



News from The Den

April/May 2016



As many of you know, children spend time in the den every evening and all day Friday. We plan and evaluate for the den separately, all experiences stemming from the children's interests. Therefore we have decided to write a newsletter every two months, to keep you informed of all the exciting learning taking place. If there is anything in particular you would like to know more about, please ask a member of staff.



Here are some learning experiences the children have been really involved in over the past few weeks:

- Woodwork with Alex.
- Visits to the Creepy Crawlies pet shop.
- Visit to the Vets.
- Walk to the Park.
- Bathing and feeding a hen.

The children have recently shown a big interest in babies and how we look after them and outside play so we are planning fun activities based around this such as:

- Bathing a real baby.
- Science rocket launchers in the garden.
- Walks around the local area.

On Friday the 20th May we are going to play a guess the baby game and would be grateful if you could bring in a picture of your child as a baby.



Don't forget our lending library is always available; even if you have lots of books at home, children love listening to a variety of stories.



We really value giving parental feedback. Please come and see a member of staff from your child's room and they will be happy to share what your child has been doing at nursery. If you have any ideas on becoming more involved with your child's learning, we would love to hear them.