

Little Chestnuts Preschool



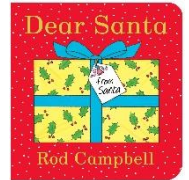
Weekly News

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What have we been up to this week?

We have been feeling very festive in Preschool this week and thoroughly enjoyed sharing the story 'Dear Santa' together which involved lots of lovely conversation about different sizes. The snow has inspired lots of our learning this week... We have thoroughly enjoyed making and decorating snowman biscuits which was a great opportunity to talk about how our biscuits changed when they had been cooked. We have also had great fun making and shaping pretend snowmen from some smooth, white fondant icing which smelled delicious and has helped strengthen our fine motor control. It has been very exciting to discover a beautiful knitted elf, made by Mrs Styler, as well as a postbox in Preschool which has helped to inspire some lovely, imaginative role play. I hope that you enjoy a lovely Christmas holiday and I look forward to seeing you all in 2023!



Welly Wednesday



It has been very exciting to be outside exploring the seasonal snow this week. We have scooped, rolled, jumped, stamped and even had a lay down in the snow! Preschool spotted some mystery footprints and wondered who had made them - maybe a fox? Or a squirrel? Or even a Gruffalo?

Super Sounds

It is lovely to see and hear Preschool taking such an interest in letters and sounds around them. We have been busy spotting, and chatting about the sounds that different letters make. Well done Little Chestnuts!

Songs and Rhymes



We have been listening to, and joining in with lots of lovely Christmas songs this week. Preschool have particularly enjoyed singing 'Jingle Bells'. We accompanied our singing with some lovely jingly bells which we thoroughly enjoyed shaking!



Wow Moments



Well done Alfie and Madison; you were amazing in our Christmas show this week. I was so proud of how sensibly you got on and off the stage, how independent you were in taking part and how well you joined in with the singing!