

# Noah's Ark News

14th January 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

**This week in Noah's Ark** the children have continued to explore the paints. Using small and large paintbrushes the children have been experimenting with different brushstrokes and seeing what happens when they mix colours together. The children have been creating some very colourful masterpieces to bring home.

The children have also been practising their cutting skills. They have been reusing some old Christmas cards and raffle tickets and creating some wonderful collages.

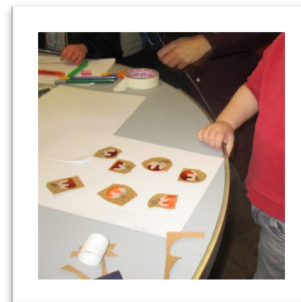
In thinking times we have been looking at maths and we have been singing some of our favourite number songs. We have been bouncing three little fish on the lycra, buying four currant buns from the bakers shop and watching Mr Crocodile snap at the five cheeky monkeys swinging in the trees. Singing all these songs is a really fun and engaging way to help the children become more familiar with numbers and counting.

**Noah's Ark AGM** will be taking place on Thursday 27th January at 7.30pm through n the church hall if you would like to attend.

Parents of children starting primary school in September'22, please do remember the deadline for primary school applications is this **Saturday 15th January**.

Best wishes for the weekend,

The Noah's Ark team



## Counting Rhyme

5 little monkeys swinging in the tree.  
Teasing Mr Crocodile, "You can't catch me."  
When all of a ll of a sudden....  
Ssssssssnap! He ate one for  
his tea.

4 little monkey's.....  
3 little monkey's.....  
etc



## Makaton sign of the week

We are all using Makaton to support Children's language and understanding. Our sign of the week is "Banana" For a video showing this sign see <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=de2PGGU317Y>



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