



Robins Newsletter

May 2023



What have we been learning...

This month we have been focusing on growing. The children have planted lots of different seeds in preparation for our garden. They learnt where certain foods come from as they planted tomato, lettuce and pepper seeds. We also looked at wildflowers and why they are important. We have made bug and beetle hotels out of bark and moss the children have found. We celebrated the Kings Coronation by having tea altogether and of course, made lots of arts and crafts including making their own flags and crowns. The children have also been interested in pirates, so we have been exploring our roleplay Pirate Ship! We explored how to make our boats sink or float. The children were quite surprised that once they were emptied, they were able to float again!

Our book of choice for May was the Runaway Pea! The children found the book very funny and helped to introduce them to growing as well as healthy eating. We had a themed tuff tray and roleplayed the story as we read through it.

We have celebrated a range of different celebration days ranging from world hand hygiene to world turtle day! We demonstrated good hand washing techniques and why it is so important after going to the toilet and before meals. For world turtle day, we made our own paper plate turtles. We spoke about where turtles live and what they eat.

What's next...

We will be taking part in the Wildlife trust, 30 Days of wild. We have lots of seeds to plant and we are aiming to do a 'wild' activity everyday for the month. We will be sending home activity packs home and would like that the children bring in anything that they might find on their walks.

