



Next Steps @ St Johns



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This week at Nursery ...

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This week at nursery we have been discovering lots of different animals! The children have enjoyed learning about animals and their habitats. We have been exploring textures in playdough using different items such as broccoli for trees, to make a jungle for the animals! We have also enjoyed exploring ice with arctic animals, talking about it melting and turning to water.



Pet Photos

We are still asking for any pet photos to talk to the children about next week, so any more pictures would be great!



Star of the Week

Our Star of the Week this week is Jasper for being helpful and taking care of things at nursery! Well done Jasper!!





We have had lots of measuring activities this week. The children have particularly enjoyed measuring each others' heights using our new giraffe height chart! The children have been getting busy making Elmer the elephants using milk bottles and doing lots of snipping and gluing. There have been some amazing animal paintings too, where children enjoyed recreating pictures using handprints and matchsticks to make different effects.



Spare Clothes

We are asking for any donations of socks or tights as we are running low on our spares. If you have any, even if they are odd, they would be greatly appreciated please.



Lost Property

There are lots of 'Lost Property' items that we've had for quite a while- if you are missing anything specific please ask, otherwise we will put it into our spares box if it's not claimed.



School Half Term

If you haven't already, please let a member of staff know if you are planning on sending your child to nursery during half term or not. (21st-25th Feb). As a reminder, the school kitchen will be closed, so please ensure children bring in a packed lunch.

World Book Day

We will be celebrating World book Day on 3rd March, so we are welcoming the children to dress up as their favourite book characters!



Dates for the Diary

Nursery will close for Easter break from Friday 8th April and back open for children to return on Wednesday 20th April 22. For the summer break, Nursery will be closed from 1st August and be back open on Monday 15th August.

