

# Noah's Ark News

7th October 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

The focus at preschool this week has been 'Our Wonderful World'. The children have enjoyed exploring items such as shells, leaves, conkers and pine cones to create their own natural pictures. We have linked this sensory play to the world around us; trees changing colour, the weather beginning to change and the signs that Autumn is on its way. This has also been extended to the woods with children creating their own pictures from the leaves and sticks they found.



The children have been very excited to have a go with screwdrivers, hammers and nails to create their own woodwork this week and have been really pleased with what they have created. They will bring their woodwork home to share their creations with you.



**Food Bank Donations:** We have been lucky to have Maki Mico, the minister from Cairns Road Baptist Church come into the preschool this week to talk to the children about the importance of the local Food Bank. We now have a basket for you to make a donation of tinned or dried food if you are able to. The Food Bank will ensure that these donations are passed on to families that need them the most.

**Family Recipe suggestions:** We are currently looking to update our collection of cooking recipes to reflect the diverse range of cultures and different families that access Noah's Ark Preschool. If you have a simple family recipe that you think would be suitable for the children to have a go at making and you'd like to share it with us, please email it into the office or pass it on to your child's Key Person.

We hope you all have a great weekend,  
The Noah's Ark Team.

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