

Dear Parents

The children have had such a busy Succot filled week! They started on Wednesday with a trip to the school Succah, where they got to have cake and squash, which they loved. The children sang Succot songs that Mrs Meyer and Mrs Talisman had taught them. Last week the children decorated a large box to look like a Succah. This week they went in their role-play Succah, pretended to go to sleep and fed all the babies.

The children were very grown up, and asked Miss Genn if they could choose an activity to go on the table. They chose to make Lulav's and Etrog's out of collage materials. The children worked together to get the right coloured tissue paper and crayons, as well as glue and spreaders. They then made lovely Succot pictures.

The children made lemony playdough, as they said it smelt like Etrog's. They then used scissors to cut the playdough. **The children will be practising their cutting skills throughout the year.**

Nursery learnt to say שלום (Shalom) – Hello, ילדים (Yeladim) – children, חג סוכות (Chag Succot) – the festival of Succot, ארבעה מינים (Arba'ah minim) – the 4 kinds, לולב (lulav), ערבה (arava), הדס (hadas), אתרוג (etrog).

**After half term our new IPC topic will be 'Animals'. If you or your family have a pet, please can your child bring in a photograph of them for us to use**

Chag Sameach, and have a lovely half term.

Nursery Team

