

# ROBINS NEWS

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## WHAT HAVE WE BEEN LEARNING...

This month we have been exploring lifecycles and looking at all the minibeasts we could find in the garden.

We have been looking at different ways to be creative by using clay and seeing how we can manipulate it as well as exploring LOTS of paint!

We have been very busy developing our role play area; the children have loved the ice-cream shop and café.

We have celebrated many festivals, including Easter, St George's Day, World Healthy Eating Day and Earth Day.

The children have also really enjoyed the story 'The runaway Pea' so we did lots of activities based on this story.

## MAKATON!

From the month of May we will be implementing Makaton with a 'sign of the week', so please encourage your children to show you and use this as much as possible.

## ROOM LAYOUT

We have changed the layout of the Robin's room to create a cosy book corner, self regulation area and a homely home corner.

We have also implemented a visual timetable to help involve the children with the routine, as well as help them prepare for transitions throughout the day.

The children have done a super job with tidying and understand that when they hear the bell, it means time to tidy up.

We have created a language board with flashcards of different languages that some of our children speak at home as well.

## WHAT'S NEXT.....

We will be exploring our creativity for Mayday and try to make a maypole!

the children will also be looking at growing and caring for plants and planting up our flower beds in the garden.

We cant wait to watch them grow!