



Elsworth Pre-School Newsletter w/c 18/10/2021

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Last week...

The children loved pirate week and all the activities we prepared, we made our own treasure maps and went on a treasure hunt.

We cut out some underpants and decorated them like the pirates in the book, and we also had a sea/beach theme tray where the children used their imagination to create some great role play!

We did some baking and the children got involved and took turns to stir, pour and mix. We spoke about our favourite bakes and what sweet treat we love the most!

Important things to bring to Pre-School

There is a big emphasise in the revised EYFS for oral health and healthy eating, it would be great if you could check your child's lunch to ensure it is a well-balanced meal and is as healthy as possible.

We go outside in all weather so please be prepared with suitable clothing. Now the weather is turning please ensure that your child has spare clothes in their bag just in case we get wet and muddy outside!

Sound of the week

We incorporate sound of the week within show and tell so please could your child bring in one thing beginning with R to share with us all. This is where we will concentrate on correct speech formation and initial sound recognition

Number of the week

Our number of the week will be 1. We will be looking at number recognition and representing 1 using both objects and mark-making.

Next week...

Our book of the week is "Room on the broom", as we're coming up to Halloween this seemed to be the perfect book to end the term on, it is also a firm favourite of the children (and adults!)

We will be exploring pumpkins and using tools to carve patterns and shapes into the pumpkin, and also using the insides for messy play!

And in true 'Room on the broom' style we will be making our own broomstick and magic potions.



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Please can we ask that all children's lunch boxes, snack pots, drinks bottles and clothing are clearly labelled to avoid them being misplaced. It also helps us understand whose snack is whose, as it's not always clear. We do have a child allergic to a certain fruit, so it is vital we are extremely careful.

We would like to direct you to our website elsworthpreschool.org where we have information on our new curriculum that began on 6th September. It is designed to enable all children to develop in each area of learning at the right pace for them and is based on activities that cover all areas of the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS). We aim to provide more information over the coming weeks.

If anyone has any Pre-School clothes at home, may we have them back please as we are a little short of age 3-4. Thank you!

Wish List - (we would really like to increase the diversity of our resources for the children)

Any book that is about different cultures/ethnicities.

Multi-cultural dolls/babies.

Thank You