

Reflections, Koala Room May 2017



During the second part of May we have seen the Children spending a little more time inside the Koala Room due to the cooler weather. Role play in the Dramatic Play Baby Care Area is popular, which was planned, due to a few families having new babies. The Children continue to enjoy climbing outdoors and are becoming more efficient with organising their limbs around the climbing apparatus. With a focus on Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths within our Curriculum, we spent time cooking with the Children making Mothers Day treats, (Vanilla Cookies). The Koalas enjoyed measuring, mixing, kneading, rolling and cutting the dough. Socially some of the children are forming pairs and small groups at play and are enjoying the same activities where we have seen some negotiating, listening and co-operating happening. We have added some natural environmental objects for tinkering to the room which is proving very popular. The children have been constructing, sorting and tinkering with objects, coming up with some interesting creations. At Sand play some further mathematical concepts are being explored, continuing on from the cooking experience, with full, half full and empty being explored and discussed. Health and Wellbeing, taking care of our health by rolling up our sleeves to avoid getting wet clothing during the Autumn to Winter months is being fostered.

