# NURSERY Newsletter

Theme for the Month
In September the theme
for both the Rainbow and
Sunshine Room was
Transport.

During the month the children in the Rainbow Room have been taking part in lots of craft



activities such as transport stamp printing, track painting and making transport using items from the junk modelling. Some of the children even helped Shannen to make large scale junk

modelling traffic lights, which they then used for role play in the garden.

Reading has been a large focus in the room this month, with many children enjoying

spending time looking through books
together or with a
member of staff in the
book area.



In the Sunshine Room it has been a messy month
— with lots of the children enjoying playing with shredded paper, jelly

baff, large

scale track painting and getting muddy making 'pies' in the mud kitchen. For craft the children enjoyed ball painting and making collage transport pictures. Some children also helped Helena to make playdough!



#### September 2015



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## Christmas & New Year Opening Times

Monday 21st December 8am—6pm
Tuesday 22nd December 8am—6pm
Wednesday 23rd December
CLOSED For Inset Day
Thursday 24th December CLOSED
Friday 25th December CLOSED
Monday 28th December CLOSED
Tuesday 29th December 8am—6pm
Wednesday 30th December 8am—6pm
Thursday 31st December 8am—6pm
Friday 1st January CLOSED



Open as usual from Monday 4th January onwards.

#### Staff News

We have welcomed 3 new members of staff to The Arc this month. Demi and Shamsa will be working in the Rainbow Room and Samira will be working in the Sunshine Room. We are sure you will make them feel very welcome here at The Arc!



It was Karen's birthday this
month and all of the
Rainbow Room children and
staff enjoyed singing to her
and making her a big
cake to share.
Happy Birthday Karen!

## The Theme for October The theme in both the Sunshine & Rainbow Rooms next month will be Space.



#### Where Have We Been Up To?

Some of the children in the Rainbow Room were lucky enough to visit London Zoo this month.



They really enjoyed looking at all of the animals — especially spending time looking at the crocodile in the Reptile House, the Tigers and watching the Penguin Show.



#### I No Phone Policy

Can parents please refrain from using their mobile phones and hands free equipment (ear phones & pieces) whilst in the nursery. As for safeguarding purposes, we do have a

NO mobile phone policy throughout the building.

Thankyou!

#### Toy Reminder

Can parents please try to make sure that children are <u>NOT</u> bringing their own toys into nursery. As



if they get lost or broken then the children can get very upset! Also, please remember that it is not a staff members responsibility to look for toys at the end of the day.

Thank you!

#### Open Day 2015

Open day was a great success with many prospective and current parents taking the time to visit the nursery and play alongside their children! It was especially **GREAT** to receive the gift of homemade bunting from the 2015 leavers —

thank you VERY VERY much to all who took part and helped to create it!



### IMPORTANT SAFETY RULES: Please Read

Please take note of the following rules which are for the safety and wellbeing of all children in the nursery.

- Please do not allow your child to press
  the exit button for the front door, and
  please ensure you close all doors and
  do not prop doors open for those
  behind you these are important safety
  issues.
- Please ensure you close the gate at the top of the stairs to the Sunshine room properly - shake it to check it has latched.
  - Please do not allow your children to run in the corridor.
  - Please leave your own toys at home, to avoid them getting lost

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