

Nursery Weekly Newsletter

Spring 1 Week 4 – 03.02.23



Hello everyone! Another busy week in the life of the Nursery!

Ahoy there! The Nursery was taken over by pirates earlier in the week and the children enjoyed playing with small world figures and ships as well as making 'telescopes' and, in keeping with our shapes focus, square eye patches. This slightly shorter week has also seen the children playing fun games which help them to learn and use each others' names - especially our newer children! In cooking we made healthy winter-warming soup using scissors and knives safely to cut and chop the vegetables. The children loved making and eating it!



In other areas of the nursery, the children have been enjoying recognising and matching the new bike numbers to the numbered 'parking bays'. They have also been continuing their learning about shape by drawing squares outside with large chalks.

The train set continues to be a favourite and the children have been showing their ever-increasing sharing skills, taking turns and dividing the trains between different children.

In music, the children have been learning new songs using bean bags as props, e.g. placing one on various body parts and throwing and catching in time to the music. This has thoroughly tested their sharing skills as they have had to work in pairs! Well done to Emily for keeping it fun!

Things to note

Gloves/ Hat Box

The hats/ gloves box continues to be a great success for both children and parents/ carers. If you can't find something it's worth having a look in the box which is located just outside the Nursery door.

Liz and Fiona

It's been great to have the lovely Liz back. Unfortunately Fiona now has 'the lurgy'. Hope she gets better soon.

Illness

As we know, this time of year is rife with illness. Please think carefully about whether your child is well enough to be in. Sometimes an extra day makes all the difference and prevents germs from spreading. Thank you!

Wednesday Strike Day

Thank you for your those who supported the teachers on Wednesday.

Cooking

Continued thanks for your donations!



Shapes

If you're out for a walk and happen across a square in the environment, we would still love it if you could take a photo with your child. This is a great way to support their learning and the children always love to look at photos of themselves out and about.

Your junk is our treasure

Having a clear out? Then please do consider the nursery before passing it on. We are particularly on the lookout for toy tools and real kitchen equipment for our mud kitchen area, but anything will be gratefully received whether it be books, fabrics, craft materials, toys, gardening resources etc.



This weekends' weather should be nice - why not look out for some first signs of Spring in gardens and parks such as snow drops, daffodils, buds on branches, robins etc.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone. The Nursery staff will be having a restful weekend ready for the last week of the term.

Fiona, Tracey, Katrina, Sophie, and Liz