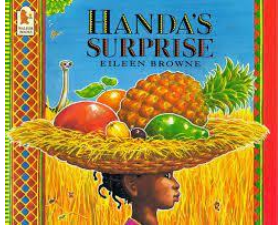


A Snapshot of our week

Here are some ideas and activities that we would have been doing in nursery this week. In nursery we do lots of play based learning and follow the children's interests and lead to develop and extend their play. For the next few weeks our theme is based around construction, buildings and demolition! I have tried to adapt the activities around the toys and resources you might have at home. If you have any questions or need anything please don't hesitate to email me on the class email: snowdrop@st-james.derbyshire.sch.uk

Theme: Ready Steady Grow	Colour of the week: Orange	Week Commencing:	14.3.22
Book: Handa's Surprise	Shape of the week: -		

<p>Personal, Social and Emotional</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In the tuff spot this week we have cereal, spaghetti, water and making tea and coffee! All week 	<p>Communication and Language</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The children will be getting a new library book to bring home. Thursday The story of the week is Handa's Surprise. Monday On Mondays and Wednesdays the children will be going over to the hall to play ring games, listening games and become active! The children will be taking their shoes and socks off which is a skill in itself and then learning how to move their bodies in different ways! Monday and Wednesday 		<p>Physical Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The children will be threading pasta onto string to make pasta necklaces. We will be challenging some of the children to make a pattern with the colours too. Thursday The children have shown an interest in making binoculars so we are all going to make some on Friday. The children will then be using them when we go on a mini safari in our outdoor area. Friday 	
<p>Literacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phase 1 Phonic sessions – We have phonics sessions each day and will be starting with lots of singing and action rhymes! All week 	<p>Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We will be exploring weight and the children will be weighing real food items and discussing which is heavier/lighter. We will be modelling lots of mathematical language to the children as they use the balance scales. Tuesday Jigsaws – jigsaws are great for problem solving and improving special awareness. All week 	<p>Understanding the World Expressive Arts and Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The children will be tasting the fruits from the story and making fruit kebabs. They will be using the plastic knives to chop the fruit. Monday We will be painting and printing using fruit and vegetables. Tuesday The children will be exploring colour and mixing colours together. Wednesday 		<p>Things to know!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If possible please make sure that your child has shoes on that they can put on and fasten themselves. We try and encourage the children to be independent as much as possible and it can be tricky if they have laces. Thank you