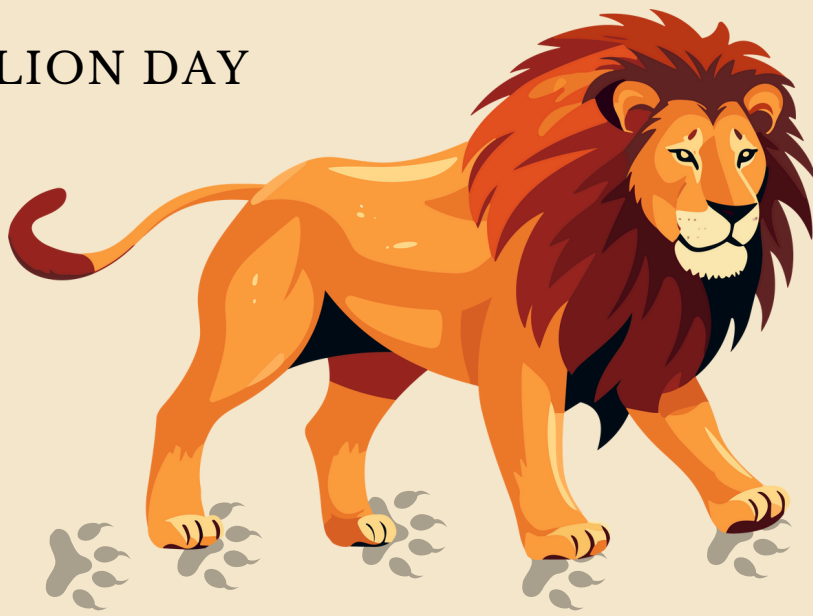
National Play Day is a celebration dedicated to promoting the importance of play in the lives of children and families. On August 7, 2024, we will together celebrate the critical role that play has in the physical, emotional, and social development of children. Play is not just a leisure activity; it is a fundamental part of childhood that fosters creativity, enhances problem-solving skills, and strengthens social bonds. It allows children to explore their imagination, develop resilience, and build a sense of joy and wonder about the world around them.

Why Play is important: Play is an essential part of childhood, offering numerous benefits such as:

- **Physical Development:** Through active play, children develop their motor skills and overall physical health.
- **Emotional Growth:** Play helps children express their emotions, build self confidence, and develop resilience.
- **Social Skills:** Playing with peers teaches children about cooperation, sharing, and problem-solving.
- **Cognitive Skills:** Imaginative and creative play enhances critical thinking and stimulates intellectual growth.

Activities at Sherwood Green Nursery: To mark this day, we have planned a variety of fun and engaging activities for our children, including:

- **Outdoor Games:** From sack races to obstacle courses, we'll have a range of activities that promote physical fitness and teamwork.
- **Arts and Crafts:** Creative stations where children can explore their artistic talents and create their own masterpieces.
- **Imaginative Play:** Storytelling sessions, dress-up corners, and role-playing games that will ignite their imagination.
- **Sensory Play:** Activities designed to stimulate the senses and encourage exploration and discovery.



Through storytelling, imaginative play, and hands-on activities, children will discover fascinating facts about lions—their roar, where they live, what they eat, and how they care for their cubs.

We'll explore the African savannah through themed crafts, music, and movement, and encourage children to express themselves through lion masks, role play, and sensory activities.

