



Welcome to the Early Years newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers

The children have really settled well into school life and are enjoying exploring our indoor and outdoor environments. We have been establishing clear and concise routines in both classes.

The children have started to bring home their reading books for you to enjoy at home. As a result of this, your child needs to bring their book bag and school book into school every day so they have the opportunity to read with school staff too.

I hope you enjoy reading about our learning that has taken place over the last few weeks.

Mrs Phillips

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Chopping Up Fruit

Please can you ensure that if your child is having fruit such as grapes in their packed lunch boxes that you are chopping it up as this can be a choking hazard. We appreciate your support with this.



Friday 10th October 2025

Autumn Explore Walk

The children had a great time on their Autumn explore walk last week. They had the chance to go around Beecroft's school environment and see places they haven't had the chance to see yet. We went through the playground, onto the field and finished in our Forest School area.

When on the walk we talked about what we could hear and see. This helped remind us of two of our five senses - a topic we have been discussing in science recently.



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Sensory Walk

We have been learning about using our senses. We explored the sense of touch by walking through a range of trays with different media in. We explored water, leaves, and grass.



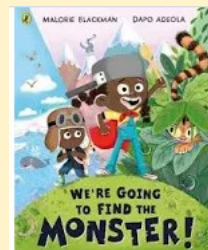
Fine Motor Skills Support

Developing fine motor skills is essential for children as it helps them perform everyday tasks like writing, buttoning clothes, and using utensils with confidence and independence. Strengthening these skills also supports cognitive development and prepares them for success in school and daily life.

Please support your child by developing their fine motor development through a range of activities such as playing with playdough, threading beads, using play tweezers and pom poms. Please let us know if you need any guidance with this.

We're Going to Find a Monster!

We have been learning about the text 'We're Going to find a Monster' by Malorie Blackman in our literacy lessons.

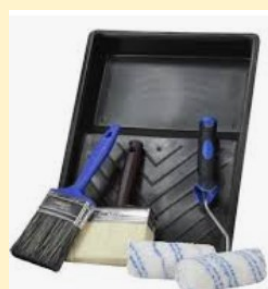


The children have been discussing where they would like to explore and draw a picture. The children have started to try and label their pictures.

We have also been practising finding our name and trying to write our names. You could help your child at home to do this as well.

Paintbrushes and rollers

We are in need of paintbrushes and rollers. We are supporting the children to develop their gross motor skills and they have really enjoyed using paintbrushes outside. If you have any paintbrushes or rollers that you no longer need please donate them to us. We appreciate your support.



School Lunches

Please make sure you are booking your child's school lunches on SwiftKitchen before they arrive at school. Thank you.

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