# Livity Life The Livity School Weekly Newsletter



## **School News**

On Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February from 9.30 until 10.30 we have Parent Forum. This forum will be a parent support session with the opportunity to talk to one another over drinks and biscuits. Please let us know if you would like an interpreter.

## Please remember to call the school office before 7.30am if your child is going to be absent.

#### **Red Class**

Red Class enjoyed sensory engagement activities this week including a journey to space in a pretend rocket, as part of our 'My Movement' topic. Pupils are working towards their 'MOVE' goals across the curriculum as part of their daily learning.



## Yellow Class

Yellow Class children have been mixing flowers with different coloured water this week using their hands. They chose their preferred flowers and the colours they wanted to use during this sensory exploration. The children also enjoyed exploring and manipulating some of our new UV sensory resources. They have shown interest in how an objects appearance can change with torch light.



## Pink Class

In Pink Class this week we began our new story 'My Journey into Space'. We had great fun dressing as astronauts and going for a ride in our pretend rocket. In art we've continued the cosmic theme by using paint mixed with shaving foam and glue to make prints of different planets.



## **Blue Class**

This week Blue Class revisited the story

"Hansel and Gretel" which they really enjoyed. In these pictures they are tracing, matching, spelling and writing as part of our new story work. These are just some of the activities that show how the pupils are developing their skills. Welcome back Blue Class.



#### **Orange Class**

Our first week back has gone very well and the children continue to develop their ability to communicate and make choices. During our phonics sessions the children have enjoyed practising letter sounds and have used the iPad to build CVC words.

They also had a great time reading our new story 'Brown Bear Adventure.'



## Ladybird Class

This week Ladybird Class completed a nature learning walk in the school garden. The children enjoyed searching for leaves, twigs and sticks. They also used a magnifying glass to explore the different parts of the daffodils. In our sensory exploration the children liked feeling, touching, squeezing and smelling vegetarian jelly cubes. They have continued practising their ball skills and this time they focused on rolling a ball to a friend. In our swimming sessions they have been using floating boards to develop their swimming skills.



#### **Rainbow Class**

This week Rainbow Class investigated where flour comes from to support our understanding of the story '*The Little Red Hen*'. We visited Brixton Windmill to learn more about the process and we got to grind some flour. This week we have also made our own book of the story.



#### **Green Class**

This week in Green Class we have been creating movement in different ways as part of our topic work. We really enjoyed making slime and then testing how we could move it in different ways. We also put lights in salad spinners and watched how the light changed as we spun it round.



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#### **Purple Class**

This week Purple Class had lots of fun on their first visit to Brockwell Park Community Greenhouses. This week we learnt about worms. We found out what they like to eat and went hunting for some in the soil. Some of us were even brave enough to hold them!



#### **Butterfly Class**

This week in Butterfly Class we have had a fun time in our playground enjoying singing and exploring the instruments. We have continued learning through our topic 'My Movement' and created the movement of balls in a tray and cars driving down ramps. Our physical sessions have seen some great movement from the pupils in and out of their equipment.



#### **Bumblebee Class**

Bumblebee Class have been developing their physical skills in swimming and we really enjoyed splashing and playing with the water. We had an amazing functional communication session where we experienced mashing wet and dry foods.



## **Gold Class**

This week the pupils in Gold Class have read a new story "The Runaway Iceberg". The pupils have practised their mathematical skills by counting penguins and fish. We have learnt about the penguin's habitat in the Antarctic. The pupils used their preferred communication systems to recognise the stories characters and communicate how the ice felt.



#### Silver Class

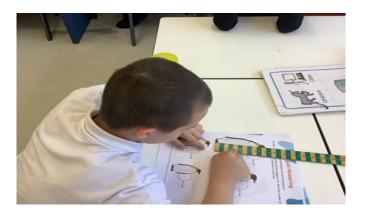
This week Silver Class spent time learning how to complete literacy activities using computers. The class started to understand the basics of PowerPoint, which involved how to transition between slides, typing and selecting images using a mouse. Such activities will help them to develop their communication and visual skills and also understand the world around them.



#### **Unicorn Class**

This week in Unicorn Class we went on a trip to Brixton Windmill to continue our work on the story '*The Little Red Hen*'. We have made flour from wheat and learnt about the function of a mill. We have also been working on measuring length using rulers.





# Don't Forget

- Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024 9.30-10.30 Parent Forum
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024 9.30-10.30 Parent Forum
- Thursday 28<sup>st</sup> March Last day of Spring 4 – school closes at 1 29<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> April TERM BREAK – no school
- Wednesday 1st May 2024
  9.30-10.30 Parent Forum
  6th May BANK HOLIDAY no school
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2024
  9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024
  Last day of Summer 5
  24<sup>th</sup> 31<sup>st</sup> May HALF TERM no school
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024 9.30-10.30 Parent Forum
- Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024 9.30-10.30 Parent Forum
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July
  Last day of School school closes at 1

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