



What's been happening in Class this week?

Hatchlings

This week the hatchlings have been exploring food. They have encountered a range of tastes, scents and textures whilst fishing for peas and splashing in spring fruit themed water trays.



The children have also looked at what bugs and insects eat. They rummaged and squished their way through a woodland themed, insect filled tough tray.

Ducklings

This week the children have been doing lots of physical activity inside thanks to the addition of our incredible new climbing frame in class! Not only has given the children lots of opportunity to get moving, it has also been a great opportunity to teach taking turns and sharing with friends. The children have been using the structure in lots of different ways. Theo and Jenson have loved climbing mountains whilst Jaxx had a great time playing on the water slide! Its wonderful to see their imagination to come to life through their play!



Family Friday Sessions

Family Friday sessions are a great way for the children to be able to share their nursery experiences with their parents and carers and is a great opportunity for them to show off how amazing they are.

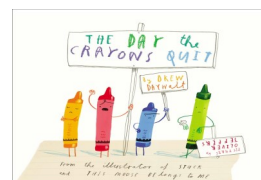
Our family Friday dates for spring 2:

10.03.2023

24.03.2023

Between 8:45-9:15

Next Friday we are celebrating world book day! We would love for all children to come dressed in their favourite colours and we are going to have a whole class dress up day as the characters from the story 'The day the crayons quit'. We will be making our own version of the story in class linked to our topic 'COLOUR' this half term.



Stay & Play

We have lots of new and exciting things happening at the Children's Centre over the Autumn term. Take a look at our new timetable. You can also find this on our website too!

Children's Centre at Gainsborough: New Term: 9th January 2023 - 30th March 2023



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Messy Stay 'n' Play 9.30am-11.30am ●	Speech & Language Therapy 9am-1pm ●	Tummy Time 9.30am-11.30 ● <i>On 11th January & 8th March ONLY</i>	Childminders' Group 9.30am-11.30am ●	Arts 'n' Crafts stay 'n' play 9.30am-11.30am ●
Music time 1.30pm-3.30pm ●	Maths GCSE course 9.30am-3pm ●	Sensory stay 'n' play 9.30am-11.30am ●	Baby Yoga 1.30pm-2.30pm ● 12th Jan-9th Feb or 2nd March-30th March 5 week course ● <i>for babies 4month-8months old</i>	Badu keep fit for adults with creche (this must be booked in advance) 1.30pm-3.30pm ●
	Henry 8 week course starts 23rd Jan with creche ● 10am-12.30pm gives parents the confidence and knowledge and skills they need to help the whole family adopt a healthier, happier lifestyle and give their children a great start in life.	Baby Massage 2.00pm-3.00pm ● 11th Jan-8th Feb Or 1st March -29th March 5 week course ● <i>for babies 4 weeks to pre-crawlers</i>	Respite Care 1.30pm-3.30pm ●	

2 Year Old Provision: Ducklings

15 hours, 30 hours or extended day places available

There are various options for care available—please ask for an application form for details. These sessions run from 9.00am-12noon or 12.30pm-3.30pm Monday to Friday. To check for spaces, costs and eligibility call 020 8985 4622



Under 2's Provision: Hatchlings

3 days or 5 day options available. For more information and costs please call 020 8985 4622



Check out Gainsborough's Instagram page @gainsborough_hackney

● Training/Courses – no drop ins. You must book for the term!

● By appointment only

● No need to book

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GOLD AWARDS

Each week one child from is recognised for their outstanding achievements!

Ducklings

The gold awards this week goes to our new starters Oscar, Maurice and Filip. You have all settled in so well and we are very proud of you all. Well done!