



# Nursery Life

October 2023



Three Gables  
Day Nursery & Pre-School

## What we've been up to this month...

This month we have been exploring autumn, trees, plants and how they change in seasons. How we look after our natural environment and creating dens and campsites in the garden to protect us from the changing elements. We have been intrigued about a variety of animals that live and hibernate in the woods.



Leaf printing, Spray painting leaves, sensory play & Pumpkin fun



Outdoor fun, drawing and playing games.



Spider Web Sensory Play





## What's happening next month...

We will be investigating Dinosaurs alongside the many celebrations in November - Remembrance Sunday, explore light and dark, celebrate Diwali, fireworks, bonfire night, Children In Need and nursery rhyme week.

## Activities we will do at nursery:

- Dinosaur hunt in the garden with magnifying glasses and check lists
- Painting with dinosaurs
- Dinosaurs and gloop & discovery table
- Frozen 'dinosaur eggs'
- Fire work painting
- Shadow painting and drawing
- Paper plate poppies
- Potato printing poppies
- Making lanterns for Diwali
- Making Pudsey headbands
- Nursery rhyme themed sensory tray
- Paper plate dinosaurs & Making dinosaur masks
- Making fossils with playdough

## November's Preschool focus:

We will be exploring stories. Understanding the five key concepts about print: • print has meaning • print can have different purposes • we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom • the names of the different parts of a book • page sequencing

## Some ideas to do at home:

- Dinosaur hunt in the garden or out and about
- Simple playdough recipe: [The Easiest No Cook Playdough Recipe!](#)
- Learning new songs like where's the dinosaur, ask Alexa or your little one to teach you
- Use torches to explore light and dark

We would love to see any photos of activities and experiences from home via the Interactive Learning Diary!

