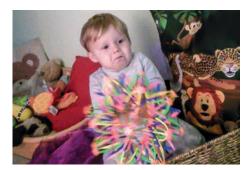


Bury College NEWSLETTER

November - December

Across the setting following some training we have begun mindfulness sessions with our children. The children are encouraged to follow 7 simple steps, and this helps the children to have quiet time and reflect on their emotions even from a young age. The children have really enjoyed the sessions and have been so calm afterwards, some children fall asleep and others are still becoming familiar with it which is just fine too. We have new resources such as an aromatherapy diffuser, and resources for us to develop our breathing such as bubbles, and feathers. This helps children to deal with their emotions and become resilient to new situations and manage them effectively.





Lambs:

The children in Lambs are all settling very well. They have enjoyed getting to know one another and welcoming lots of new friends into our nursery. The Lambs have been experiencing lots of new sensory play activities, learning all about each other and their families and taking part in lots of calm time. The children have enjoyed the mindfulness sessions blowing the bubbles, listening to calming music and baby massage.

The Lambs have also been focusing on stories as part of our literacy project. The children have helped to choose stories to read and have been reading them each day to help them get more familiar with specific words and everyday objects. These books will also be shared with you to take home.

Ducks:

The Ducklings have been learning about their families and the local community. To support this, the children have been bringing photographs from home to share with their friends. They really enjoy speaking about the different photographs and pointing to their family members. Please remember to send in photos regularly on Parent Zone so we can share these at circle time. The children really benefit from this as they are great for promoting language.



The Ducklings have introduced a new home bear named Bruno who will be sent home with a different child each week to promote our love of reading. We recently attended training about literacy in the early years and heard some shocking facts such as 1 in 5 children do not own a story book. We love reading and know it is so important to develop children's communication skills. Story time can also be a great time to spend quality time together as a family so we will be implementing exciting new ways you can do this at home!

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Upcoming events

31/10/19

HALLOWEEN STAY AND PLAY SESSION AND A HALLOWEEN SPOOKY BAKE SALE

5/11/19

BONFIRE TREATS SALE

1/12/2019 CHRISTMAS FAIR



Farmers:

The Farmers children have recently taken part in a fantasy topic chosen by the children. They enjoyed speaking about what they want to be when they are older and designed a new pirate and princes display for our bathroom. The children asked for face paint and enjoyed taking photographs of one another to send home to their families.



The children have taken a keen interest in different occupations and will be learning about some of these as well as different religions, and our local community. If any parents would like to come in and speak about their occupation, read stories, join in our music sessions or bake with us please speak to a member of staff.

Question of the month

Do you read with your child at home?





Reminder

The weather is changing and it can get wet and muddy outdoors. Please do not forget to bring a warm coat, spare clothes and wellington boots to nursery for your child. These can be left at nursery. The children really enjoy exploring the outdoor area and lack of appropriate clothing can be a barrier to their learning.

As the weather gets colder we would recommend thinking ahead to ensure your child has a hat, scarf and gloves to keep them warm.



If you would like to book a party at Running Wild, log onto www.runningwildparties.co.uk where you can check availability and book online. Alternatively ring 0161 653 1996 and speak to Paula.

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