

EYFS Newsletter - Friday 28th March 2025 Ambition Belonging Courage

In drawing club this week...

This week, we have looked at a lovely book called *The Extraordinary Gardener*, by Sam Boughton. This book has really inspired the children to look at how things grow and what might grow. The children have enjoyed being involved in the florist shop role plays, and they have enjoyed using small objects to make beautiful flowers.

In maths this week...

We have looked at another new concept, odds and evens. The children started the week by exploring how to sort and organise groups of objects, by looking at similarities and differences. This has led to us exploring numicon, and looking at whether they are a flat top or odd hat piece of numicon.

4 is a flat top, because it has a partner and 3 is an odd hat as it does not have a partner at the top.

Other areas of learning...

We have been continuing to think about how things grow and the changes we are seeing around us, we have explored doing observational drawings of spring flowers. We used a range of different mediums including, pencil and oil pastels.

The children have also continued to look after our seeds and beans that we planted last week. In Donaldson class we noticed that our seeds have started to grow shoots!

How to help at home...

Don't forget it's the Easter Bonnet parade next week, you could at home make a bonnet together.

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Our week in photos...











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