



Froebelian School
Lower Kindergarten's Welcome Letter
6th October 2023

Next week the whole school ethos theme will be:

We choose to follow the learning charter.

Dear Parent,

This week the focus in maths has been on the number two. We watched the Number Blocks 'Number Two' episode and followed this up with practical work on number two. The children had to choose two of something, make patterns involving two and looked at counters and decided if there are 'two or not two' and then work out how to make 'not two' into two!

They also practised pencil control, with some children having a really good go at writing a number two. They then enjoyed painting large numbers using cotton buds as part of working on fine motor skills.

We have continued to work on the letters in your child's letter box, and in some cases have added some numbers we would like your child to be able to recognise.

In phonics we have worked on the children identifying loud and quiet sounds, and playing games that involved copying sound patterns and types of sound, for example, quiet, loud, clapping, stamping and tapping.

The children have enjoyed using the 'You Choose' books and we have had fun deciding how we would like to travel, where we would like to visit, live and what we would like to wear. This also helps develop vocabulary as we discuss the pictures. A new word for the week – impress! I told the children I would like them to impress me and so we discussed what impress means and how they could do that. Maybe they could try to impress you at home!

Next Monday is Hello Yellow – we invite the children to wear something yellow with their school uniform in order to support World Mental Health Day. The children could wear yellow socks, tights, jumper, cardigan, hair band etc.

Have a lovely weekend.

From the LKG team,
Judith Giles, Clare McCaig and Ruth Greenhough

Dates for your diary

Monday 9th October – Wear something yellow for mental health week.

Fri 13th October – FPTA Uniform Sale