

Our Nursery Summer Outing to Scolty Woods and Drum Castle.

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Exploring the woods



We climbed through the undergrowth and over fallen trees. It was hard work and we needed to use our balance and co-ordination skills.

Exploring the woods



We climbed up the roots of a fallen tree. It was a good look-out point.

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Finding items from nature



We found animal burrows, a queen wasps nest and giant mushrooms.

Collecting and sorting sticks for the camp fire

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Making our camp fire and having snack



We made a campfire and
cooked popcorn on it for snack.
We talked about keeping safe
around the fire.

Den building

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Exploring the stream

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We had a lot of fun exploring the stream. This was the first time many of our children had experienced wading through stream water.



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Lunch time at Drum Castle

We all had our lunch inside the tee-pee.



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Drum Play park



After lunch we enjoyed free time playing in the park at Drum Castle. We tried a zip-line, communicated through a metal speaking and listening device and climbed on the climbing frame.



Drum Play park



Sleepy boys
and girls!



End of term information

Sports Day – Monday 19th June 12.30pm

A letter has been sent out by clarion regarding sports day; however, we felt it would be appropriate to extend this information for nursery children.

There will be no school dinners on Sports Day. Please can all children, who stay for lunch, bring a packed lunch. The children who attend nursery on a Monday afternoon will be taken by coach to the Summerhill playing field at 12.15pm approximately. For those who do not normally attend nursery on a Monday afternoon, please bring your child up to Summerhill playing field by 12.15pm, and wait at the grass side of the car park, so that we can meet them off the bus and they can participate in the sports day races. All children are to be collected, at the playing field, from a member of staff after the races have finished at approximately 2.45pm. Please can all children wear their nursery uniform. The nursery will provide water for the children to have during the sports and ice cream or alternative for those with dietary requirements, before the children go home. Please speak to Miss Minett if your child usually goes home for lunch on this day or if you have any questions.

Nursery Summer Concert – Thursday 22nd June 2pm

The children have been practising some songs relating to our topics. We would like to invite you to our end of term summer concert when the children will be demonstrating what they have been learning. If your child does not attend or goes home for lunch please bring all children into nursery for 1.30pm. Please speak to Miss Minett if your child does not normally attend at that time, or if you have any queries.

We would be grateful if you could provide a plain, brightly coloured t-shirt for your child for the summer concert.

Please give the named t-shirt to a member of staff before Thursday 15th June.

The last day of term for nursery children is Thursday 22nd June at 3pm after the Summer Concert.

End of term questionnaire

We would be grateful if you took some time to give us feedback regarding your experience of The Nursery at St. Margaret's.

1) As a parent, I have the opportunity to communicate with staff, and a range of methods are used to meet different needs.

Agree

Disagree

Comments/Examples

2) As a parent, I would feel comfortable talking to staff if I had a query or concern and believe that this would be dealt with effectively.

Agree

Disagree

Comments/Examples

3) As a parent, I have the opportunity to be involved in assessing or contributing to the quality of service and environment provided at nursery.

Agree

Disagree

Comments/Examples

4) As a parent, I feel my child's individual health and wellbeing needs are being met and this is reflected in their experiences.

Agree

Disagree

Comments/Examples

5) As a parent, I feel my child has the opportunity to make individual choices and nursery planning reflects child-led learning.

Agree

Disagree

Comments/Examples

Please return by Tuesday 20th June. Thank you for taking the time to participate in our self-assessment process.