



Gold Class
St Anne's Royton

Autumn Term
Week 8
26th October

Weekly Newsletter

Dear Parents,

What a great first half term we have had. The children are mostly all coming happily into Nursery and are able to follow our routines and rules very well. The confidence of some of the children has grown already and we are really getting to know their individual personalities!

We have enjoyed an 'Autumn Week' this week. The children have been on to the school field where we looked for signs of Autumn. We collected leaves, finding leaves which were bigger or smaller than our hands. We then looked for different shaped leaves; long leaves, round leaves and pointy leaves.

The children then brought these back to the Nursery to create Autumn pictures and collages. We have been cutting the leaves to practise our scissor skills, our rule being that the thumb needs to be on top when cutting. We have used our fingers to print Autumn leaves using brown, red, yellow and orange paint.

The children have been using the language of size and shape. We have been ordering objects (conkers, leaves, pine cones) by size, starting with the smallest and moving up to the biggest and describing the shape of the objects.

Homework

Talk about Autumn when you are out and about. Look for signs of Autumn and discuss the changing weather. You could collect leaves and make collages or find conkers to place in size order.

If you have any concerns or questions regarding your child, please feel free to come and talk to us. If you would prefer to talk in private, please let us know and we will arrange a convenient time.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Mitchell and Mrs Russell.

Enjoy your half term, we will see you on Monday 5th
November.