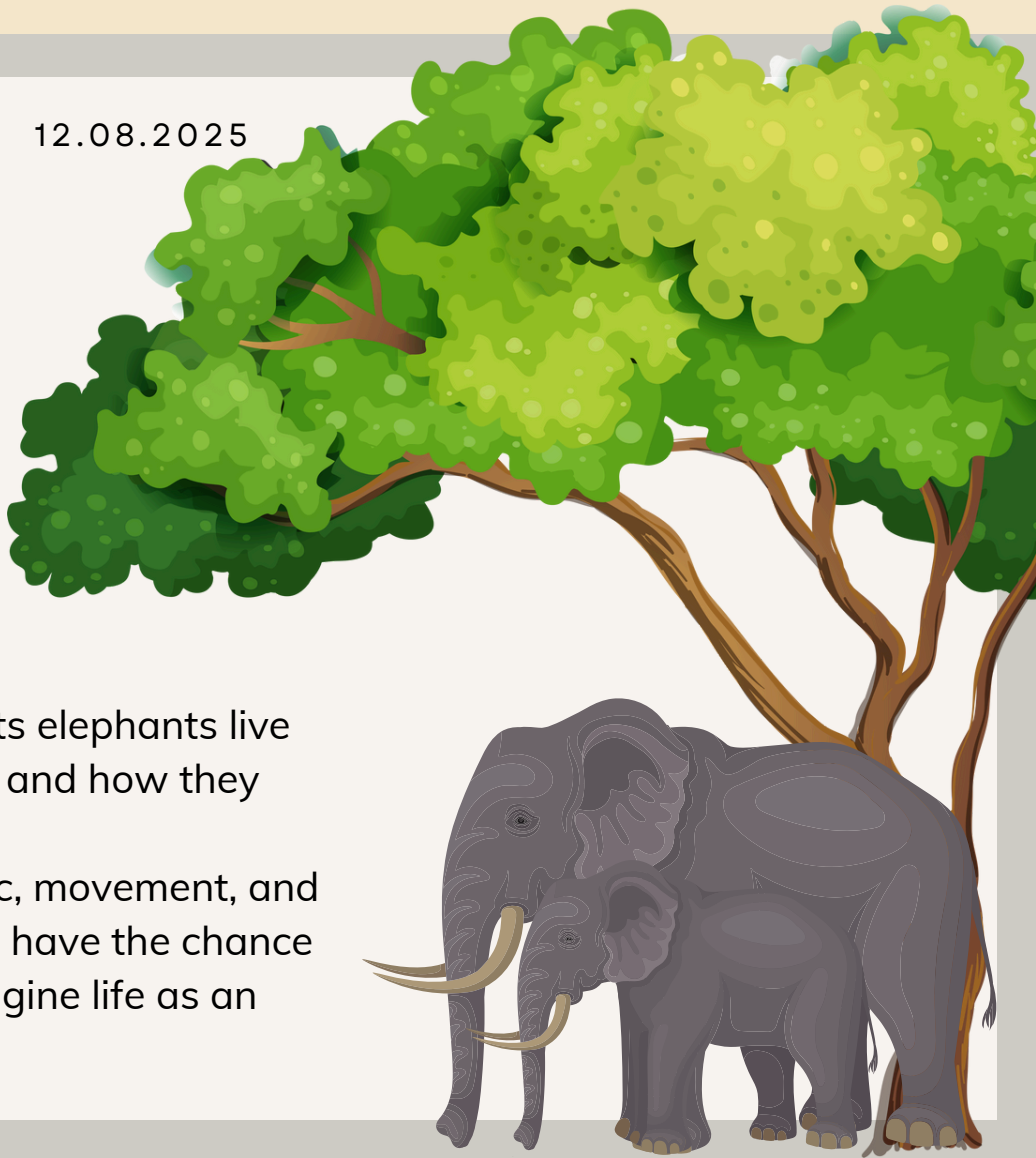
Children will also learn the importance of protecting wildlife and being kind to animals, all while having a roaring good time!

WORLD LION DAY 12.08.2025

Through storytelling, discussions, and creative activities, children will discover amazing facts about elephants—their trunks, big ears, and how they live in the wild.

They'll explore the habitats elephants live in, the sounds they make, and how they care for their young.

With themed crafts, music, movement, and sensory play, children will have the chance to stomp, splash, and imagine life as an elephant



PRESCHOOL & TODDLER Minibeast Week Ahead!

Our preschoolers and toddlers are set for a buzzing week of discovery as they explore the fascinating world of minibeasts! From wiggly worms to fluttering butterflies, children will get hands-on with themed crafts, nature hunts, and sensory play. They'll create their own bug masks, build mini habitats, and learn all about being gentle and curious with the tiny creatures around us.

