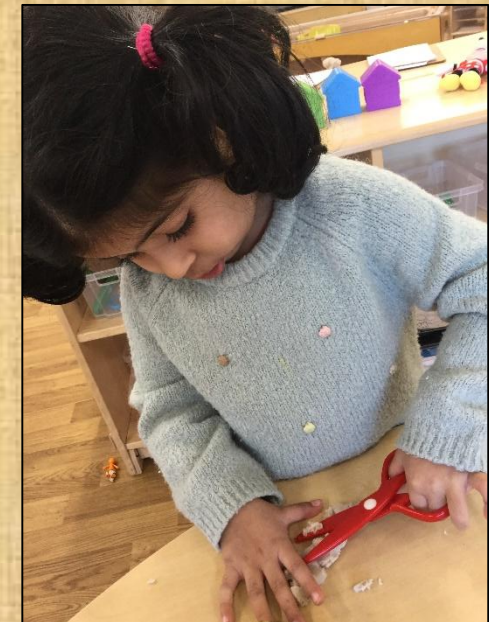
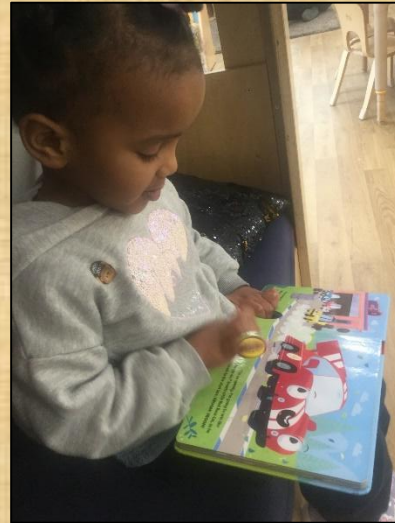


Settling in to nursery

Orange Group have been settling in this term, meeting new friends and teachers. We have been learning about new routines and following simple instructions.

The children have been getting used to their environment, accessing a range of indoor resources such as painting, exploring with play dough and manipulating with tools, cutting with scissors, filling and emptying in the water and sand play, looking at books and playing imaginatively in the home corner.



Settling in to nursery

We have also been exploring our outdoor areas moving in lots of different ways.

We have been using our large sand pit to fill and empty, walking across the wobbly bridge, learning to balance, using our bikes to pedal, crawling through our tunnel and having lots of fun on our big slide.





Celebrating Lunar New Year



At the end of January, we celebrated Lunar New Year. We made fans, tasted noodles and enjoyed dressing up in traditional costumes.



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Orange Group enjoyed taking part in movement and dancing for Lunar New Year. We used ribbon streamers and traditional props including fans and a huge dragon for the children to hold and walk with.





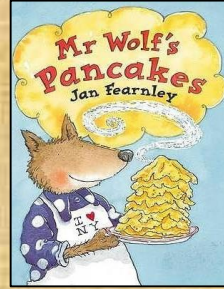
Making Pizza

As part of our curriculum, the children have been taking part in different cooking activities weekly to support tasting new food and textures, finding out their own likes and dislikes. The children in Orange Group decided they wanted to make their own pizzas.

We have been using cheese graters, learning a new skill, using a knife to spread our tomato puree and making a choice of adding sweetcorn. We then took them to the oven to be cooked, ready to eat for snack time.



Pancake Day



We enjoy tasting new foods in Orange Group, this time it was pancakes for Pancake Day.

The children have been reading the story "Mr Wolf's Pancakes." We have been talking about what ingredients Mr Wolf had to buy to make pancakes which were flour, eggs and milk.

We made choices of having lemon juice and sugar on to experience new tastes and textures.

