



Next Steps @ St Johns



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This week at Nursery ...

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This week at nursery we have been exploring dinosaurs. The children have had lots of fun exploring different types and have taken part in activities based around this. We have been making dinosaurs out of different shapes and colours and the children have been cutting and sticking them independently.



We have also been practicing sewing this week, - the children have picked a shape, hole punched and sewn thread through it. Children have commented that people in their family do this at home, so they are practicing to help you!



STARS OF THE WEEK

Eli

for being considerate and helping the adults



Florence

for showing lots of confidence with the adults





We have also made little volcano eruptions in our outside area and the children have loved seeing the fizz being created after adding the parts together.

We have also been playdough mark-making with the children using dinosaur toys and footprint stones to make marks in the dough. More dinosaur fun included doing drawings around the shadows of dinosaurs in our outside area.



Towards the end of the week the children took part in a soft play obstacle course in our studio and all of the children took part and had a lot of fun. There were sections which included balancing, jumping and hopping which they all built up confidence to do.



Please can we remind you to cut up children's lunch / snack before bringing it into the nursery. This includes cherry tomatoes and grapes so children can eat them right away. Thank you.

Future Additional Sessions

If you are considering changing or increasing your child's sessions from April, or September, please discuss this with us as soon as possible to secure the sessions you require.

Thank you.

Nursery Closure Dates

Please note the following dates when the nursery will be closed:

Easter: Friday 29th March - Monday 8th April inclusive.
Nursery will re-open on Tuesday 9th April.

Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday
Monday 27th May: Bank Holiday

Summer Closure: 5th August - 16th August inclusive.
Nursery will re-open on Monday 19th August.

26th August: Bank Holiday

