



Notice Board

- Every day the Nursery children sing the What is the Weather today song -and we have noticed it is finally beginning to get a little cooler! Please make sure that the children have named layers available for them to put on when they go outside.
- REMINDER - if your child is sent home with sickness or diarrhoea, there is a 48-hour policy in place for them to stay at home. This is even if they have no further incidents.
- Break The Rules Day - Friday 9th October - payment to be made via Arbor School Shop

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Physical Development

In PE with Ms Saunders this week, we will travel in different ways and in different directions. We learn the following shapes: star, straight and tuck and will play a game where we have to 'freeze!' On Friday, we will visit the adventure playground and do PE with Mr Cooper!



This week we will practice the "A is for Apple song" and think about the first sound in different words e.g. M is for Mummy. We will be playing "Fred games" every day this week. These games help us blend sounds together in words, which gets us ready for reading. We learn to hear that the sounds c-a-t blend together to make the word cat.

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will have the opportunity to access topic related activities on the craft shelf.



Maths

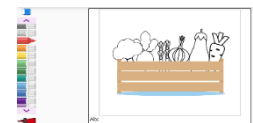
Following on in our numbers, we will be introducing the number two this week. We will be looking at the numeral and thinking about what it means and how we can show it in different ways for example using fingers, jumps, objects or claps.

Why do you love
me so much?



Computing

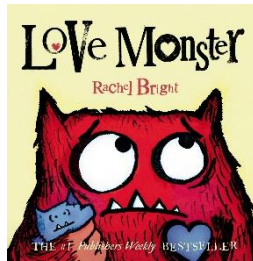
We will be continuing to learn how to use the mouse and button to colour in on the computers!



Montessori

In this section, we will be sharing a new skill from Montessori each week.

The children will be looking at sand paper numbers. These introduce the children to the names and shapes of the symbols that represent quantities. The feel of the sandpaper against the smooth board helps guide the child's fingertip whilst they trace the symbol. The child will use their finger to trace the number, whilst saying its name. This helps physically connect the numeral to the word used. The multisensory physical engagement helps build strong memories of the symbols that will come in handy when learning to write them on paper!



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This week we will be reading 'Love Monster' by Rachel Bright. Following this, we will be exploring the themes of the book such as what the Love Monster was looking for, and Why he thought no one would love him. We will discuss how the book makes us feel, and what we can take away from it.

Understanding the World

This week we will learn about Harvest Festival! We will learn about what it is, and what we need to be thankful for.