# **Description of Activities**

All our services are free

ESOL @ The Parent House every Monday and Wednesday—Please call Parent House for details.



This is a group for Mums, Dads and Carers with babies from birth and 18 months. A very welcoming environment to meet other families.

PaFT Stay and Play @ Winton Primary School. Monday morning stay and play in the gym hall. Open to all, everyone welcome.

### Islington working for Parents

This is a service for any parent thinking about returning to any form of work or training. Come in and make an appointment to meet an advisor one-to-one and discuss your particular needs.

### **Baby Massage**

This is a group for Mums, Dads and Carers with babies from birth to crawling (around 8 months). Our fully trained infant massage practitioner Liz, will show you how to massage your baby. Families with babies who are sleeping are very welcome to stay and watch the group.

### **Saturday Stay and Play**

This group is open to all Mums, Dads and Carers with children aged **0-6.** We offer access to our large nursery garden and a wide range of activities indoors and outside all year round, with snacks, singing and other special activities. This Stay and Play incorporates a Home Learning Library for borrowing for Toys & Books





## **Parenting Programme:**

PaFT Programme is opened to all Kate Greenaway families. It is an early

childhood parent education and family support programme serving families from pregnancy to 3 years old. The families decide whether they would like to have weekly, fortnightly or monthly personal home visits or appointment at the KG Centre. During these visits, we share age-appropriate child development information with parents, address their parenting concerns, will inform parents of what they can reasonably expect of their child at each stage of his/her development. We will also give you information about different ways to stimulate your child's development and learning. For further information, please contact KG.

### **Toy Libraries**

Toys are available to lend to families free of charge. The toy library resources support learning and development in young children and loaning the toys rather than buying them saves money for families! Toy libraries are on offer all year round at Kate Greenaway so do take part and support your child's learning.

### **Musical Maths Stay and Play**

This stay and play uses songs and games to promote early mathematical development in young children. There is a musician to help things along.



## **Kate Greenaway Nursery School**

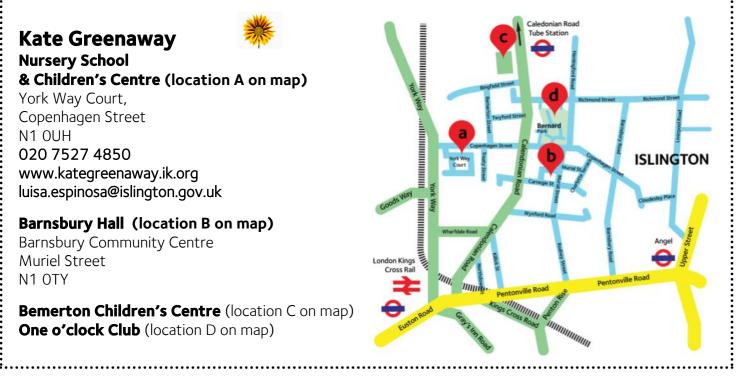
& Children's Centre (location A on map)

York Way Court, Copenhagen Street N1 OUH 020 7527 4850 www.kategreenaway.ik.org luisa.espinosa@islington.gov.uk

### **Barnsbury Hall** (location B on map)

Barnsbury Community Centre Muriel Street N1 OTY

**Bemerton Children's Centre** (location C on map) One o'clock Club (location D on map)













# **Spring Term Planner**

Dear Mums Dads and Carers.

Welcome back to a new year at Kate Greenaway Nursery School & Children

As always we have a full list of services and activities for you and your young children. Most of our activities remain unchanged but we have a few to highlight:

Book Start Stay and Play is replacing Knowledge and Understanding of the World Stay and Play on Thursday mornings. Liz Bolan our experienced family support worker and early year's practitioner will be leading the activity along with Fatema Khanom our Bilingual Family Support Worker. This stay and play is all about promoting a love of books to children.

Saturday Stay and Plays will be running as usual throughout the term. To make things even more fun we will have special Saturdays with music, science and literacy as their special themes. Look out for the calendar when it appears at the centre.

For families with concerns about their children's language development we still have our ever popular **Chatterpillars** session every Wednesday afternoon. At this session you will receive friendly advice and support from early years professionals including Ruth Hayes our very own Speech & Language Therapist.

