

Birthdays and Celebrations

Baby room Elena Ava

Karson

<u>Toddlers</u> Líly

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<u>Míní & Pre-school</u> Fínlay Mía Olíver



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

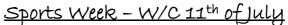
<u>Pre-school</u> - Shapes & Holidays

<u>Toddlers</u> -Holídays

Baby room - Colours







All rooms took part in lots of different Sports activities and done amazing! Well done Monkey Puzzle Eltham!



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Staff news Firstly, we would like to welcome Bethany to the team! Bethany has joined Preschool as a full-time member of staff! Sadly, Jessica M will be leaving the Pre-school team as she will be doing lots of travelling. However, we are excited to tell you that she will still be with us as bank staff! In addition, Amy E is officially back from maternity leave! Amy will be supporting all rooms as development coordinator on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays! upcoming events · 7th of August - Sisters Day • 16th of August - Tell a joke day 19th of August - world humanitarian day We are now learning Spanish! Pre-school will now be having Spanish lessons every Thursday at 10-11am with Laura. They will be learning new vocabulary every week. Singing sings learning colour and numbers! SPAIN **¿HABLAS** ESPAÑOL?

Messy Monkey

Babies have enjoyed lots of water play in the sunshine! This has encouraged them to say single words such as 'splash'. They have also had lots of different colour mixing activities!



Minis and pre-school have had lots of different activities such as shape printing and painting with shaving foam!

They have also enjoyed lots of ice play in the heat! They explored ice numbers with different items frozen inside!





Toddlers have enjoyed sand play to make sand castles like some of us have done on our holidays! They also made their very own ice-cream paintings using potatoes!



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 have 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!



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Monkey Chef

Babies have enjoyed making cupcakes. When doing this they mixed lots of different colours together!

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Míní and Pre-school have been made their very own pizzas! They chose what ingredients they wanted to put on the top and then put them in the oven! Once they were ready, they ate them!



Toddlers have been helping water our vegetables! They then picked a cucumber and tried it!

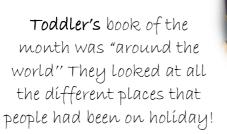


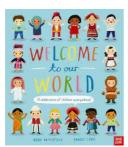




Book of the month

Babies book of the month was 'rainbow fish' they all enjoyed exploring all the different colours in the book and made their very own rainbow fish!





Míní and Pre-school book of the month was 'going to school' this was to help prepare all the children who are going to school.



<u>Fun in the garden!</u>

Babies have been getting very creative with all the different colours in the garden! Loran also made a loose parts wall for the babies to explore! This month they have even made a Dino corner to make the garden more exciting for the babies and they loved it!









Toddlers have been enjoying lots of water play in the garden due to the hot weather! They also had lots of fun on their trip to the park. During their trip to the park, they learnt about road safety and explored different types of natural recourses!

Míní's and Pre-school have been really enjoying water play in the garden! They have also made lots of sand castles in the sand pit!







Makaton sign of the month!

We have been working hard to implement Makaton across the nursery and it's going amazingly!

This month we have begun to introduce the Makaton sign for different colours!

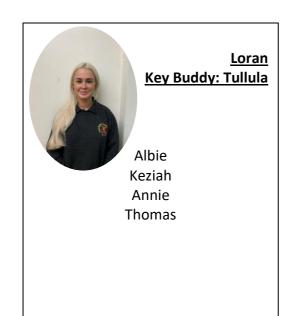
Makaton Signs for Colours

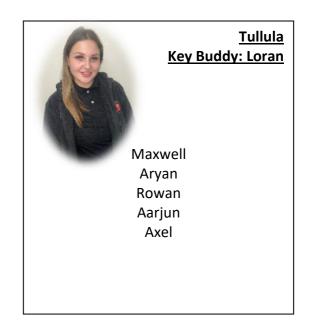






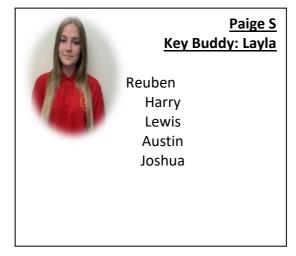






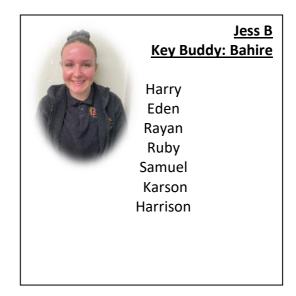




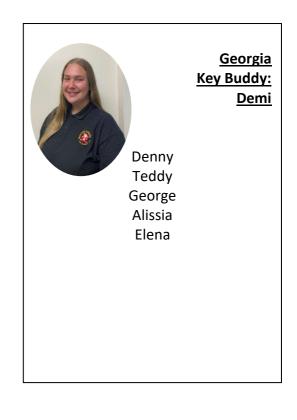


Toddler Room

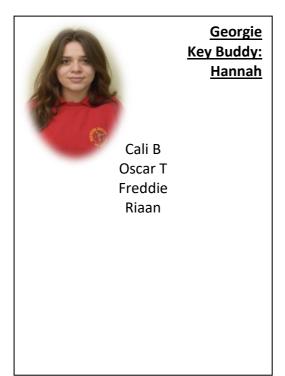




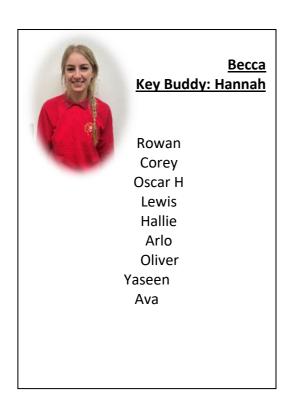








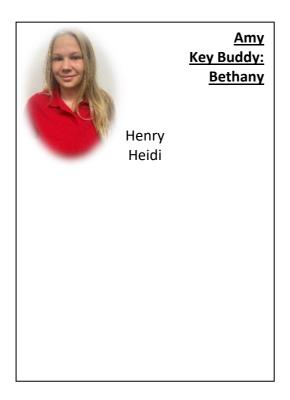


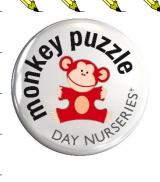








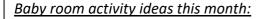




HOME LEARNING

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!

August



Can you draw a picture of your favourite food?

<u>Toddler room activity ideas this month:</u>

Can you show us what you have been up to in the summer?

<u>Pre-school room activity ideas this month:</u>

Can you practise writing your name?

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