

Hope you all had a wonderful Easter break. We are looking forward to the final term, continuing with the pilot hours and welcoming a few new children over the coming weeks.

Health and Wellbeing

We have been working on a new Getting It Right For Every Child interactive wall display. We have been asking the children what they know about the health and wellbeing indicators which are Safe, Healthy, Achieving, Nurtured, Active, Responsible, Respected and Included. The children have been telling us their views and matching the indicators to the pictures on the wall. They have really embraced this and are enjoying looking at all the photos.

Literacy and English

The children have taken a real interest in writing their own names and copying their friend's names from their name cards. Some of the children have also been practising early phonics and telling us the starting sounds of various words/ names. We intend to put a bigger focus on name writing as part of our transition to P1 topic this term.

Learning Across the Curriculum

We have been offering daily table top game opportunities with an adult to guide and support. The children have really enjoyed this opportunity and have played all sorts of games including pairs, snap dominoes, bingo, lotto and many more. They have been developing their sharing and turn taking skills and learning how to follow game play rules.

Numeracy and Maths

There has been a big interest in playing numeracy games on the smart board.

The children are learning how to navigate the computer as well as developing their number and counting skills. The games we have been playing can be found at

www.topmarks.co.uk

Pilot Scheme

Our Pilot is going really well. The children are settling into the full days and their new routine nicely. Some comments from the full day children include; "I love going to lunch club and choosing my food." "I liked meeting new friends and seeing the afternoon children." "I like the purple group. We do fun things."

Transition

We will be planning our Transition topics very soon and hope to start this process over the next couple of weeks. Look out for the transition calendar going out soon. We are looking forward to introducing the Pre School children to School life over the coming weeks in the lead up to our Graduation day on Tuesday 27th June.

Notice Board

We regularly update our nursery noticeboard with information for parents. Please check this for new notices.

Snack money for the term is £22.

Any questions or suggestions? These can be popped onto the you asked we listened board or posted anonymously into the suggestions bag in the front foyer.