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### The Livity School Weekly Newsletter

#### **School News**

**Don't forget Wednesday 31st January 9.30-10.30 Parent Forum** - This will be a Mindfulness session for all parents/carers.

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

#### **Red Class**

Red Class pupils have been making good progress in their social communication using Intensive Interaction. We have had great fun singing, playing games and mirroring actions. Pupils are working towards their MOVE physical goals every day, using motivators to develop their skills.



#### **Yellow Class**

This week Yellow Class pupils have been completing activities related to our topic 'My Movement'. The pupils created their artwork using trays filled with balls to make beautiful patterns whilst feeling the movement on their hands. The pupils also started exploring some Chinese food ingredients during our cooking lesson.



#### **Pink Class**

In Pink Class this week we have been working on counting objects up to ten and matching the number of objects to the correct numeral. In 'Myself' we have been continuing our investigation into food we should eat lots of and food we should eat sometimes. The pupils

enjoyed touching, feeling and tasting a variety of different fruits and vegetables.



#### **Blue Class**

Blue Class are proud to show you some of our morning work below. The children enjoyed participating in a range of activities such as Attention Bucket, workstation tasks and writing tasks. Well done Blue Class (3)



#### **Orange Class**

Our breakfast club went very well this week. The children continue to develop their ability to communicate using communication aids. These communication aids help the children to make and structure their sentences. They really enjoy this magic breakfast and look forward to it.





#### **Ladybird Class**

This week we have continued to focus on our 'My Movement' topic using action words. In 'Understanding the World', we used a whisk to make bubbles in coloured water and used the word 'whisk' as we did so. We used a rotary grater to make carrot cake and said 'turn'. We also smashed biscuits to make cheese cake saying 'bang'.

In 'My Creativity' we made large wheel paintings using the tricycles and balance bike to paint with, saying 'push' and 'roll'.

We have also been working on our letter formation.



#### Rainbow Class

This week in Rainbow Class we have enjoyed continuing our story 'The Little Red Hen'. We made some delicious bread and acted out some of the scenes from the story. Here we are practising using the masks and saying our lines. To get into character we also had to use our body language to show how we might be feeling.





#### **Green Class**

Green Class this week have enjoyed cooking different noodle dishes and making sweet and sour sauce in preparation for Chinese New Year. We practised our motor skills and using cutlery to prepare the food. We also liked making choices about what ingredients to add.



#### **Purple Class**

As part of 'How My World Works' we have enjoyed carrying out a bubble snake experiment. We made our own bubble snakes and experimented with how we could make our bubble snake different lengths by adding different amounts of washing-up liquid.



#### **Butterfly Class**

Butterfly Class have engaged in exploring different materials this week. We have been printing with paints and creating art work. The therapists have also been working with us on our functional skills and helping us develop our physical skills.



#### **Bumblebee Class**

Bumblebee Class have been developing their functional skills. We had an amazing session with our SALT and OT team developing our functional skills and choosing different food items. Bumblebees have also been showing their enthusiasm for 'Fun with Food' lessons, using their skills to pour and mix the

ingredients. We liked to cook it in the microwave and see the results.



#### **Gold Class**

This week pupils in Gold Class have chosen different colours to decorate gingerbread men with during an art session. During our cooking lessons pupils made big gingerbread men and small gingerbread men. Pupils in Gold Class have also been using Numicon shapes to help them solve additions.



#### **Silver Class**

This week Silver Class have been enjoying reading books from Sounds-Write. The stories enable children to develop and practise their phonic knowledge and skills in a gradual and systematic way. The stories carefully follow the Sounds-Write sequence in order to give children confidence and success. This means that children are exposed to rich vocabulary and narrative whilst practising the skills and sounds taught in the initial code.





#### **Unicorn Class**

This week in Unicorn Class we have been working on split digraphs in order to improve our phonics. We have also been working on sequencing 'The Little Red Hen' building up to writing our own sequel.



## **Don't Forget**

- Wednesday 31st January 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Mental Health
- Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2024 Safer Internet Day 2024
- Friday 9th February 2024
   Last day of Spring 3
   12th 16th February HALF TERM no school
- Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Attention & Focus
- Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Mental Health
- 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 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Dr. Wicks Sleep
   6<sup>th</sup> May BANK HOLIDAY no school
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Mental Health
- 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 Jane Thomas Continence
- Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024
   9.30-10.30 Parent Forum Mental Health
- Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July Last day of School – school closes at 1

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