

Week Commencing: 21st May 2012

OUR TOPIC OF THE MONTH IN BABIES IS;

Teddy Bears!

MONDAY

Today the babies will have the opportunity to paint using the colour brown, to create pictures of teddy bears.

TUESDAY

This morning babies will be making lots of noise during Rhythm time with their key workers and Jan! The babies will be experiencing different physical development by using the range of instruments with Jan, and key workers.

"Imitate and improvise actions they have observed, such as clapping and waving." The Early Years Foundation Stage – Physical Development – Using Equipment and Materials.

WEDNESDAY

Today the babies will have the opportunity to get messy and explore the porridge play with different bowls and spoons, just like in Goldie Locks and the Three Bears.

THURSDAY

Today the babies will be able to use sponges to create paintings of flowers to take home for someone special.

FRIDAY

Today the babies will be able to spend some quality time with their key workers, playing the musical instruments to a range of songs. Weather permitting depends on if this is within the sensory area of the baby room or in the play house in the garden if the sun is out! *"Feel safe and secure within healthy relationships with key people" The Early Years Foundation Stage – Personal, Social and Emotional Development – Self-confidence and Self-esteem.*

At home with your child

This week within Baby room we are focusing on being creative and creating things. To follow this through at home why not make some shakers with/for your baby using a plastic bottles, rice/beans. Put some of the dried rice/beans into the bottle (but don't fill it) secure the lid on, and encourage you baby to shake to music. You could even add glitter in with the beans or brightly coloured ribbon to hang down from the bottle neck!

"Select/make toys that will make different sounds, such as a wooden cylinder with a little ball in or a small toy that squeaks, and talk about the sounds they make when they mouth or hold them." The Early Years Foundation Stage – Creative Development- Exploring Media and Materials

Routine of the room

7.30 – 8.30 welcome and breakfast
 8.30 – 10.00 free flow play including focused activity
 10.00 – 10.15 snack time
 10.15 – 11.00 outdoor play
 11.00 – 12.00 lunch time
 12.00 – 2.30 sleep time
 2.30 – 3.00 milk, free play and song time
 3.00 – 3.45 tea time
 3.45 – 6.00 free flow play and home time

This is a guide of our routine but will be adapted to meet the individual needs of the babies

Meet the team

Baby room leader- Mandy Newton (NVQ level 3)
 Nursery Nurse- Debbie Owen (NNEB)
 Nursery Nurse- Rachel Upton (NVQ level 2)
 Nursery Nurse- Olivia Taafe (Level 3 Diploma in childcare)
 Nursery Nurse - Sophie Cross (NVQ level 3)

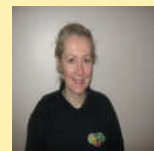
THIS WEEK WE WILL BE LOOKING AT THE BOOK:

ONE TED FALLS OUT OF THE BED

Messages:



BECAUSE THE TOPIC IN BABY ROOM THIS MONTH IS TEDDY BEARS, PLEASE SEND YOUR CHILD INTO NURSERY WITH A TEDDY TO TAKE PART IN NURSERY ACTIVITIES WITH THEM! MANY THANKS XX



Olivia is off Thursday this week, any of Olivia's key children will be given a buddy key worker on Thursday.