This fun, interactive week will encourage exploration, creativity, and a love for nature. Please avoid sending children in their best clothes, as we'll be getting wonderfully messy during all our minibeast adventures!



BABY WATER PLAY WEEK AHEAD!

This week, our babies will be diving into a world of water exploration! Through splashing, pouring, swirling, and feeling water in a variety of ways, little ones will enjoy fun and calming sensory experiences. From bubbly trays to gentle trickles and floating toys, these activities will help support physical development, curiosity, and early understanding of the world around them.

PAKISTAN INDEPENDANCE DAY

14.08.2025



Through storytelling, creative play, and hands-on activities, children will learn about Pakistan Independence Day—what it means, why it's celebrated, and the colours of the Pakistani flag.

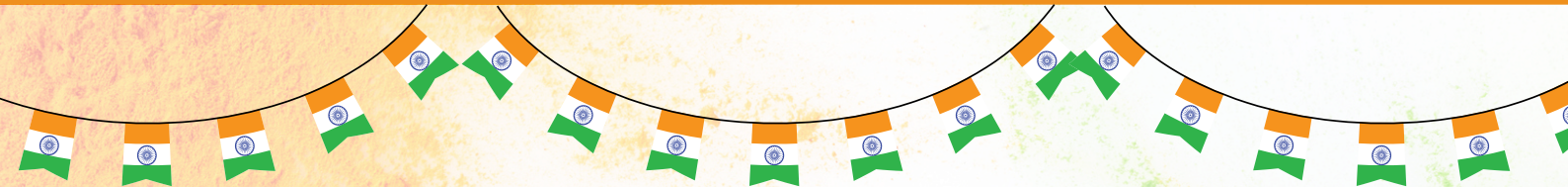
We'll explore the culture and traditions of Pakistan through themed crafts, music, movement, and sensory activities. Children will enjoy making flags, dressing up in green and white, and taking part in fun group activities that celebrate unity and pride.

They'll also learn about the importance of respect, togetherness, and celebrating different cultures



INDIA INDEPENDANCE DAY

15.08.2025



Through storytelling, imaginative play, and hands-on activities, children will learn about Indian Independence Day—what it means, why it's celebrated, and the significance of the tricolour flag.

We'll explore the rich culture and traditions of India through themed crafts, music, movement, and sensory experiences. Children will enjoy making Indian flags, dressing up in orange, white, and green, and joining in fun group activities that promote unity and pride.

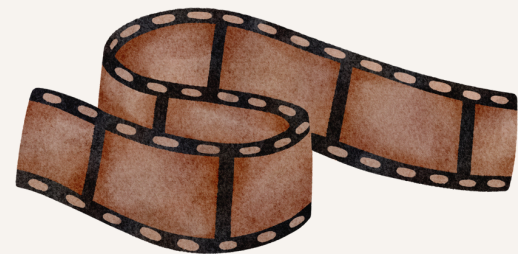
They'll also learn about the values of freedom, respect, and embracing different cultures as we celebrate this special day together.



For World Photography Day, children will enjoy a fun-filled day of exploring the world through a lens!

They'll have the opportunity to go on a nature walk, taking photos of the beautiful outdoors—flowers, leaves, trees, and wildlife. Back in the room, children will use their creativity and observation skills to recreate their favourite photos using water paints, encouraging artistic expression and attention to detail.

This engaging activity will inspire curiosity, creativity, and an appreciation for the world around them, while introducing them to the magic of photography.



w/c 25.08.2025



Get ready for Arts and Crafts Week – a colourful week full of creativity and imagination!

Children will dive into a variety of exciting hands-on activities, including papier-mâché creations, messy painting fun, junk modelling with recycled materials, and so much more. Each day will bring new opportunities for children to express themselves, explore textures, and bring their ideas to life.

From building unique models to experimenting with colour and shape, this week will be all about exploring creativity, building confidence, and having lots of artistic fun!





