

## What have we been up to this week?

We have also had lots of fun this week exploring the sand and water, using scoops and funnels to fill different sized containers. There was lots of lovely chatting about which pots were empty and which were nearly full and which pots were overflowing. We have enjoyed sharing a story about 'Paper Dolls' this week as well as 'The horse that Jumped'; it is so lovely to hear Preschool using the vocabulary they hear in stories in their independent play as well. There has been some fabulous construction taking place in the small world area, with Little Chestnuts using the Duplo bricks to create different buildings with lovely imagination and creativity. We have also planted some runner beans this week...I wonder if they will grow as tall as Jack's beanstalk? It was very exciting to pretend to be runner, jelly and baked beans on Thursday as we used the hall space to run, wobble and curl up small!



## Out and About



At the beginning of the week we went on a lovely walk around school discovering signs of spring and spotted lots of beautiful buds on the trees and by Thursday we were well wrapped up discovering snow, ice and puddles to jump in!

## Super Sounds



We have been discovering the initial sound 'd' this week as well as comparing different sounds. Little Chestnuts are using some lovely language to describe what they can hear.

## Songs and Rhymes

We have been enjoying singing and skipping along to the rhyme 'skip-a-dee-doo-dah, skip-a-dee-day, my, oh, my, what a wonderful day' when we have been playing outside this week. Little Chestnuts have enjoyed deciding what sort of day; sometimes 'wonderful', sometimes 'chilly' and sometimes 'beautiful'!



It has been lovely to see Alfie and Madison becoming more independent in their play and learning in Preschool this week - Well done!