



# SCHOOL HOUSE

## NEWS FLASH



**November 2023**

### LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING...

The Lamb's children have enjoyed exploring different textures linking to Halloween, through the 'Very Hungry Caterpillar', trick or treat story. The children enjoyed exploring a pumpkin, they explored the outside of the pumpkin first and then cut it open to touch the texture inside. The children enjoyed rolling the pumpkin as they practised their gross motor skills, painting it using different tools.

The Duckling's children have enjoyed going on a bear hunt, practising the different sounds from the story as they explored the different materials and texture from the story such as mud and snow. The children enjoyed looking for the bear, while exploring outside. We have also spent lots of time bug hunting in our Halloween tuff trays with the pumpkins and spider webs.

The Farmers have enjoyed the 'Colour Monster' book, linking the different colours in the story to our emotions. The children enjoyed making their own monsters in playdough and with paint, talking about how they feel, what and who makes them feel happy.

The Explorers have enjoyed learning focused on the "Stickman" story, we linked this learning to National Grandparents Day. The children looked at the family in the book and linked this back to their own families. Thank you to all the grandparents who came along to our stay and play. It was lovely for staff to meet them, after hearing about them for so long. The children enjoyed showing them what they do in nursery and where they play.

### LOOK WHAT WE WILL BE DOING...

We will be learning about the changing seasons and about change to daylight hours through the 'Day Monkey', 'Night Money' story.



## Dates for the Diary:

**11TH NOVEMBER – REMEMBRANCE DAY**

Making poppies and wreaths.

**12TH NOVEMBER – DIWALI**

Colour week, making decorations and learning all about the Hindu festival of Lights.

**20TH NOVEMBER – ROAD SAFETY WEEK**

Traffic light games, learning about the little green man and how to keep safe when out and about.



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