

WEEK COMMENCING 9TH AUGUST 2021

PLAYDAYS NURSERY

LINGFIELD

What have we been up to?



Babies – This week in baby room our sign has been 'sit', we have been practicing this during mealtimes and circle times. We have continued our beech theme this week and we have had great fun outside in the garden now the weather has improved we have enjoyed splashing in the water play and building sandcastles, we have also decorated some sea horses to add to our display boards.



Toddlers – This week Toddlers had great fun using their imaginations looking after dolls. We have bathed them in the water tray, then tried to put nappies on and dress them, we have also been builders and seen who can build the biggest tower and we have even pretended to be fish and have been blowing bubbles!



Lower Pre-School & Upper Pre-School - We have been very busy exploring our natural world this week. We used different plants and flowers to paint with and explore the different marks we could make with them. We have also been on a bug hunt in the garden. Throughout the week we have been making bugs out of play dough. We have enjoyed reading stickman and watching it on the big tablet.



This week we have been practicing our fine motor skills by using scissors and cutting up different plants we have found in the garden, and created a giant garden themed tuff tray.

Next Week...

Babies – Next week our sign of the week will be 'come'

Our theme of the week will be transport as many of our babies have a love of different vehicles, we will be making marks in paint using wheels, making ramps and roads for cars to be pushed along and creating lots of different pictures

Toddlers – Next week our focus theme will be colours, we will be colour mixing, having a variety of colour themed messy trays. We will also be having a scavenger hunt for different coloured items around the nursery and gardens.

Lower & Upper Pre-School –Next week we will be using our imaginations and enjoying lots of fantasy play; dressing up, mask making, as well as acting out recreating situations where we may need help from superheroes and what makes someone a super hero! Throughout next week we will be dressing up as our favourite characters, as well as reading stories about them

School Leavers 2021

If your child is starting school in September 2021 and they will be doing staggered starts/settling in sessions and you require nursery sessions around this, please let us know and we will do our best to accommodate sessions to suit you!

Teddy Bears Tea Party!

We will be having a teddy bears tea party on Monday 23rd August to raise money for the Cracker Jack, please bring in your child's favourite teddy bear for the day!

MENU

NEXT WEEK WE WILL BE ON MENU TWO

Reminder

IF YOUR CHILD DEVELOPS ANY OF THE SYMPTOMS OF COVID 19, INCLUDING A TEMPERATURE OR COUGH, THEY NEED TO GET A PCR TEST BEFORE RETURNING TO NURSERY. RESULTS NEED TO BE EMAILED TO GEMMA.

AN EMAIL REGARDING NEW GUIDANCE FROM 16TH AUGUST HAS BEEN SENT OUT

Notices and Reminders

- **Summer Holidays**– if you require any sessions in August please book them in with Gemma or Sarah
- **Summer Wear**- As the weather gets warmer it is important that the children are dressed ready for the warm weather, but more importantly dressed so that they are protected from the sun. Please remember to provide your child with a labelled sun hat (covering as much of their face, head and neck as possible, ensure all clothing covers their shoulders and ask that children aren't brought in wearing flip flops- these can be a big trip hazard.
- **Session times**- Can we please remind you again to only arrive at the time your sessions starts. Any families arriving early will politely be asked to remain outside until their session start time
- **Holiday Club Special Offer!** If your child is starting school in September 2021 and you would like more information regarding our holiday club (covering all half terms, inset days and summer holidays) please speak to Gemma or Sarah
- **Gates**- Please can we remind parents to close **ALL** external gates to the playground. Please DO NOT leave gates open for parents you may see coming. If gates remain left open we will be forced to lock all gates and parents will be required to call the nursery upon arrival for a member of staff to open the gate, adding additional time to your journey.

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