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# NURSERY NEWS

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## Welcome!

DEAR FAMILIES,

**WE HOPE YOU ARE ALL WELL. THANK YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO READ OUR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER THAT SHOWS YOU SOME OF WHAT WE HAVE BEEN UP TO. WE PROVIDE A RANGE OF DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE DAY THAT IS PLANNED FOR WEEKLY. WE ENSURE THESE ACTIVITIES OFFER SUPPORT AND ALSO PROMOTE CHALLENGE TO OUR CHILDREN. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES/COMMENTS/FEEDBACK/SUGGESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT US DIRECTLY ON LMNS@LITTLE-MARVELS.CO.UK. PLEASE ALSO FOLLOW, LIKE AND SUPPORT OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES: @LITTLEMARVELSNURSERYSERVICES ON INSTAGRAM AND @LITTLEMARVELSNUSERYSERVES ON FACEBOOK.**

KIND REGARDS,

LISA KEARNE

BUSINES MANAGER

## Spring Decorations!



As we are now in spring this month the children are helping to make decorations for our spring board. Zac really enjoyed making flowers for the board, he used his dominant hand to glue and stick different tissue paper colours to the image of his flower. This is good for the children as it helps them to develop their creative skills further, and express their feelings through art using any colours they like.

## Outdoor Play!



This month the children really enjoyed playing outside and doing loads of different activities. They used all the different objects and toys to play together and independently. Playing outdoors allows children to develop self-confidence, independence and self-esteem.

## Independent Play!



The children also love to play imaginative games, for example this month Zackariya was playing with the car of his choice and pushing it around the garage. Playing with toy cars can help the children to enhance their fine motor skills including reaching, pulling, pushing and balancing. It expands the children's creativity and imagination and encourages physical play.



## Numbers and Colours!



This month the children used the different colour jumping mat to practice learning their colours and their counting. As they jump from one colour to another they were able to familiarise themselves with the different colours while counting in order of their jumps. Khawlah really enjoyed this activity and was able to jump on the colours that she was asked to jump on.

## Focus Activity!



Alice really enjoyed kicking the ball around outside back and fourth between herself and her friends. Being outside allows the children to become aware of limits, boundaries and challenge in their play. When children are used to playing outdoors, they are more likely to try new activities.



This month the children did a lot of creative play with paints, for example they did mark making using paint and different colours, they were able to choose what colour paint they wanted to decorate their own picture. Using a paint brush helps them to develop their motor skills and using paint to make their own images helps them to express emotion and convey their own ideas.







### Labelling Personal Items

Can all parents / guardians and carers please ensure that all personal items are labelled with your child's name. We have lots of children in and out every day and do not want to mix their belongings up.

### Nursery Information

If your child is applying for school nursery, please can you make the nursery staff aware when they will be leaving

Please make sure children are wearing appropriate clothing for the weather

### Child Illness

This is just a reminder for parents that if your child requires Calpol or any other over the counter medication for general illnesses, they are not allowed to attend nursery. Please ensure you communicate with the nursery if your child will not be attending.