

Little Gems Newsletter

Friday 1st May, 2015



Busy Learning

We are very pleased to say that everyone has settled back beautifully after the Easter break and we hope you all had fun!

This term we are learning about rainbows and we are focusing on the colours of the rainbow.

Our Little Gems have worked collaboratively to make a giant rainbow which we have proudly displayed on our wall in the nursery. This inspired some of the children to paint their own individual rainbow paintings and they have produced some wonderful collages.

We have learned 'The Rainbow Song' and have listened to the story 'Elmer and The Rainbow' at story time.

At snack time we tried rainbow fruits in the form of pineapple, grapes apple and kiwi. The children really enjoyed trying out new tastes especially the kiwi fruit.

Outdoor Learning

Little Gems love the wonderful sunshine and have spent lots of time outdoors.

We have continued our rainbow theme and have been on rainbow spotting adventures, investigated a rainbow themed sensory tray (blue hair gel and corn flour) and have loved a rainbow jelly experience. We all enjoyed dipping our hands into the cold jelly and exploring the texture and smell. Some of us couldn't resist the taste either!

We have made a 'mud kitchen' for our outdoor area. The children have really enjoyed using soil and water to cook with and have used real pots and pans too. We would love any donations of suitable kitchen equipment if anyone has any to spare. Thank you

Donations

We would be very grateful for any donations of the following items,

- Compost
- Seeds
- Guttering
- Baskets
- Garden pots

We would be very grateful for any of the above items for exciting projects at Little Gems. ☺

Reminders

Could you please ensure that your child brings a sun hat and a drink bottle containing water to school each day.

Unfortunately we are unable to apply sun cream at school therefore, could you please ensure that you do this at home before your child comes to nursery.

Thank you for continued support.