We are happy to introduce Lauren Jackson from Islington Working with Parents (IWP). Lauren's has joined us to help with parents training needs and accessing volunteering and employment. Please leave your details at reception if you would like an appointment.

### 15 HOURS FREE NURSERY EDUCATION FOR TWO YEAR OLDS.

If you are interested in having 15 hours of free nursery education for your child, please pop into your local children's centre to complete the eligibility check. The staff at the centre will help you to do this.

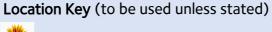
Have a great start to 2015

Head teacher @ Kate Greenaway Nursery School and Children's Centre 1. York Way Court, London N1 0UH 02027 527 4850

A Sure Start Children's Centre









-Kate Greenaway Children's Centre 0207 527 4850



- Bemerton Children's Centre 0207 527 4806

Term Begins: 5th January 2015

Half Term: 16th-20th February 2015

Term Ends: 27th March 2015

# **Term Planner**

## **MONDAY**

Art Therapy

By appointment only.
Call KG to book

Stay & Play

@ Winton Primary School
In the Sports Hall

9.15-11.30am

Clinical Psychologist
9.30am or 11.30 at
Bemerton Centre
3.00pm or 4.00pm at KG
By appointment only.
Call Bemerton to book

ESOL @ Parent House 9.30am-12.00 Call 0207 837 1383

Little Leaps
Call Bemerton for information.

Baby Bounce @ Lewis Carroll Library 11:00-11:30am

Music Stay & Play For 12 month + 2.00-4.00pm

## **TUESDAY**

Antenatal clinic -UCLH 9:30-5:30pm 0203 447 9567

Tiny Tots
Baby Group
10.30am - 12pm
For babies 0-18mths

Baby Yoga
10.30—12.00pm
4 Sessions
3rd - 24th March' 15
Call Bemerton for info.
Priority given to Bemerton
families. Please bring a towel

Open Morning
10.30-11.30am
By appointment only
For prospective parents

Under 5's Session

@ West Library11.00am

Breastfeeding & Weaning Support 1.00-3.00pm

Family Support & Family Health Surgery @ Killick Street Health Centre 1.00-3.00pm

Bilingual speakers Stay & Play 2.00-3.30pm

Well Baby Clinic @ Ritchie Street Health Centre 2.00-4.00pm For those registered at GP

## **WEDNESDAY**

Well Baby Clinic @ Bingfield Health Centre 9:30-11:30am For those registered at GP

Antenatal Clinic Whittington Hospital
9.30am—12.30pm
0207 288 3482

**ESOL @ Parent House** 9.30am-12.00 Call 0207 837 1383

Massage & Yoga 10.30-12.00pm Priority given to KG families. Please bring a towel

Under 5's Session @ Lewis Carroll Library 11:00-11:30am

Chatterpillars
Stay & Play
For 18 months - 5 years
1.30-3.00pm

Bemerton Babies For 0-18 months 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Employment
& Training
Advice
0207 527 4486
iwfp@islington.gov.uk

## **THURSDAY**

Messy Stay & Play 10.00am -12.00pm

Open Morning 10.00-11.00am For prospective parents

Bookstart Stay & Play 10.00-12.00pm

Childminder's Stay&Play
@ Barnard Park
10.00am-12.00pm

Baby Massage
10:30am - 12.00 pm
Term Time Only
Priority given to Bemerton
families. Please bring a towel

Housing Advice
1.00—4.00pm
1st Thurs of the month
Call Bemerton to book.

## **FRIDAY**

Musical Maths
Stay & Play
with musician
10.00am-12.00pm

Baby Bounce 11:00-11:30am Toy Library 11:30-12:00pm @ West Library

'Understanding my role as a Volunteer'
Accredited 7 week course
Starting Friday 30<sup>th</sup>
January 2015

Volunteering Project invites parents interested in, or has just started volunteering, at their local children's centre, to attend this 7 week course.

Learn more about:
Roles and expectations of
Volunteering
Children Centre Services
and Activities
Develop Communication
Skills
Boundaries and
Safeguarding
Confidence Building
Reflective Practice

Interested? Contact Tricia on 0207 527 4812 Crèche provided.

## SATURDAY

KG Stay & Play
10.30am-12.30pm
Home Learning Library
with Toys & Books for
families to borrow





