

Weather

15°C sunny with clouds



Autumn term session 2 Year 2 class 15.9.21

Morning session

Routines

Getting changed carrying equipment to the site, circle time, returning to the circle after hearing the sound. Sitting quietly for sit spot, not crossing the fire circle.

Intended activities

- Welcome—Safety and activities
- Recap FS—routines and agreements—Be safe, be kind, be free. How to tidy up.
- Finding leaves and feathers—nature creations—use the clay to make nests, birds, eggs
- Pond observations, Loose parts (wood), pulley
- Call back for handwashing, snack/drink (biscuit and squash) circle time
- Play, try something different—swing, mud kitchen

Equipment— Sieve, magnifiers, clay, feathers, leaves, secateurs, scissors

Hazards noted and addressed—See site risk assessment
Talk to children re wall.

Observations

Children came up with idea to make nests with clay. Loved this activity. Used lavender too.
They love cutting dead foliage away.
New soil from building works for potting

Talk opportunities

Signs of Autumn

What's changed?

Jobs of leaves

Why leaves change colour

Evaluations

The pulley was really interesting for them. Loose parts—how does it work. Shame it broke. Look into buying a new one. Rope used anyway and buckets attached. Transporting.

KL found a safe place in another tree—use when arguments start.

Start potting/planting next week

Canopy layer

Branches

Shrub layer—nettles and berries, brambles

Ground layer—check for litter and faeces