

Monkey Mail November 2022

Birthdays and Celebrations

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Baby room

Ruben W

Zoe M



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Toddlers

Keziah D

Maxwell O-A

Mini & Pre-school

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Freddie C

Heidi S

Riaan R

Mini & Pre-school

Calí B

Ivy M

Oscar T

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Some of the children's interests in October were...

Pre-school - Colours and fireworks

Toddlers - Fireworks and construction

Baby room - Space and fireworks

Special events in November



Fireworks night



Remembrance day



Día De Los Muertos
- Day of the dead



Saint Andrews day



Children in need



Thanksgiving



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Staff news



Layla in Pre-school has now left 😞 We wish Layla the best of luck in her new career and hope she comes back to visit us all!

Niamh who has been doing work experience with us has now also joined the bank staff team so she will be helping out in all rooms. Welcome to the team!



Laura has now taken on a part time role in pre-school on a Monday and Tuesday – Welcome to the team!

Lily has also joined our team to be a 1-1 support worker based in pre-school! Welcome to the team!



Sadly, Amy Elston who has been with us since the day we opened will be leaving to start a new career! We will miss her dearly, but we wish her the best of luck in her new job!

Upcoming events

2/12 - Elf Day!



8/12 - Christmas Jumper Day!



13/12 - Christmas dinner day!

21/12 - Christmas tea party!
(Last day before Christmas)



We are now learning Spanish!

Pre-school have been having Spanish lessons every Thursday at 10-11am with Laura. They have been learning new vocabulary every week, the children are doing such a fantastic job! The children are especially good at recognising numbers, colours, vehicles and they have been learning a Christmas song! We are all super proud of how well they are doing!



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Messy Monkey

Babies have enjoyed getting messy by mixing water paint and glitter to make galaxies. We used potatoes to make planets!



Minis and pre-school have been mark making using toilet rolls dipped in paint to create fireworks, sensory colour mixing, colour water mixing, Poppy wreath making, they also done lots of messy trays for children in need and they used the tuff tray to create a polar express! 😊

Toddlers have been using shaving foam and building blocks to build, they have been making marks in rice to find the coloured paper hiding under the rice, they made poppies out of playdough and black painted popcorn kernels and muddy transport construction play.



Monkey Puzzle Eltham Lending Library

We are pleased to announce that we now have a Library Box in our reception area for parents and children to use.



Please help yourselves to a book to take home and read with your child.

We also started a multicultural lending library (which is also located in reception) and there will be a variety of different children's books available in different languages, for children and parents to borrow.

Can we kindly ask that parents sign the books in and out on the clipboards provided in the areas and that books are not borrowed for longer than a week at a time.

We hope you all enjoy the new home reading scheme!



Monkey Chef

Babies have been busy making sparklers using breadsticks chocolate and sprinkles, they were so yummy!



Mini and Pre-school made rich tea Poppy's, gingerbread people, they also made Pudsey shortbreads and decorated them, rice Krispie cakes!



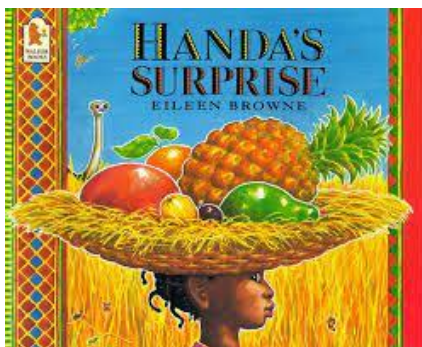
Toddlers made chocolate sparklers, they iced rich teas with red icing and decorated it with black sprinkles to create Poppy's for Remembrance Day, they made Poppy cupcakes and they done lots of children in need baking 😊



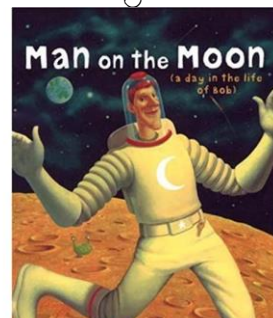
Book of the month



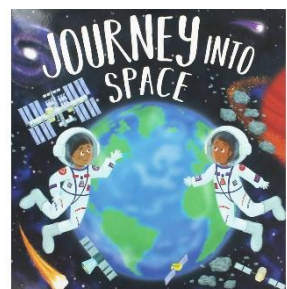
Toddler's book of the month is 'Handas surprise'. They have been looking at the different fruits which are included in the story.



Babies book of the month was 'Man on the moon' the children pointed to the sky and told us where they see the moon.



Mini and Pre-school book of the month was 'journey into space' has helped pre-school understand about space and the earth we live on!



Fun in the garden!

Babies have been playing football both inside and outside, we have been scoring goals just like England.



Toddlers have enjoyed exploring all the different activities in the garden! Such as playing the traffic light game, lots of football games to support England in the world cup!



Minis and Pre-school have enjoyed colouring in a large Pudsey that was painted onto the big gates, they also was using chalk to write their names onto the black gate and lots of fun games that include running around and using up lots of energy! 😊



Makaton sign of the month!

This month we have begun to introduce the Makaton sign for feelings...



Happy



Sad

Feelings



Angry



Excited

Baby Room




Loran
Key Buddy: Tullula

Annie
Thomas
Cherrie
Khadijah
Eleanor




Tullula
Key Buddy: Loran

Axel
Omari
Max
Arise
Zoe
Isabella



Paige S
Key Buddy: Carly

Ruben
Harry
Austin
Joshua
Gerald



Carly
Key Buddy: Paige S

Oscar
Noah
Dia
Khalil
Annie J


In the event of your child's key person being unavailable (due to annual leave) the key buddy will be responsible.

Toddler Room



Bahire
Key Buddy: Jess B

Isabella
Eason
Ira
Maxwell
Liam



Jess B
Key Buddy: Bahire

Karson
Albie
Rowan
Jayden
Aiden



Demi
Key Buddy: Georgia

Lily
Rory
Aryan
Ava
Keziah
Lewis



Georgia
Key Buddy: Demi

Teddy
George
Alissia
Elena
Harrison

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Pre School



Hannah
Key Buddy: Jordan

Jeremy
Esme
Mia
Emari
Jacob
Harry
Eden
Ruby
Rayan
Mabel
Yannis



Jordan
Key Buddy: Ellie C

Evie
Cali B
Oscar T
Freddie
Riaan



Becca
Key Buddy: Hannah

Lewis
Hallie
Zoya
Yaseen
Ava
Aria
Ivy H
Kumsal



Bethany
Key Buddy:
Ellie C

Sarah
Charlie D
Walter
Andre
Louie

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Ellie C
Key Buddy:
Bethany

Jude C
Teddy
Noah
Michaela
Charlie H
Ivy
Aran
Jake
George
Leo
Joseph



Abbie
Key Buddy:
Bethany

Henry
Heidi

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HOME LEARNING

We would love to know what activities our children have been enjoying when not at Nursery so we can try and implement similar things here based on their interests! The space below is for parents to attach photos, comments or any lovely things our children are enjoying!

December



Let's get festive!!!!

During the month of December we would love for you all to create your own Christmas decorations and bring into nursery to add to our rooms to make them look festive! 😊



Pasta wreath

Tissue paper baubles



Candle snowman

Christmas tree hand



You can also do some cooking/baking at home and take lots of pictures that you can send to us via email! Here are some ideas:



Brownie reindeers



Coconut polar bear cupcakes



Marshmallow snowmen

This month I have been busy at home and this is what I have done...