



Kingswood Preschool

Newsletter, November 2019

'One World Week' open sessions

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents, aunties, uncles and carers who came along to our open session. It was wonderful to see so many happy faces as you engaged with your children. We enjoyed sharing with you our many diverse activities, such as; Aboriginal sand art, curried playdough, Chinese writing, Henna painting, replicating landmarks with building blocks and of course finishing off with singing with the talented Sarah and her guitar.



Den building

The children have been using their imaginations to role play scenarios in our den. The children have run away from "scary monsters", had a "picnic for babies", shared books together and enjoyed playing hide and seek. Dens and hideaways provide children with the opportunity to develop their communication and



language skills, explore, investigate and experiment, develop their social skills and spark creativity and imagination.

Have a go at den building at home, it can be as simple as a sheet and a chair or even a cardboard box. We would love to see where your imaginations will take you!

Getting messy for communication!

We have been exploring lots of messy and sensory craft activities this month in pre-school. The children have enjoyed making their own potions and lotions using a wide variety of resources; shaving foam, glitter, washing up liquid, powder paint, poster paint, coloured and flavoured waters to name but a few! Messy and sensory activities are a wonderful way for opening up opportunities to expand vocabulary and develop communication and language skills. The children learned new words such as, mixing, turning, stirring, pouring, pumping, squeezing, glistening, gloopy, foamy, soft, bubbly and 100s more.



"It's explosive!"

"Like fireworks"

"It's magic"



Christmas songs

In preparation for our Christmas production we are practising two songs with the children in pre-school. It will be greatly appreciated if you could practice these at home with your child.

Twinkle Twinkle

Twinkle Twinkle little star,
How I wonder what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a diamond in the sky.
Twinkle Twinkle little star,
How I wonder what you are.

We wish you a Merry Christmas

We wish you a Merry Christmas,
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
We wish you a Merry Christmas,
And a Happy New year.
Glad tidings we bring to you and
your King,
We wish you a Merry Christmas
And a Happy New Year.