

Woking Newsletter



Welcome

Thank you for taking the time to read our September newsletter!

This month we have welcomed Brittany and Assal to the team; these are our new Modern Apprentices at Woking. They will be studying for their qualifications alongside working with us in the setting.



Josh has completed his apprenticeship this month and is now Level 2 qualified, he will be based in our Little Toads room from September. Congratulations Josh! We're so proud of you.

Ella, a member of our supply team has also obtained her qualification this month through college. She is now Level 3 qualified and will also be based in our Little Toads room from September. Congro



What's to come

Friday 4th September - National Wildlife Day.

What we have been up to... Hedgehogs

This month the Hedgehogs have enjoyed baking their own tomato twists, cookies and ice lollies. Strengthening their hand, eye coordination by pouring the ingredients into the bowl and their fine motor skills by mixing the ingredients together. They also created their own interpretation of lizards on National Lizard Day through finger painting.

Butterflies

This month, the Butterflies have enjoyed exploring the theme of buses. They took part in imaginative role play, pretending to be bus drivers in the garden, and created their own steering wheels using paper plates. They then extended their learning by painting cardboard boxes to make their own buses. The children also enjoyed exploring a farmyard-themed tuff tray, investigating a variety of textures while learning about different farm animals and the sounds they make.

Little Toads

Little Toads have enjoyed exploring a wide range of different tuff trays, themes included beaches and around the world. Enabling the children to explore different environments and discuss them with the adults in the room. They have also been developing their hand eye coordination and fine motor skills by scooping, pouring and using pipettes in water. Little Toads have also enjoyed their circle times with their peers, learning new songs and actions.

Owls

This month the Owls have been exploring measuring quantities and using mathematical language such as *full*, *empty*, *more*, *less*. They have also enjoyed counting different items in the room too. Outside in the garden, the Owls have taken part in lots of physical activities, using their gross motor skills.

Badgers

Badgers have been exploring colour mixing, developing their critical thinking skills as they made predictions about the colours they would create. They have also been learning about the life cycle of plants and enjoyed creating beautiful sensory trays using lavender, engaging their senses as they explored its texture and scent. This month, the Badgers also said goodbye to their friends who are heading off to school. We wish them all the very best of luck on their exciting new school journey!

Parent Notices

National Wildlife Day

Please come dressed as your favourite animal on Friday 4th September.

EY app

We would love our parents to share more photos of what the children get up to at home, this can help us identify key interests and extend learning at nursery.

Weather

As the weather is up and down, please could we ask that the children come to nursery with weather appropriate clothing packed in their bags. We can change their clothes as the weather changes.

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Friday 4 th September	National Wildlife Day

Review us!

Please would you be able to spare 5 minutes to leave us a review on our beautiful nursery and all we offer.

<https://www.daynurseries.co.uk/review-submit/65432123673>

Thank you for those who have already done this!

 [daynurseries.co.uk](https://www.daynurseries.co.uk)

Recipe of the Month

Frozen Banana Yoghurt Lollies

Ingredients

- Bananas
- Natural or Greek yoghurt

Optional toppings:

- Desiccated coconut
- Cinnamon

Method

1. Peel bananas and cut them in half.
2. Insert a lolly stick or child-safe skewer.
3. Allow children to dip the bananas into yoghurt.
4. Roll in chosen toppings.
5. Place on a lined tray and freeze for 2-3 hours.
6. Enjoy as a refreshing summer snack.

Learning Opportunities

- Exploring different textures and temperatures
- Developing fine motor skills through dipping and rolling
- Encouraging independence and food confidence
- Talking about healthy foods that help keep our bodies cool and hydrated
- Introducing new flavours in a fun and pressure-free way

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