

The Gables

NEWSLETTER

Nov - Dec

Covid19 update

We are continuing to work in bubbles and have introduced the use of face masks at close contact care times such as nappy and mealtimes. This is to protect both staff and children from transmitting the virus to one another. All parents must also now wear masks at drop off and collection. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Due to current Covid19 restrictions our usual staff training day which is held on the first weekday of the year (Monday 4th January 2021) has been postponed to Monday 5th July 2021. Therefore, on Monday 4th January 2021 we will be operating as normal.

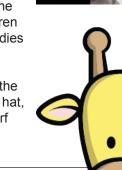
National Forest School Day

To celebrate National Forest School day, we enjoyed a sensory bear hunt walk linking in with many of the children's favourite story 'We're going on a Bear Hunt'. The children and ladies enjoyed taking part in some den building and muddy faces activities using natural objects and playdough to create their own creatures! We enjoyed making own leaf garlands for nursery, and some hot chocolate for snack. We enjoyed creating our very own Pumpkin Patch in the garden! In the afternoon we had a very special visit from Emma and her Crazy Creatures outside in the garden! We got to meet lots of different animals and bugs including Venom the Tarantula, Cornelia the Corn Snake, Boris the Bearded Dragon, His Royal Highness Froggy McFroggington (The Frog) and some giant African land Snails!



Badger and the **Great Storm**

Linking in with our Season, we have been exploring the story of 'Badger and the Great Storm' the children have enjoyed exploring our Autumn sensory table with pinecones, leaves, acorns and conkers and have enjoyed exploring our woodland animal tree, learning some new names of animals including a 'Blue Tit' and 'Robin' and 'Finch', and creating our own birds nests! We have been talking about hibernation of animals in the winter time and how they prepare for the winter months ahead! The children enjoyed a game made by the ladies of helping Mr Badger with what clothes to wear to keep himself warm during the cold months - the children were able to match the hat, wellies, mittens, gloves and scarf onto the correct places on Mr Badger's body!



Dinky Dino!

The little lambs have shown a lot of interest in our Dinky Dino book, taking part in lots of different activities including Dino stomp painting, watching a volcano eruption experiment, and making some Dino story props!

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Happy Halloween!

The children enjoyed taking part in lots of fun halloween activities including pumpkin carving, bushtucker trials, making their own mummy cupcakes, halloween crafts, a halloween afternoon tea party, and watching a nursery magic show from the ladies!



The Colour Monster

The children have enjoyed exploring our new book 'The Colour Monster', which teaches children about different feelings and emotions and matches them to a colour. The children helped us to make some emotion jars (as seen in the book) which we have now added into our home-corner feelings table in nursery and linked into our colours of the week.

Outdoor Sensory Den

The children and Ladies in the little lambs room have worked together to make their own outdoor sensory den – adding a spice station, making some new sensory bottles and mats with pom poms, glitter, googly eyes, gems and slime! The children loved exploring some rainbow coloured and flavoured ice sticks that we made together to mark make, taste, and touch!

Wheels on the Bus!

Linking in with the schema's displayed by children in the Lambs room – we enjoyed a topic days of wheels! The children enjoyed some rolling with tyres, a ball rolling paint splash, making a giant train track and building their own bus using a cardboard box!

BEEP BEEP!



Merry Christmas!

We would like to wish all of our Children and parents a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! Here's hoping that 2021 will be filled with lots of happiness and a new year for making lots of lovely memories together - love from, The Gables Team x

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