



Next Steps @ St Johns



Working together to build a firm foundation for learning and caring

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This week at Nursery . . .

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This week at Next Steps we have welcomed some new families and have been busy settling back in to the new term. We have enjoyed hearing about everyone's experiences over the holiday.

This term our Christian Value is Friendship and our PSED focus is based on families and trusted relationships. We have been talking about who lives at home and who is special to us, and why. If you would like to add any pictures of family and friends to Tapestry, the children would love to share them at group times.

This term, our theme is "Here, There and Everywhere!" We have been learning about different modes of transport and look forward to exploring travel too.



In maths, the children have been matching numerals, parking numbered cars into their corresponding spaces, and exploring repeating patterns using toy cars and trains. We have used basic charts to sort, count and record how many different types of transport we have found. Also we have used shapes to copy templates of transport pictures.

In the writing area, the children have enjoyed mark-making on large sheets of paper by moving cars and trucks with pens attached to them!



STAR OF THE WEEK

Marley



We are so pleased to announce that our own little superstar, Marley, has rung the end of treatment bell!

After months of chemotherapy, Marley has celebrated this exciting moment with his Mummy, Daddy and sister, Bella. He told us that the bell was really loud!

The Next Steps team are so proud of Marley. He took everything in his stride, showed bravery, resilience and strength to carry on as normal with a smile on his face! He really is a superhero!

We were lucky to meet some of the amazing team that took such good care of Marley and they provided support and guidance to his family and to the staff at nursery. Along with Marley's family we are planning to celebrate the end of Marley's treatment and to raise some money for those who took such great care of our little superhero. So watch this space for some exciting plans!

The Star of the Week has to go to Marley!





Finance

If you intend to pay a nursery invoice via a childcare voucher scheme or the government tax-free childcare scheme, please inform us of the reference for your child. This enables us to identify that your payment has been received and ParentPay can be adjusted accordingly. Thank you.
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Nursery Closure Dates

Please note the following dates when the nursery will be closed:

Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday
Monday 27th May: Bank Holiday

Summer Closure: 5th August - 16th August inclusive.
Nursery will re-open on Monday 19th August.

26th August: Bank Holiday