

Koala Class Newsletter Week 3



Last week

The children had a super first full week at school. They have all settled in brilliantly and you should all be very proud of them! They are all doing a great job at following the routines and rules in the classroom and at lunch times too! They enjoyed the story of Elmer and were able to retell parts or all of the story!! The children have enjoyed getting to know each other and making lots of new friends! They had lots of fun exploring the big climbing frame and trim trail on Thursday too! This week we did lots of Fred Games, in preparation for learning the sounds next week, which the children have been amazing at!

This week

Topic: I wonder what colours you can make?

Communication and Language/literacy

Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.

Offer explanations for why things happen.

Activities:

Making predictions when reading the story.

Books

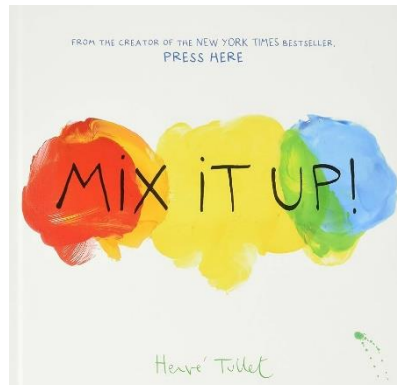
Mix it up! By Herve Tullet

Other books

The colour monster

The dot

The world made a rainbow



Expressive Art and Design

Share their creations explaining the process they have made.

Experiment with colour.

Activities:

Exploring colour mixing independently.

Making a colour wheel by mixing the primary colours

Mathematics

Begin to match numerals to the number in a set.

Say and use number in songs, rhymes and stories

Activities:

Singing lots of different numbers rhymes

Exploring numbers in the maths area

Physical development

Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others.

Use a range of small tools.

Activities:

Sorting pompoms with tweezers into colour groups

Obstacle course

PE lesson

Reminders

Library - We had such a busy week we did not start library last week but we will start it on Friday 22-09-23. Please bring library books back every Friday so the children can change them.

PE - We will start PE on Thursday 21-9-23 please send your child into school with a PE kit which is suitable for being outdoors (jog bottoms, t-shirt, trainers).

Phonics - I will upload the videos for the phonics sounds we have been learning on DoJo so it would be great if you could watch these with your child.