



End of Spring 1 2024

We have had an exciting and very busy half term. We have welcomed a new group of children to our afternoon session in the Two Year Old room and they are settling in beautifully. We enjoyed our Reading workshop in the Two Year Old room and look forward to the next one, next half term. It has been wonderful to see the children so enthused about taking home their reading books.

Next half term 'Stay and Play' will continue to run fortnightly on Tuesdays. The dates will be emailed out and Nursery and Reception will no longer be on the same days, this will enable parents to attend both if they need to. We have a number of experiences planned for the rest of this term and next term. Please ensure you have paid for the relevant experience, without all contributions these experiences cannot go ahead.

We hope you have a lovely half term.
Mrs Sohal and the Early Years Team

Nursery

In Nursery this half term the topic has been 'Who can help me?'. The children have really enjoyed learning about firefighters. They used resources from around the Nursery to 'put out a fire' and rescue a character from their story.



The children have also been exploring the changes in weather, especially enjoying experimenting with coloured ice.



At home, please continue to practise familiar nursery rhymes and songs with your children until they are confident reciting them.

Dates for your Diary

Target Setting Day
1st March

Nursery
Reading Workshop (N2)
26th February

Reception and RAP
Jack and the Beanstalk
Show
15th March

Reception Alternative Provision

The children have had an excellent half term. They have been enjoying sensory stories and rhymes and were lucky enough to meet a tortoise from one of their stories.

This half term every pupil has started Phonics!



Next half term the topic in the RAP is 'Fruits, vegetables and growing'.

Reception

The children have thoroughly enjoyed their 'Who can help me?' topic. They have been learning all about different people in the community who can help us. The children especially enjoyed learning about vets. The children were lucky enough to have a visit from a pet tortoise.

Next half term, Reception's topic is 'Let's let growing'. They will learn about plant life cycles and have the opportunity to plant their own seeds.

