



CHILDREN'S WORKSHOP NEWSLETTER



WHAT WE'RE LEARNING

This week we have been exploring the topic of road safety, a very important topic for all children to learn and become aware of. In the afternoons Anna CF has been running Spanish lessons with small groups of children, this week they have been learning the different names for different types of vehicles.



Our rainbow children have been busy this week, from bus drivers to finding numbered parking spots to making traffic jams across the room, using train tracks and roads to extend across the room, this was a great opportunity to learn about road safety and crossing the road. A huge favourite were car races, where children drove cars down the ramp and identified which number they landed on!

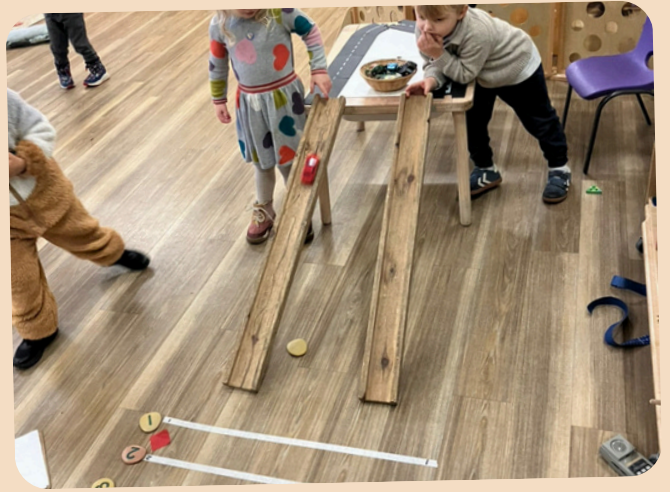
Outside we have been busy making our own cars out of loose parts and boxes!

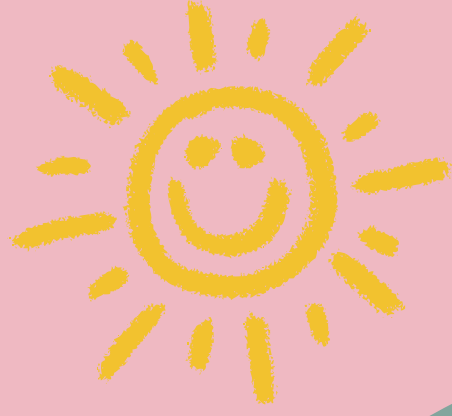


Our children in sunbeams have enjoyed exploring different vehicles and modes of transport. We have been learning the words “stop” and “go” and using our bodies to respond to those words, doing so during music and movement time has been great and it teaches the importance of when it is safe to stop and safe to go. The children really enjoyed painting a road earlier this week, followed by making it colourful with chalk later in the week, we have also enjoyed mark making in flour using vehicles as well as our fingers!



TAKE A CLOSER LOOK:





Parent information:

As the temperature has started to drop, please remember to send your child with **warm, labelled** clothing for outdoor play. **Snow suits are welcome.** We love exploring outside, whatever the season!

Parent meetings take place WC: 24th November for two weeks.

Nursery closure: Monday February 23rd for INSET day.

Thank-you, as always, for your support and enthusiasm - it makes our preschool community shine as brightly as ever.

Term dates:

Autumn term (14 weeks)

Monday 3rd November - Thursday 18th December.

Closed for Christmas: Friday 19th December - January 2nd.

Monday January 5th Welcome back - February 13th 2026.

Half term: 16th-20th February

Monday February 23rd CLOSED: INSET DAY

SAVE THE DATE!

Wednesday 17th December: Mince pie and mingle. - information has been sent out.

Thursday 18th December: Christmas party, all children invited!

STAFF OF THE WEEK:

Get to know us!



Hi! I'm Malgo, the SENCO here four days a week and I spend a Tuesday working as a speech and language assistant. I love being part of a team and bringing the new skills I learn from S&L into nursery!

I'm a mother of 3 and a wife, so I spend lots of my free time with family, I have a passion for cooking and enjoy evenings hosting for my gorgeous friends and family. Sometimes I unwind and do nothing, although that's very rare!

HOME LEARNING:

Start and stop game:

When walking or dancing at home you can play a “stop and freeze” game, encouraging listening and attention.

Spot the signs:

Have a look at the road signs you see outside, do they know what they mean?

Read man, green man:

When walking outside, point out the red man and the green man, explaining what they mean and why it's so important to stop and wait!

This month our value of the month is ‘kindness’ - share on Tapestry a moment your child has displayed kindness and we will send them home with a special kindness certificate!



Value of the month:

KINDNESS

I can:

- Use kind words - saying “please” and “thank you” can help our friends feel happy.
- Share and take turns - whether it’s toys, paints, or space in the sand tray, sharing shows we care about others.
- Help a friend - offer a hand if someone needs help putting on their coat, tidying up, or finding a toy.
- Include everyone - when we play, we can invite someone to join us.
- Show gentle hands - we use our hands for helping, building, creating, and hugging - not for hurting

Children's Workshop

Golden Rules

1.

Be kind:

- Gentle hands
- Kind words
- Caring for our toys



2.

Be safe:

- Walking inside
- Hands to ourselves



3.

Be ready:

- Listening ears
- Looking eyes

