

Newsletter 21 October 2016

Dear Parents,

This week in Little EIFA we have focussed on craft activities to promote our learning aims within Physical Development – and also to join in the Hallowe'en celebrations. We have made bubbling potions, covering paper; used sponges and paintbrushes for colouring pumpkins and bats and crunched materials to use for decoration. These activities have all supported physical control of our bodies and the development of fine-motor movement.

We have continued to see great interest in stories and jigsaws this week which supports many learning areas. A new storybook has come into the crèche with a witch as the main character. The book is popular all year round, but has linked well with Hallowe'en and all the wonderful decorations around the school. The book is: "Room on the Broom" or "La sorcière dans les airs" by Julia Donaldson.

We are looking forward to the excitement of the Hallowe'en day (this is still to come at the time of writing as this week's newsletter is being prepared before the main event!)

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Pictures:

- 1) Making bubble potions
- 2) Arts and crafts – a bat comes to life
- 3) A popular tale



Reminder: Little EIFA is running over the school holiday period for the weeks beginning 24 and 31 October. Please let us know if you are away and your child is not attending.