

Noah's Ark News

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Numbers

This week the children have been looking at numbers and the meaning of numbers in different contexts. Such as understanding that they might be three years of age but the fourth child when counting children in circle time. Alongside this we have also been exploring 1 to 1 correspondence with numbers which is the skill of counting one object as you say one number.



Online Safety

One of our roles as an early years setting is to ensure that children are learning about the world around them including how to keep themselves safe online. This week, our staff have been thinking about online safety and the role that we play even at this early stage to help young children learn the foundations of safe online behaviour. We rarely use online technology with the children in the setting, but we are aware that they may be using it elsewhere.



Over the next few weeks, we will be sharing the story of Smartie the Penguin . Which explores themes of online safety at an appropriate level. An online version can be found at <https://www.childnet.com/resources/smartie-the-penguin/> which you might like to look at with your child at home. If you have any questions or concerns about online safety, or would more information about resources that are available, please speak to a member of staff.

Fundraising Opportunity

This month we are very exciting that we will be Tesco Golden Hill's bookcase of the month charity. You might well have seen the book case if you shop there. All So if you have any books you would like to donate, please take them along and see if there are any there you would like to buy. All proceeds from the book shelf in May will go to Noah's Ark.

Have a lovely weekend,

The Noah's Ark team



Makaton sign of the week



We are all using Makaton to support Children's language and understanding. Our sign of the week is "Where" For a video showing this sign see https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f8O_IP10gyl

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