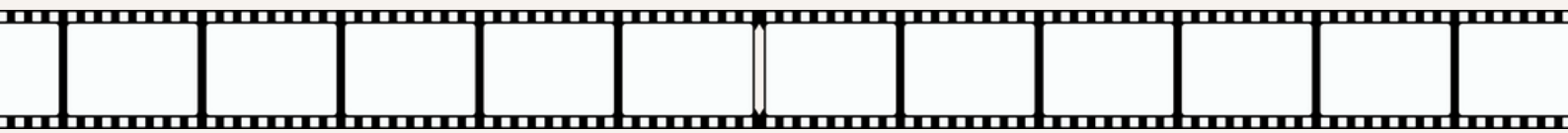
MOVIE Time!

28.08.2025

Pyjama Movie Night at the Nursery!

We're excited to host a cosy Pyjama Movie Night for our little ones! Children are invited to come dressed in their favourite pyjamas for a relaxed and fun evening at nursery.

We'll be watching age-appropriate movies, snuggling up with blankets, and enjoying a selection of tasty snacks. It's the perfect way to wind down, relax with friends, and enjoy a magical movie experience together!





STAR OF THE MONTH

LARAIBA



A huge congratulations to Laraiba, our Star of the Month!

Well done for being such a great support in the baby room — your calm, caring nature has truly made a difference.

We're also so proud of you for completing your Level 2 in Childcare! Your hard work, dedication, and positive attitude haven't gone unnoticed.

Thank you for everything you bring to the team – keep up the amazing work!



SHERWOOD GREEN NURSERY SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB

21st July - 29th August

For ages
4 - 12
years Old

**FUN & CREATIVE INDOOR & OUTDOOR
ACTIVITIES INCLUDING:**

Apply
Now!

**Baking &
Cooking**

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Trips**

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Crafts**

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Trips**

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More!**

Price list.

Full day £29

Half Day £20



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To Register:

Please call 01274 945575

More Information:

Sherwoodgreennursery.co.uk



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Shake, Rattle, and Boogie!

Join us for our exciting Shake, Rattle, and Boogie dance class with Kim!



Every other Tuesday
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM

For all nursery age groups –
Babies, Toddlers, and
Preschoolers

☀️ Get ready to move, groove, and have fun! This interactive session is designed to encourage rhythm, coordination, and a love for dance in a fun and engaging way.

Let's shake, rattle, and boogie together! 🎵 ✨



Encourage Rhythm



Improves physical, and
emotional development.



Dance can also help
children learn to
communicate



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PHONICS

We have Robot Reg Phonic classes
Every Thursday 10:45-11:30 at
Sherwood Green Nursery For
Our
Pre-School Children for more
information please speak to
our nursery manager



★Phonics★

At Sherwood Green Nursery we have
Phonic sessions by Robot Reg
We believe The play opportunities and
language development readily
available at Sherwood Green Nursery
make it the perfect setting for children
to begin their phonics journey



Phonic Classes for
Pre school children



Reading becomes
better



Improves vocabulary
and language
development



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**We have Moo Music
classes every Fridays
9.30am-10.15am at
Sherwood Green
Nursery For Our
Babies**



**At Sherwood Green Nursery
We believe Sensory play
focuses on activities that
engage your babies senses,
helping them develop
language skills and motor
skills.**



**Sensory Class for
Babies**



**Fun and active for
Babies**



**Building Babies
Confidence**



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NURSERY LIBRARY IN THE RECEPTION

Reading helps children grow their imagination, language skills, and love for learning. Our nursery library is full of wonderful books, and we'd love for you and your child to join in. Here's how it works:



