



St Leo's and Southmead School Nursery Newsletter 3rd March 2017

As you may know we have some new children who have recently started at our nursery.

A big welcome to you from the nursery children and staff. During this half term we will be introducing them to the different areas of the nursery and finding out about their interests. Below are a few activities that you may like to try at home with your child.

As part of Key Worker time we are singing The Pancake Rhyme

We have been talking about the role of the Author and Illustrator. Books shared have included Elmer, Where's Wally and the Large Family

Top Tip Linked to Maths looking for shapes in the environment

Hope you had fun last week playing I Spy. This time why not see what shapes you can see in the environment like circle car wheels, rectangle doors, square signs etc.

Wednesday Library

On a Wednesday your child will bring home a library book to be returned on the following Tuesday. The book will come home in a bag which is to be kept with the book and returned the following Tuesday.

Home Packs: These will be given out on Wednesdays so please could you return by Tuesday so we can change them ready for taking home on Wednesday.



Top Tip:

Encourage your child to put their coat on and try and put their shoes on by themselves. A great tip for coats is to put the coat on your child's head and let them find where their arms need to go by themselves.

This week we had our fun packed Dough Disco session again linked to the fun packed Trolls Soundtrack. We will be putting an information sheet all about Dough Disco on our website next week linked to the different moves for you to practice at home. So watch this space. If you would like to join in with Dough Disco dancing then follow the link below where Shonette Bason-Wood takes you through some groovy moves to help children develop the muscles in their fingers which will help holding a pencil much easier. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i-lfzeG1aC4>

This week the children have enjoyed designing their own pancakes choosing their favourite toppings. They have been practicing their flipping pancakes and counting how many flips they could do. We have also been out into the local community to find where's Wally (LAMINATED CARD CHARACTERS). We found him at Pat's Shop, The Children's Centre and at our School in Mrs McGuinness's classroom!!!

IF YOU TAKE A LOOK AT THE LINK FOR DOUGH DISCO WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR EXPERIENCES