



Little Adventurers NEWSLETTER

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Notices and Reminders

- Conjunctivitis is circulating—this week's childhood illness— please if your child has crusty, sticky, green or yellow weeping eyes keep them off until the weeping has subsided. There are some GP's happy to give the drops out and some not, but this one spreads like wildfire so please support us to stop the spread. It can be really awful for some children and adults can catch it too.
- **LITTLE EXPLORERS** can you please add more spare clothes to your bags as the babies do lots of messy play and sitting in tuff trays so more changes are needed. Thank you.

What we did this week

This week we started our new topic on Starry Night. You will have received the parent information and Home Learning to get involved.

The topic runs across the nursery from babies to pre-school and I just love how the baby staff get involved dressing up their environment to support learning.



TASTE OF THE WEEK



This week the children tasted fresh orange juice. They used the squeezer themselves and squeezed the fresh juice out before tasting it through an open cup

Montessori

If the idea of the universe is presented to the child in the right way, it will do more for him than just arouse his interest, for it will create in him admiration and wonder, a feeling loftier than any interest and more satisfying.

— Maria Montessori —

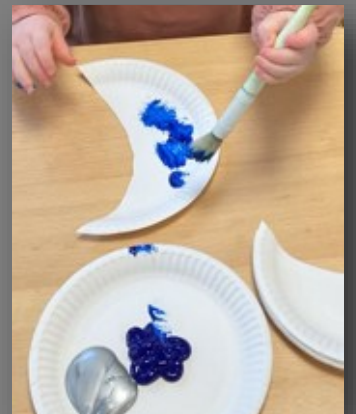
LITTLE EXPLORERS

This week we began looking at Starry Night. We are also getting ready for Valentines and all things hearts.



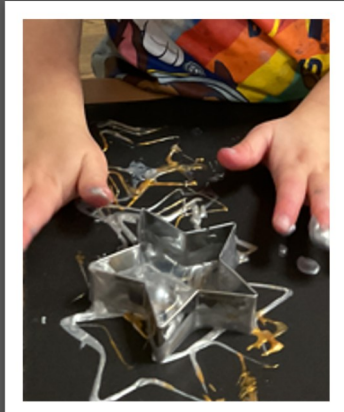
LITTLE DISCOVERERS

We started looking at the topic Starry Night and began with the story 'How to Catch a Star.'



LITTLE WANDERERS

This week we started our topic Starry Night. We looked at the story 'How to Catch a Star'



LITTLE VOYAGERS

Voyagers explored the story 'How to catch a star' this week by Oliver Jeffers



ANNA'S FOOD EXPLORATION

This week Anna and the children explored oranges and in particular how to extract juice from an orange. The younger children practiced the skill of drinking from an open cup.



MONTESORI IN ACTION

The Wanderers children explored their new Valentines practical life activities this week. They enjoyed them very much





Themes and activities that we will be focusing on next week



Explorers & Discoverers

Next week we will be looking at the story of *Whatever Next* about a bear who goes to the moon and meets an owl along the way.



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH.

Congratulations to **Jade Agar** for achieving Employee of the Month for January. Jade has recently joined our team and is working as part of our SEN team provision. She has made amazing progress and improvements in this area



Cleaning our Teeth

In Pre-School we will be talking about cleaning our teeth and why it is important to clean them. We use a lovely Monster rhyme which the children love. You can find it here.

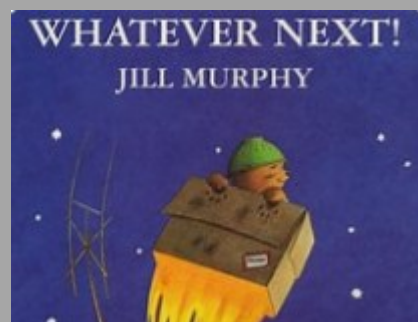
[Brush Your Teeth | Kids Songs | Super Simple Songs \(youtube.com\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...)

Can you please take a picture of your child brushing their teeth and put it on the app for discussion at circle time. Last year they got very excited seeing who had what toothbrush and showing their friends what pyjamas they were wearing.

Wanderers / Voyagers

Next week we will explore the story of *Whatever Next!* by Julia Murphy about a bear who wants to go to the moon and make his own rocket. You can watch it here. We will be focusing on Nocturnal animals this week and in particular Owls.

[Bing Videos](#)



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