



Activities at Home

Project: 'Marvellous Me'

Dear Parents,

The activity for week: 11 beginning: 20th November

Is: 'We are all different and that's beautiful'

The activity we will be covering involves:

- Learning more about our friends and teachers
- Talking about what we like and what we do not like
- Looking at how we are all different but at the same time we are all beautiful
- Looking at old pictures to see how much we have changed over the years
- Children will create a puzzle with a photo of themselves.

Our activity includes:

Our activity will begin by reading a book called "It's ok to be different" by Tod Parr.

Children will be encouraged to discuss what we all have in common and what makes us all different and the importance of being kind to each other regardless of all the physical and nonphysical differences.

We will also talk about why we like certain things and why we dislike other things; we will also discuss what are we good at and what makes us unique.

Children will learn that everybody has a different kind of family, that we can come from different parts of the world, that when we are born is the day, we celebrate our birthday, that we all have names and surnames and different genders.

You might wish to help your child to explore this topic at home or when you are out and about. Please feel free to approach the teachers for further explanations.

Our suggested activities are:

Look at books related to the subject such as:

We are all different and that's amazing by Olga Richie

Not like others - a hidden picture book about diversity by Jana Broecker

Look at your family album and talk about how much your child has change over the year.

Talk to your child and explain to your child why they are unique e.g. skin, hair eye colour, ancestors, culture and more.

Look at different cultural celebrations around the world and why it is celebrated

The Big Question: Ask your child

What do you like about yourself?