



The Strawberry How Nursery School Newsletter can be read in conjunction with the information pages on the Nursery website. www.strawberryhownursery.com or you can find our regular posts on Tapestry our online learning journal and Facebook.

February 2024 Newsletter

Love is all Around

The children have been involved in a variety of 'love' themed activities to celebrate Valentine's Day. Each room created cards and made love heart biscuits. Both the Butterflies and Caterpillars made love window art and each room taking part in love sensory play trays. The Squirrels enjoyed making love rosettes and Head to the playground on a love hunt, collecting Cupid's stolen hearts. What fun everyone has had, they have all definitely felt the love.



Calendar 2022	
March	
Mon 4	Mother's Day Cards (S)(B)(C)
Tue 5	Sensory Frozen Tray (C) Elmer the Elephant (B)
Thu 7	World Book Day (S)(B)(C)
Mon 11	Pirate Hats (C)
Tue 11	BFG Dream Catchers (B)
Fri 15	Red Nose Day (S)(B)(C)
Wed 27	Easter Egg Hunt (S)(B)

The Nursery will be closed on

Fri 29 Bank Holiday - Good Friday
Mon 1 Bank Holiday - Easter Monday

Tue 2	Clay Hedgehogs (B)
Fri 5	Let's Go Fly A Kite (S)
Tue 9	Magnet Maze (S)
Wed 17	Daffodil Painting (B)
Thu 18	Farmyard Exploration (C)
Mon 22	Special Week (S)
Thu 25	Gruffalo Hunt (B)
Mon 29	Taste Test (C)



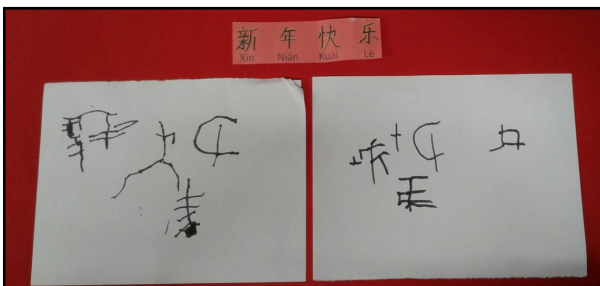
Love Pictures Continued



Chinese New Year Year of the Dragon



The Squirrels have been celebrating Chinese New Year this month, tis year it is the 'Year of the Dragon'. The children watched an animated story of how the order of animals were chosen to represent each year. Throughout the week they have celebrated the New Year by enjoying Chinese snack, making dragon blowers, creating Chinese drums and lanterns. The final celebrations of the week saw the children joining in with a traditional dragon dance complete with homemade dragon, and a yummy food tasting.



Learning Makaton Signs at Nursery

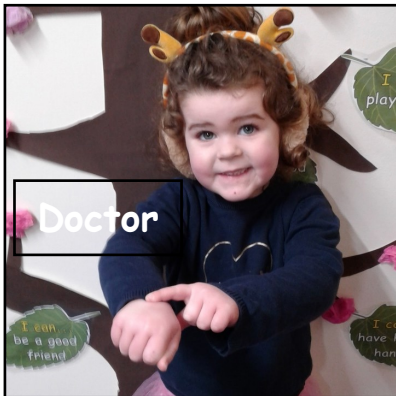
This month's Makaton song is 'Miss Polly had a dolly'. The children in both the Butterflies and Caterpillars have been singing this song during their 'Nursery Rhyme' week and the Squirrels throughout their 'People Who Help Us' week. Here are a few special signs from the song, together with the words. We hope you all have fun learning the signs and singing together at home.



Miss Polly

Miss Polly had a dolly who was sick, sick, sick.

So she called for the Doctor to come quick, quick, quick.



The Doctor came with her bag and her hat.

And she knocked on the door with a rat a tat tat.



She looked at the dolly and she shook her head.

And she said, "Miss Polly put her straight to bed."



She wrote on her paper for a pill, pill, pill.

I'll be back in the morning with my bill, bill, bill.

