



Southridge First School

Nursery Newsletter 17th January 2020

This week we have enjoyed reading the next 'Supertato' story - 'Run Veggies, Run'. The 'Evil Pea' has been up to his tricks again - drawing on the vegetables and wrapping them in toilet paper. Luckily, we have had so much practise building with different materials that we were able to build a really strong trap in the classroom to catch him once and for all. In our mark-making area this week we had a large dice with a different pattern on each face - circle, zigzags, dashes, spirals. Children had to roll the dice and then try to copy the pattern on their paper.

The children love to get creative with junk and at times we struggle to keep up with the demand! If you have any small bottles, boxes, lids, containers, tubes etc. that we could use please send them in.

The children may have told you that we have had some visitors in Nursery this week. Our visitors have been student teachers and they have enjoyed finding out how children of this age learn. This week they have led some of the adult directed sessions and the children have responded brilliantly to them, they were a real credit to us and you.

As the weather has been so much colder recently it is great to see the children arriving ready to play outside with their hats, gloves and scarves. Can we please ask that these are placed in drawers when the children arrive rather than in bags or in the sleeves of coats as this will make it much easier for the children to find them and helps with their independence?

We have been looking at the number 9 this week. Here is the rhyme to help us remember it: make a loop and then a line, that's the way to make a nine.

We have put a copy of all the numbers and rhymes we use in school in your child's tray - for you to use at home.



Dates for your Diary

Thursday 30th and Friday 31st January - 'Stay and Play'.

Please continue to send anything for your child's learning journey to helen.mason@ntlp.org.uk. Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you again on Monday. The Nursery Team.