

Dear parents and carers,

We hope you've all had a good week; we've had a great week at nursery.

Our INSET day training was on anti-racist education, delivered by BRAP, a charity transforming the way we think and do equality. The trainers were eloquent, knowledgeable and had an open and engaging manner that encouraged everyone to participate.

Saiqa said she really enjoyed the discussion and felt the manner of training encouraged people to feel comfortable and confident joining in. She said she felt able to talk about an upsetting incident she had experienced without embarrassment and that left her feeling a weight had been lifted and the matter finally put to rest.

In the afternoon, the staff had team meetings and the baby room set up their lovely new furniture. All in all, a great day of training and tidying!

National Science Week is 10th – 19th March and we will be taking part in our own way in nursery during the week beginning Monday 13th March. We're planning to make erupting volcanoes, clouds in a jar, dancing ice cubes, investigate sinking and floating and do some cooking. The Discoverers are going to make ice cream in a jar! All rooms will take part at an appropriate level and we can't wait to show you our experiments.

The children are showing an interest in farm animals so we will be going on a trip to Vauxhall City Farm to bring their interest to life over the next couple of weeks. You will all be given a letter with the details of the trip and asked to sign your consent in due course.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes,

Fatemeh and the nursery team