



## Excalibur Primary School

10<sup>th</sup> February 2025

### Pre-school Weekly Newsletter

Term: Spring one Week: six



This week, the children have thoroughly enjoyed our junk box modelling activities. They were able to select and combine from the different packaging to develop their creations. The children also loved exploring and dripping the 'gloopy glue'.

During the week, the children have enjoyed making Valentine's cards, heart themed crafts and decorations. They also found out a bit about Valentine's Day and what it is all about.

Our new Squiggle move this week was 'shake'. We enjoyed dancing along to 'Shake, Shake, Senora'. It was great fun!

On Friday, we had a visit from Gemma for our Rhythm Time Session. For the next few weeks, Rhythm Time has changed days. This has been a lovely experience for our children attending pre-school on Fridays.

#### Number Time



This week, we have continued to explore numeral five. The children enjoyed using the Numicon to fit the 'snail' shape and to decorate a house for number five. They tried to combine two small pieces to create a five piece.

The children also loved sharing our weekly rhyme 'Alice the camel'. They thought it was hilarious!

Here is the link if you want to watch at home

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qMF2DaVim>



#### Next half term

After the half term break, we will begin our new topic 'At the Farm'.



The educational visit to Ford Hall Farm, Market Drayton, has been booked for **Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March**. The children will get to see the animals that live on a farm first-hand and enjoy a shared enrichment opportunity with their peers.

PE kits have been sent home for washing. Please check they have all their things and that their pumps still fit. Please return to pre-school after the half-term holiday.

Have a fabulous half term break and we'll see you soon!

The Pre-school Team

