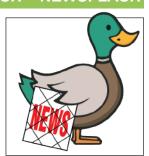


DERBY STREET

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September 2025

LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING...

As we said a fond farewell to our children moving on to school and their next big adventure, we celebrated with a special Leavers' Week, filled with fun days and exciting activities. We wish all of our leavers the very best on their journey ahead.

The Little Lambs have been learning all about friendship and kindness. They have enjoyed plenty of baby role play, showing fantastic self-care skills by brushing the babies' teeth and washing their bodies. Through mirror play, they also developed great awareness of different body parts. Messy sensory play has been a big hit too, helping the children build both fine and gross motor skills while engaging their senses. We especially loved taking this learning outdoors in the sunshine.

In the Ducks room, we have been exploring some of our favourite stories, such as The Gruffalo and We're Going on a Bear Hunt. Interactive story times have included props, treasure hunts, and plenty of enthusiastic joining in with words and phrases. The children have also shown a big interest in the bugs around our garden. We became bug explorers, using binoculars, magnifying glasses, and our imaginations to discover and identify different creatures.

The Farmers have been learning all about our bodies and how to keep them healthy. Activities have included planting vegetables in the garden, making fruit smoothies for snack time, and joining in daily exercise sessions. Our focus book, Funnybones, sparked conversations about skeletons, x-rays, organs, and how our bodies work. The children showed brilliant self-awareness by creating their own movement activities and practising self-regulation when they felt it was needed.

A huge thank you to everyone for your generous contributions. Together, we raised an amazing £2,454, which will be donated to the RSPCA in our local community.

Coming up next, this term we will be supporting our new starters and children who are moving into new rooms. Activities will focus on promoting personal, social, and emotional development across the setting.





Dates for the Diary:

5TH SEPTEMBER - READ A BOOK DAY

Bring along your favourite story and a teddy from home for a storytelling Teddy Bears' Picnic.

19TH SEPTEMBER - TALK LIKE A PIRATE DAY

Come dressed as a pirate for a day full of swashbuckling fun.

22ND-28TH SEPTEMBER - RECYCLE WEEK

Please bring in recycling materials from home for the children to explore and use in activities.

We will also be holding a "Meet Your Keyworker" morning and a Stay and Play session in September.

Details will be shared on ParentZone soon.

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