

Learning in August

Eastwood Day Nursery Newsletter—Issue 17

HOUSEKEEPING

General reminders

- Please remember to collect your children on time to avoid being charged the late collection fee. If you require a detailed handover about your child's day at nursery please arrive before 6:00pm. **The same applies for children whose sessions finish at 11.30am, 1.00pm, 3.30pm and 4.00pm.**



SEE YOU SOON...

The time has come for us to now say goodbye and good luck to most of our children heading on to Primary School in September 2023. Please do come by and say hello to us. We would also love for you and your children to attend an afternoon tea on the above date. Please just drop us an email to let us know if you are able to attend.

DIARY DATES

August 2023

Monday 28th August — Monday 4th September 2023—Summer Closure

September 2023

6:00pm Friday 8th September 2023— Information evening for Oak to Cedar transitioning children.

October 2023

Friday 20th October at 3:45pm—Afternoon Tea for Cedar Class Primary School Leavers

A BIG WELCOME

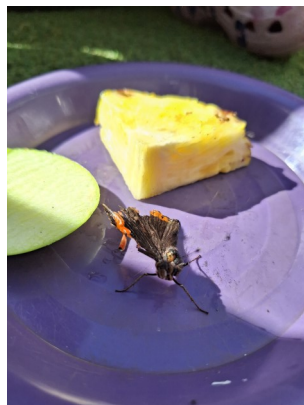
Welcome to all of our new children and families that will be joining Oak and Cedar Class this term. We are looking forward to getting to know you all.



Cedar Class



It is all about Bugs and Life-Cycles



The children have been very interested this month in learning about bugs and different life-cycles. In the garden they found a butterfly which appeared to be injured. The children worked well together and came up with different ideas on how to keep the butterfly alive. After this, they looked and learnt about the life cycle of a butterfly.

Ready, Steady, Go....



The children enjoyed their week in the Nursery School. They spent some time exploring in the ball pit testing how far and how high they could jump. They also worked together to pull one another out from the ball pit.

Oak Class



Gardening and Growing.

Oak class have been able to finally pick the carrots that they have been growing. The children had the opportunity to remove the carrots from the soil. They washed and explored the carrots before having the opportunity to taste what they had grown.



The children showed delight in making “cupcakes” using playdough, shells, lollipop sticks and cupcake cases. Each child had their own aim and objective on how they wanted their cupcake to look. There was lots of serve and return conversation amongst the children and their adult, where they spoke about what they had created and what they had used. The younger children of Oak class were keen to explore the many different textures, such as the softness of the playdough and the ruggedness of the shells and of course mouthing a few items.

Parent visit and fun crafts

A massive thank you to a child’s mum and grandmother who carried out a fantastic arts and crafts activity with the children in Oak class. The children were given the choice to choose either a hedgehog or snail template which they then decorated with coloured strips and small coloured circles. The children showed high levels of engagement throughout the activity.

