

Nursery news

People who help us

The children have been showing an interest in people who help us. In nursery we now have a very busy fire station and a hospital that treats both people and animals. We will continue our learning on all the different people and services in our community can help us.



Fine Motor Skills

The nursery children enjoy exploring loose parts and making their own creations. This week we have used them alongside playdough to see what we can make. To name a few we have had hedgehogs, lots of birthday cakes and pancakes.



Sgoil-àraich

Last week was all about volcanoes. The children started of making their own volcanoes in the water tray (lots of red and orange 'lava' getting sprayed about!), so we decided to do some experiments to make some real eruptions. We followed instructions to build our own ones in the sand which was lots of fun and led the children to want to make an even bigger volcano – which we did with paper mache after a visit to the shop to get everything we needed (lots of vinegar!).

This week the kids have been playing as 'the police' and we've been making our own phones/walkie-talkies and working on our number recognition. We plan to find out more about the police and the jobs they do to keep us safe.



Other Information

- For outdoor learning this term we will be accessing the birks as well as nature's wood and other parts of the community. Please keep a look out on the nursery notice board for updates of where we will be that week.
- Can children please come prepared for the weather as we still go outdoors in all weather. A bag with waterproofs and wellies can be left on your child's peg.
- On Friday 25th November, 2pm – 3pm, we will be having another open afternoon where parents can come into nursery to play, look at floor books and chat with staff.
- We would also like to invite parents to an outdoor learning session next week on Tuesday 22nd November. We will be leaving nursery at 1:30pm for a walk to the lower Birks to learn about shapes in nature.