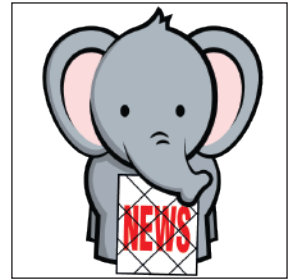




# EDINBURGH WAY

# NEWS FLASH



**November 2023**

## Farmers

The Farmers have been learning about nature, the different plants, trees and also how to care for them in order for them to flourish. As well as learning about nature, we have also taken part in lots of junk modeling activities. The children were given the opportunity to express themselves creatively using paint and different materials. Throughout this period, we have also started to develop the children's artistic expressive voice. By getting the children to talk about what they have made and why they made it.

Currently the Farmers are learning about space. We have researched the different planets and also took part in lots of space activities such as dressing up as astronauts, making moon biscuits and counting with our magic space rocks. The Farmers all enjoyed taking part in our indoor space jump, where we all pretend to be astronauts in training.



## Ducklings

We hosted the big draw stay and play session. Our parents came in and participated in different styles of drawing. One of them was a free hand drawing segment, we used different objects we could find in the room. Our parents role modeled to the children different ways to hold the pencil and different positions you can sit in when drawing. We had a great turn out and once again want to thank our Mums, Dads and Grandparents that attended.



The Duckling's children have been learning about healthy eating through our 'Hungry Caterpillar Book'. We explored the different types of foods we eat and separated them into healthy and unhealthy piles. This led us onto the children exploring a beautiful garden and learning about the different stages in a caterpillar's life cycle.

## Lambs

In the month of October we learnt about the different animals linked to our book with a hook 'Dear Zoo'. The children helped build a warm home for our scary Lion, we also took part in craft activities such as making a lion mask and foot prints through the forest. We focused on different animal sounds and expressing different facial expressions such as being shocked. We baked cupcakes for Eddie, our elephant and put on a bake sale alongside the other two rooms in the nursery. All donations will go to RSPCA, we want to thank everyone who contributed.



## Look what we will be doing next:

As we have entered a new season, we will be focusing on exploring the change of season through forest school in the Ducklings and Farmers. In the month of November we will be celebrating Bonfire Night and Diwali.

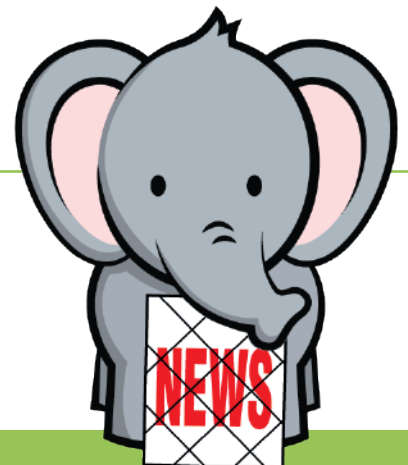
## DATES FOR DIARY

13TH NOVEMBER - ODD-SOCKS DAY

17TH NOVEMBER - CHILDREN IN NEED

20TH NOV TO 25TH NOVEMBER - ROAD SAFETY WEEK

20TH NOVEMBER - UNIVERSAL CHILDREN'S DAY



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