

Nursery Newsletter

11th November 2021

This week we focused our learning on police officers and how they help us. The children listened to the story 'Police Officer' and learned a song about police officers. The children loved the visit of a police officer and trying on his hat!

We also talked about Remembrance and the children enjoyed painting poppies, making playdough poppies and watching a Remembrance clip.

In Mini-Woodies, the children made magic potions. The children developed their imagination and language skills through an exciting and fun activity.

Red Acorns

During chatterbox time, the children looked at the police officers uniform and police car. We introduced vocabulary such as handcuffs, hat, radio and siren.

Blue Acorns

During phonics, we continued to learn about rhyming words. The children had a nursery rhyme time and used props to select and sing their favourite nursery rhymes.

In maths, the children have been learning about comparing quantities and size. The children enjoyed listening to the story 'A Squash and a Squeeze' and were confident acting out the story. We discussed how the house felt when it was full and when it was emptied.

This week's Makaton sign is:

Sorry



This week's song:

I'm a police officer







NOTICES:

Christmas Performance – Nursery Christmas performance will be on 1st December.

World Nursery Rhyme Week – Nursery will join World Nursery Rhyme Week starting on 15th November and will learn a nursery rhyme a day. To support their learning we are hosting a pyjama day in Nursery on 17th November. Children can come to Nursery wearing their pyjamas. Please send them with school shoes and a warm winter coat.

School Photos – Individual and sibling photos will be taken next Tuesday, 16th November. Please ensure children are in the correct uniform.

November Parent Consultations – If your child has their birthday in November or May the class teacher will contact parents near the time to book a parent consultation slot. The meeting will be on 25th November.

Spare clothes – Each child should have their own set of spare clothes (top, bottom, underwear and socks) labelled in the nursery. Please label all clothes and shoes.

Water bottles – Please ensure that your child has a labelled water bottle every day in nursery.

Packed Lunches – Please be aware that we are a nut and sesame free school due to allergies. Please do not send any products containing sesame or nuts in your child's packed lunch. Just a reminder that we are a healthy school and chocolates are not allowed.

Nursery WhatsApp group for parents – If you are not on the parents group please ask a member of the nursery team to pass you the reps details.

Instagram Account – Claygate Primary School has a dedicated Instagram account for EYFS. Please follow us and see what our EYFS children are learning.
@claygate_primary_school_eyfs

Illness – If your child has any of the three Covid-19 symptoms (persistent cough, high temperature or loss of smell or taste) they need to self-isolate for 10 days or return to school with a negative test result (send a copy of the result to the office).

We thank you, as always, for your continuing support.
Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any queries.

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