



Southridge First School

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DRAMA WORKSHOP

On Monday the children took part in a drama workshop led by Bigfoot Arts Education.

Storyteller 'Tara Tickle' led us on a journey to the story tree and we met lots of creatures on the way - an angry bird, a grateful fox and a happy tree! Our journey also involved stomping through muddy puddles, crawling through tunnels and ducking under low branches. The children very much embraced the whole experience and particularly loved visiting the 'big hall' where they will eat their lunch, and join in assemblies next year. Well done Nursery - you were great!

Playing Schools

Our Nursery role-play area has been changed into a Reception class, fully equipped with everything we need to play schools. There is a teacher's chair and rug for story time and photographs of our Reception teachers and teaching assistants on the walls. The children have also been practising carrying a lunch tray and using steady hands. They have looked so grown-up!

We looked at 6 different animals on the board. Some of us could see there were 6 animals without counting. All of sudden, the animals got covered up. Working as a team, one by one, we remembered them all. You might like to try a simple game like this at home.

Exploring our Feelings.

We have spent time together this week exploring our feelings, discussing what it feels like to be excited or scared. As always, we reminded the children that it is perfectly normal to feel a little scared sometimes and that it is important to share our feelings because it helps us to feel better. Our special friend 'Jigsaw Jenny' explained that she was feeling a little scared and our gorgeous children came up with some super ideas of how they could help her to feel better.



Being Proud and Celebrating!

We have looked at photographs from our Nursery year and we've been thinking about how much we have grown and changed. We talked about our successes - how much we have grown and changed, all the learning we have done and all the things we can do now.

We discussed what being proud means and we realised that we are very proud of ourselves and each other and we decided to celebrate by make certificates for our friends.

