

Abbeywood Tots

Knowle Nursery Newsletter

Frogs (pre-school)

In Preschool we had a Pirate themed week and explored making maps, giving meaning to our marks and tea staining them. We also talked about floating and sinking and guessed which items we thought might float or sink in the water tray before testing them to see if we were right. We then had a go at making our own 'boats' using recycling to see if they would float or sink.

We also celebrated Chinese New Year and set up a Chinese Restaurant in our home corner, using Chopsticks to pick up food. We explored Chinese letters and how they are different to our alphabet and had a go at painting some of the letters.



We also celebrated World Book day and had a week where we did an activity based on a different story each day.

Tadpoles (2yr olds)

This month we have enjoyed celebrating Chinese New Year in the Tadpole room and its festivities. We explored using chopsticks in a variety of ways such as to try to pick up food, to pick up various objects and to make marks.



We took part in World Book Day and explored our favourite stories and dressed up as our favourite storybook characters.

We are also very excited to be using our new mud kitchen – if you have any spare pots/pans or utensils that you no longer need please bring them in so we can make yummy mud pies.

Information to note:

If you wish to book in an extra session
please email
extras@abbeywoodtots.com

If you wish to change your current
sessions, please email
changes@abbeywoodtots.com

Please note that these changes will need
one months' notice.

If you are currently receiving 30 free
hours childcare, please ensure that you
renew your code every 3 months or your
code will expire.

Butterflies (babies)

In the baby room we have been focusing on the Bear Hunt story. We made sensory bottles to help us tell the story and explored these in our play. We also made a tuff spot sensory tray to help us explore and tell the Bear Hunt story.



We enjoyed celebrating Chinese New Year and explored rice and cooked noodles in our messy play and turned our role play area into a Chinese Restaurant.

Dates for the diary

Parents information evening is Tuesday 13th March

Parents week for babies and two year olds is the week beginning 12th March

Parents week for Preschool is the week beginning 19th March

Easter activity day is on the 22nd March

Term dates (for term time only children)

Easter Holidays – Monday 26th
March – Friday 6th April

'Wow' moments

We are really interested to know what you are doing outside of nursery.

Please email bev.martin@abbeywoodtots.com any photos so we can talk about them during our group times and display them in our rooms.

Don't forget to bring in wellington boots and waterproof clothing for your child! We go outside in all weathers!!

