

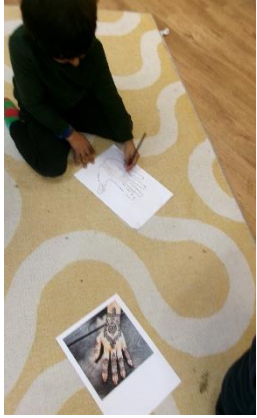


Weekly Update



Weekly update 16th to 20th March

What a wonderful week of sunshine and even some warm weather. 😊 Many of our children who celebrate Eid at the end of the week are full of excitement, talking about the presents they hope to receive and the preparations happening at home. We have listened to stories about Eid and decorated moons and stars to display in the nursery as well as making Eid cards.



Our art focus has been Mehndi this week – a temporary body art used in South Asia using paste from dried leaves. They are similar to henna body art used across Africa and the Middle East but we focussed on the Indian and Arabic styles. We looked closely and noticed different shapes and patterns – noticing many are repeated patterns – just like we have been learning about. The children talked about their own experience of Mehndi with their family and friends, acknowledging that they are artists. The children created their own patterns on paper hands using the patterns and lines they had seen.



Focus Words:
Travel
Alliteration
Control
Crossing
Count

Next week 23rd – 27th March

Our focus song will be hot cross buns. We will be using our subitising skills and knowledge of numbers to 5 as we use props to help us sing the song. We will learn about Easter celebrations with the chance to make Easter decorations and cards throughout the week.

Jo, our persona doll, will be telling us about her upcoming trip to Scotland. She will show us a map so we can see the route she is travelling.

At home...

To those families celebrating this weekend we wish you Eid Mubarak! Please send photos for your child to talk about.

Remember to buy tickets for our Spring Raffle as we will be drawing the tickets on Wednesday 25th March. The money raised goes towards plants, seeds and other resources for our gardens and allotments.

