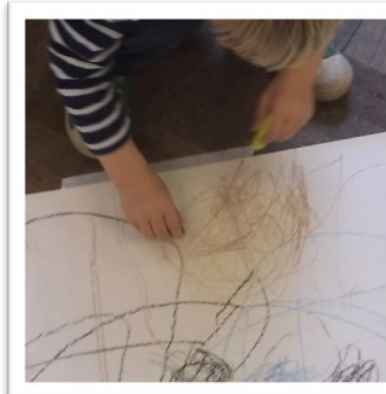


# Noah's Ark News

2nd December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

There has been a focus on People and Communities this week at Pre-school. The children have enjoyed drawing and painting pictures of their relatives and talking about all the different members of their families. Thinking times have been used to talk about the things we see in our community on our journey into preschool from home. If you haven't sent in a family photo to be included in the Orange or Yellow room family books, please email one into the office so we can add it to the collection. The children love looking through the books and talking about themselves and their friends with their families.



You will also notice that the children have new Velcro name labels by their coat pegs in the rooms. We will be encouraging the children to find their own name and stick it above where they hang their coat and bag when they come into the room in the morning. We hope this will help the children to learn to recognise their names and also to foster independence when finding their coats and hats to go and play outside and when going home at the end of the day.



We have decided to expand our album of cooking recipes to reflect the differences in our community. All children have had the opportunity to make vegetable curry at preschool this week. They have been really interested in the colours and flavours of all the different vegetables and experiencing some different tastes. We hope you all enjoyed tasting the curries at home!

Thank you to everyone who came on Thursday afternoon to help decorate the outdoor Christmas tree. It was a lovely community event and all the children enjoyed arranging the Christmas decorations, making craft stars and sharing hot chocolate and festive nibbles!



Wishing you all a lovely weekend,  
The Noah's Ark team.

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