



ZEN

NEWS FLASH



January 2022

**NURSERY FOOD DRIVE**

All the children enjoyed taking part in the nursery food drive, thank you to everyone who donated. The farmers enjoyed a trip to the Zen offices to deliver our collection and learning how they were helping others. The children learnt the value of giving rather than receiving, encouraging social - emotional skills like kindness, empathy and compassion.

**FARMERS**

The children have enjoyed setting up and using their signing in books, which are aimed at supporting mark making and letter formation for our names.

LAMBS

The children have enjoyed a number of new sensory books linked to the book of the week, following their interests we have started to introduce different forms of reading material to the room for the children to explore. The children especially enjoyed looking through their daily newspaper over meal times, listening to staff talk about new events in their lives.

**Dates for the Diary:****CHRISTMAS CARD RECYCLING**

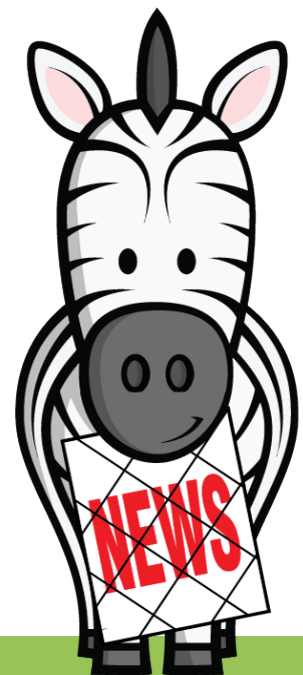
throughout January we will be collecting Christmas cards for recycling, alongside some of the larger superstores such as Tesco who will be setting up a card recycling space. Towards the end of the month, the children will be able to go for a walk and hand in the cards they have collected so please save yours and bring them into nursery when we reopen.

4th January**WORLD BRAILLE DAY**

Linking to our sponsored dog Ginger, we will be exploring different Braille and teaching the children about how those who are blind read.

31st January**INTERNATIONAL ZEBRA DAY**

black and white day, dress up day. The children will be having a fun packed week learning all about their favorite Zebra, Zack.



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