

Summer 1 - Pre-School

Although this half term has been short, we have been very busy learning all about People Who Help Us.

Communication and Language

We have talked about who helps us at home, school and in wider life. We have discussed the different types of jobs there are available, and listened to a visitor talk about their job. We also took part in a rhyme workshop with our adults and sang lots of different nursery and counting rhymes.

PSED

We have been working on developing friendships, as we have had new children join us. We have also discussed road safety, and who to speak to if we get lost or are frightened. We have continued to work on our independence skills.

Physical Development

On the big playground we have been practising our playground games, such as Traffic lights. We have also been working on our fine motor skills, with our drawing and cutting.

Literacy

We have been reading some non-fiction books about everyday heroes around the world and the jobs they do. We have also begun looking at some sounds and thinking about orally blending using Fred Talk. We also have read a range of fiction books about people who help, such as The Jolly Postman.

Maths

We have focussed on counting and subitising this half term, using our topic to support this. We have also learnt about capacity and shapes, and have used these concepts within our topic, e.g. can you use different shapes to create the home you live in.

Understanding the World

We have focussed on People Who Help Us and the jobs that these people do. We have had a visit from a firefighter, complete with his fire engine and crew. This was very exciting. We have role played being doctors and nurses, and talked about what dentists do. We have also thought about and created pictures of police officers, thinking about how they can help us if we are lost and also how they can direct traffic.

In our vegetable patch we have weeded and we have now got lots of lovely plants. We should be able to harvest some time next half term.

EAD

We have created lots of pictures this half term. We have focussed on our drawing skills, and using paint to create pictures of People Who Help Us.

We have used our role play area to take on the roles of doctor, nurse and dentist. We have also role played being police officers directing traffic in our outdoor area, and being firefighters using the water tray and hoses.

We have used the blocks to create places for the firefighters to rescue people and also to park our emergency vehicles.

We finished our half term with a fun parent workshop where we taught our grown-ups different nursery and counting rhymes, followed by a sponsored fun run. We also got the opportunity to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee with fun activities and a whole school picnic.



Well done Pre-School for working so hard this half term!