



Redhill Day Nursery

Newsletter September 2018



Welcome to our nursery Newsletter for September.

We hope you enjoy reading all about our nursery adventures....



Wow! What a Redhill Day Nursery Welcome I have had!

It has been a super busy month and I have learnt something new every day. I have enjoyed sharing stories and songs with the children and have spent a little time each week within the rooms getting to know the children, parents and staff.

As many of you know Laura left at the end of the month to take up a post with Diverse abilities looking after children with physical disabilities. She will be missed by staff, parents and children but we wish her all the luck in her new adventure.

Kelly has taken over the role of Toddler Room supervisor and we are very lucky to be able to promote from within.

I have inherited a fantastic team at Redhill and I am sure you will all agree they do a brilliant job. Together we can really ensure that Redhill Day Nursery continues to provide exceptional care for your little ones.

Tabitha

Road Works and Carpark Access

I just wanted to thank everyone for their patience with the on-going roadworks. To our knowledge they are now complete, and we are not expecting any further disruptions.

Now we have hit October and our days are already getting shorter I would just like to remind everyone to take extra care when collecting and dropping off.

Room Updates...

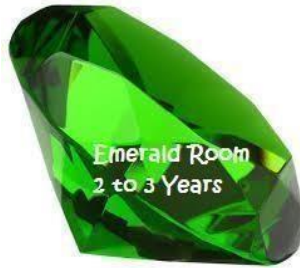


During the month of September in the baby room our youngest explores have had a whale of a time playing with: clean mud (grated soap, water and tissues mixed), playdough, dabber paints, mark making (in custard, shaving foam, paint), water play with chopped fruit and exploring the leaves in the garden.



We have welcomed lots of new friends and have been building relationships with them and helping them to settle to nursery life.





The Toddlers have been super busy this past month in the garden, they have been picking the last of the raspberries, bug hunting and making bird food balls.



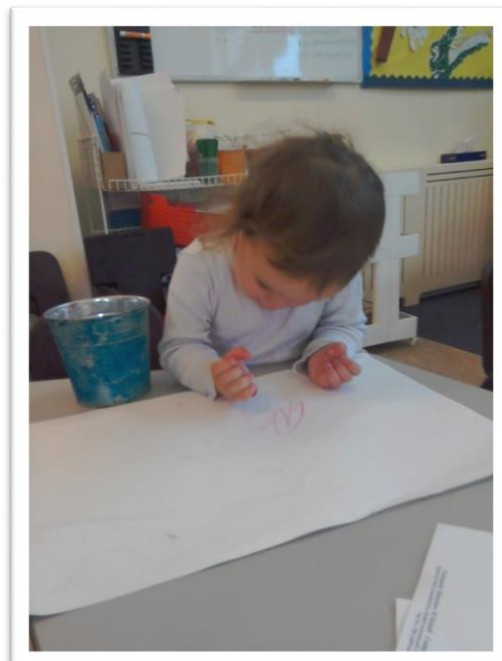
They have also done some cooking and have made homemade pizzas and fruit kebabs which were very popular.



Sensory exploration is always a big hit with our toddlers and they have enjoyed, sand play, sensory bags, jelly play, shaving foam play and exploring the homemade sensory bottles.



As always, they enjoy story time, crafting and singing songs. We are getting some real little chatter boxes now as their language is developing every day.



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The Pre-Schoolers have been busy exploring senses using food to do some painting. They used beans, spaghetti and marshmallows to create different patterns. We talked about the taste, smell and texture of the food and what the prints looked like.



The children love using their imagination to create roleplay situations to extend their learning. They have served up breakfast tea and cakes in the café.



We explored the effects of gravity on the paints and how we can make different effects when the paper is angled differently.



The children have also enjoyed exploring shape, space and measure. They have had great fun with the weighing scales seeing how far they can make the dial move around. They have loved playing with the foam shapes in the water as the water has helped their models stick together.



This term we started a new circle time activity of the “Sound bus”. The children are getting to look at letters (graphemes) and starting to explore the sounds (phonemes) they make. They are then thinking of and exploring other words that have the same initial sound.

For all the other fantastic activities we have been doing in Pre School check out our 'LOOK' board in preschool just above the coats.

Events for 2018

Month	Event	Date
October 2018	Pumpkin Week	Week Commencing 29th October
October 2018	Halloween Dressing Up	Wednesday 31 st October
December 2018	Christmas Fayre	Saturday 8 th December
December 2018	<i>Christmas Closure</i>	Tuesday 25 th through to Tuesday 1 st January 2019
January 2019	Happy New Year – Open as usual	Wednesday 2 nd January 2019



That's all for now

Tabitha, Lisa and the Redhill day nursery team