



Kids Planet

Welcome to our Kids Planet Great Sankey Newsletter November 2018

Our finger print system is now up and running to allow parents access into the building, if you have not already had your finger print registered please come to the office to register your finger.

Jennifer and Becky

EVENTS

Monday 05/11/2018 – Bonfire Night

We will be celebrating Bonfire night by making firework pictures, looking at videos of fireworks and talking about how to keep safe at Bonfire night

Wednesday 07/11/2018 – Diwali

We will be making lanterns to celebrate the festival of light

Friday 09/11/2018 – Remembrance Day (Sunday 11/11/18)

We will be making poppy pictures and looking at the reasons we wear poppies

Thursday 15/11/2018 – I Love to Write Day

Our Pre-School children will be writing their own letters and posting them to their homes

Friday 23/11/2018 – Random Act of Kindness Day (24/11/18)

We will be going out into our community to give out small gifts as acts of kindness



SO WHAT HAVE WE BEEN UP TO AT NURSERY?

BABIES

Babies have been focusing on sensory activities including lots of messy play such as gloop, shaving foam, painting, water and jelly bath. They have used their senses, touch, taste, smell and sound to discover new experiences. They have also explored natural Autumn items such as leaves, conkers and acorns. For Halloween they enjoyed dressing up and making pictures.

TOTS

We have really enjoyed listening to 'We're going in a bear hunt' this month. We have enjoyed it so much we extended our learning through sensory play; we explored mud, chocolate gloop, sparkly water and foam to represent the different parts of the story. We also had fun exploring all the objects from our nature walks at home – thanks to everyone for taking part. For Halloween we had a spooky day exploring the wonderful textures of a pumpkin.

TODDLERS

Toddlers have had lots of fun collecting their Autumn items with their families which we then used to do leaf printing, conker rolling and linked it to Maths by counting, sorting and using language of size. We also used the items to create a beautiful Autumn display, For Halloween we had lots of fun dressing up, making ghosts, pumpkin carving and exploring Halloween playdough

PRE-SCHOOL

Pre-School have enjoyed learning about Autumn and the changes that the seasons bring. We have explored mark making with paint brushes that we made from natural things we have found in the garden such as twigs and leaves. Pre-School have also been practicing their counting at every opportunity, we have been counting different objects in the room, items we have found in the garden and our actions such as our claps and footsteps.



Toddlers Autumn display



Pre-School's homemade paintbrushes





REMINDERS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are looking for parents to write some testimonials for our website, if you are happy to write a few sentences about our nursery please could you email them across to Jennifer, thanks in advance

Please can we politely remind parents that our morning session time finishes at 1pm, please can you ensure you are on time for collections as our afternoon children arrive from 1pm

GROUPS TO TAKE PART IN

We have lots of fun Events planned throughout November, we are also in the process of arranging a taster session for Moo Music which provide multi sensory sessions for children through catchy tunes that help children learn about the world around them whilst having fun.

STAFF NEWS

We would like to give a big welcome to some of our new staff members who have recently joined us – a big welcome to Molly and Ann in our Toddler room and Ellie who will be working in all of our rooms. We are also very happy to welcome back Sophie from our baby room who has been recovering from appendicitis.

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