

Nursery Newsletter



This week we have been learning...

- All about our 5 senses! We looked at a non-fiction book to tell us all about our 5 senses. We learnt that we have 5 senses that help us to find out about the world around us. We use our sense of sight to see the colours, shapes and size of things; the sense of hearing to hear the sounds around us; the sense of touch to find out how things feel; the sense of taste to find out about the foods and the sense of smell to find out about the odours and smells around us.
- In Personal, Social and Emotional Development we made happy faces on biscuits and talked about what makes us happy. We really enjoyed making happy faces on biscuits and smiling at the mirror.
- In Literacy some children are practising how to write their names and others enjoyed making marks on paper, sand and paint. Most children are able to give meanings to the marks they make.
- In Maths we went on a number walk around the school. We enjoyed looking and recognising numbers in the environment. Some children were more confident pointing to the numerals and saying its name. Other children needed encouragement to look at the numerals.
- In Expressive Arts and Design we have been printing with fruits. We enjoyed making different patterns using apples and pears. Some children are confident making paintings independently and a few need encouragement to select this area.
- In our independent play we have been exploring a sensory table; talking about our families; exploring sounds and musical instruments and trying to guess what's inside a mystery box.

You can help at home by...

All children will have a home learning folder. We set our home learning tasks on Wednesdays and they should be completed by the following Wednesday. Please encourage your child to complete each task independently as we want to see their progress and support what they are learning in school.

Keep reading story books to your child every day and asking them questions about the story? Can they name the characters? Talk about the settings and events?

Other News

- It's really important to label your child's **clothes** as it is very difficult to know which piece of clothing belongs to whom if they are not being labelled.
- Please make sure your child brings a **labelled water bottle** with fresh water filled in daily.
- Please send a photo of your child when he/she was a baby so we can talk about it during next week.
- Next Wednesday **4th October** we will have our Nursery Curriculum Meeting. We will explain what will be covered within the year as giving suggestions how you can help your child at home and in school. Your presence is really important.

Have a lovely weekend!