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DOTS 'N' SPOTS DAY NURSERY & OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB
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NURSERY NEWS

We have had a great month in the setting this sunny September. You may have noticed some new and improved spaces in our Outdoor areas with our mud kitchen, pirate ship and water course! The children have really enjoyed exploring these new areas.

We held some fantastic themed events throughout the Summer, 'Teddy Bears Picnic' and 'Pirate Week' to name just a few. We are also looking forward to hosting a Halloween 'Stay & Play' next month with more details below!

DOTS N SPOTS
NEWSLETTER

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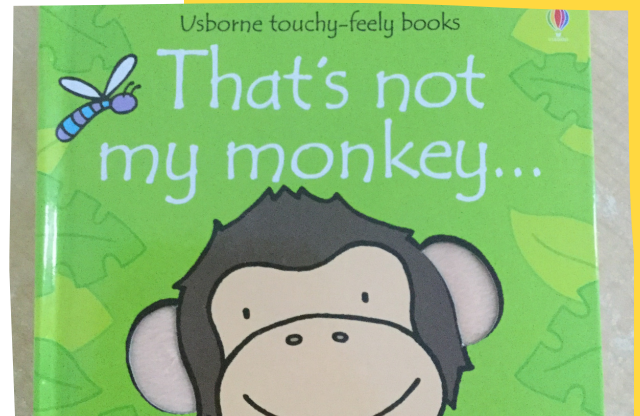
ROOM LEADERS
- EMILY

This month we have been focusing on p,s,e to support new starters and those attending settling in sessions.

We created a new sensory tray, adding different materials and sensory bottles for the children to explore.

The children have also enjoyed singing '5 Little Monkeys Swinging in a Tree', using the crocodile hand puppet. We have also started reading 'That's not my monkey'.

We created crocodile foot print and monkey hand print pictures to take home.



TODDLER ROOM

ROOM LEADER -
TAYLOR

This month we have focused on 'settling in'. We have motivated and encouraged the children to join in with our 'Hello' song at circle time, to help us learn our new friends names and grow confidence within group work.

We have added a Roarsome new jungle heuristic area to the room, which the children have absolutely loved exploring!

In the Toddler room we have continued to encourage and support the children to follow our routine, by giving each child lot's of positive praise and rewards. Our super stars at tidy up time have loved being rewarded with a choice from the special treat box.



PRE-SCHOOL ROOM

ROOM LEADER
- ABBIE

This month we have enjoyed focusing on 'All about me' and 'friendships'.

We created some self portraits by painting ourselves whilst using a mirror. We made some paper dolls for our friends too!

All the children have enjoyed taking part in lots of group games to build relationships such as 'pass the ball'.

At circle time we have enjoyed taking part in 'Wake up Shake up' to get us ready for the day!



PLAYSCHOOL ROOM

ROOM LEADER - ANITA

This month in the Play School room we have welcomed new starters and have focused on settling them into the room and familiarising them with the routines and boundaries within the Play-School room.

We have also focused on building relationships between the children and their key workers.

Our topic for this month has been 'Jungle' with the children enjoying lots of fun filled arts & crafts activities.



OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB

ROOM LEADER - ANITA

We have loved welcoming lots of new children to our Out of School Club this month!

Our focus has been on settling in and building relationships with our new Out of School Club starters by playing group games. We have also been learning the routine in the Out of School Club such as hanging our bags and coats up independently.

We have been enjoying lots of outdoor play this month, enjoying the sunshine. Our breakfast club children have particularly enjoyed this, getting them all set for the day at school.



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Parent's & Carers Notice

- Don't forget we enjoy our outdoor area in all weather, please ensure your child has a suitable warm coat, hat, gloves and wellies!

- Our opening hours are from 7:30 until 18:00 please ensure you drop off/collect your children at the correct times.

- Our Out of School Club is extremely busy at the moment. Please ensure you book in by 12pm on the Wednesday of the week before to avoid disappointment.

HALLOWEEN FAMILY STAY & PLAY



COME AND JOIN US THIS HALLOWEEN FOR OUR
FAMILY STAY & PLAY OUTDOOR SESSION

WEDNESDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2021
BABY/TWEENIE ROOM - 09:30 UNTIL 10:30
PRE-SCHOOL/TODDLER ROOM - 09:30 UNTIL 10:30
PLAY SCHOOL ROOM - 11:00 UNTIL 12:00

*ONLY TWO FAMILY MEMBERS TO ATTEND PER CHILD | SOCIALLY DISTANCED OUTDOOR SESSION |
PLEASE NOTIFY THE ROOM OF WHO WILL BE ATTENDING

SOME ACTIVITIES ARE WEATHER DEPENDANT AND ALL FOLLOW COVID-19 GUIDELINES.
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Morrisons Good to Grow Scheme

We are now part of this amazing scheme where shoppers can collect tokens for outdoor resources for the setting. All you have to do is submit them online for Dots n Spots children to enjoy!

MAKATON SIGN OF THE MONTH

HALLOWEEN