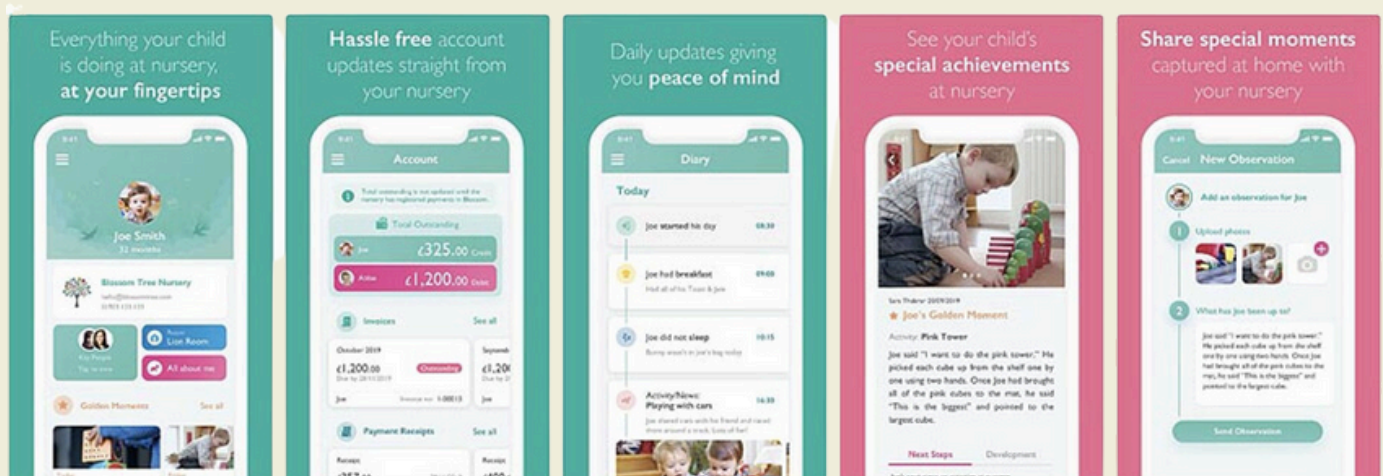
- 1. Choose a Book:** Let your child pick a book that interests them. We have a variety of picture books and storybooks for all ages.
- 2. Borrow a Book:** After choosing a book, fill out the borrowing sheet.
- 3. Read and Enjoy:** Take the book home and enjoy reading it together. This helps build a love for books and strengthens your bond.
- 4. Return and Repeat:** Once you're done, return the book and pick a new one to enjoy!

BLOSSOM APP - STAY CONNECTED!

We are excited to remind you about our Blossom Parent App, a dedicated platform where you can stay updated on your child's daily activities. Through the app, you can view your child's diary, including their meals, naps, and activities.

You can also share your child's interests, updates, or any special moments with us using the Blossom Message feature. This helps us stay connected and ensures we are supporting your child's individual needs and interests.

If you have any problems downloading or accessing the app, please let us know, and we'll be happy to help you.



SHERWOOD GREEN NURSERY



DATES FOR YOUR DAIRY - AUGUST 2025

- **Cookery classes** - Every Friday/Tuesday
- **Dance/ Sports classes**- Every Wednesday
- **Tesco shop trip** - 04.08.2025
- **Play day** - 06.08.2025
- **World Lion Day** - 08.08.2025
- **Interest Week** - w/c 11.08.2025
- **World elephant day** - 12.08.2025
- **Trip to Peel park**
- **Pakistan independence day** - 14.08.2025
- **India independence day** - 15.08.2025
- **World Photography day** - 19.08.2025
- **Trip to the cinema**
- **Arts and crafts week** - w/c 25.08.2025
- **Movie day - dress in pyjamas** - 28.08.2025

ATTENTION

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ

Absence

Please note that we are unable to swap days or offer an alternative day if your child is absent from nursery. We are now extremely busy, and it is impossible for us to do this for all children. This is stated in our terms and conditions. Thank you for your co-operation.

Labels on Clothing

To avoid items being lost, please can you ensure that your child's belongings are clearly labelled including their coats, hats, scarves and wellies. If your child brings gloves to nursery, we strongly advise for these to be attached and threaded through their coat to avoid any gloves going missing.

High Temperatures and Fevers

Please can we kindly remind parents that children cannot attend nursery if they have a high temperature (37.6°C). If a child develops a temperature whilst at nursery, parents will be called to collect them, as supported by our policies and procedures.

No Mobile Phones

Mobile phones are not to be used whilst on nursery site, including taking photographs and having conversations. This is part of our Safeguarding policy. Please use this valuable time to converse with your child or get to know other parents at Sherwood Green.. Our staff will politely remind you of this policy..

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