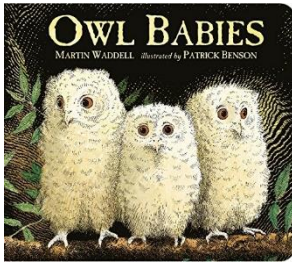


Friday 22nd November 2023

Dear parents and carers,

The children have had another fun filled week this week, learning more information about owls and reading the 'Owl Babies' story. We have also been learning about circles and triangles, talking about how many sides they have and looking for them in the environment. Here are some of the activities we have done this week;

- Painting baby owls.
- Drawing owls and learning to write the word owl.
- Making playdough owls.
- Building homes for the owls to live in using big blocks.
- Learning more interesting facts about owls.
- Finding circles and triangles in the nursery.
- Playing household sounds bingo.
- Making shape pictures.



We have been reading the story of 'Owl Babies' which is about three baby owls who live in a hole in the trunk of a tree with their mummy owl. One morning they wake up and their mummy has gone, but where is she? The children enjoyed joining in with the story and sharing their ideas about where mummy owl could be.

"She's looking for her watch in the garden" Ciara, "Shops" Hala, "Fox", Frankie.

You can help your child to continue their learning at home by:

- Practicing to write the first letter of their name with them.
- Reading to them daily and encouraging them to talk about the story by asking them questions about it.
- Learning more information about owls together. Using the new vocabulary, we have been learning such as talons, beak, feathers and wings.
- Going on a shape hunt together at home and when you are out and about. Looking for circles and triangles.

Don't forget that library day is on a Wednesday and your child can return their library book on this day to choose a new one.

Thank you so much for all of the kind donations of activity money, which have meant we have been able to do lots of fun activities with your child.

Have a wonderful weekend

Many thanks

Mrs Halligan

Nursery Manager

