



This Weeks 'What's Happening'

Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Keighley has been launched. All under-5s living in Keighley East, West or Central wards can get a FREE age-appropriate book every month from birth to their fifth birthday, which they receive addressed to them in the post. This means that from birth your child could build up a library of 60 books! Sign up your child for the Imagination Library programme at <https://imaginationlibrary.com/uk/affiliate/WYKKEIGHLEY/>



**Monday
4th October**



Our sign of the week is **"Play"**

Watch Lucinda make the actions for the sign at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BhrAc22B8iw>



**Tuesday 5th
October**



This week in **red room**, we are introducing the children to the new snack area and routine. This will ensure that the children become aware of healthy food choices and independent in the routines of snack time with helpful visual prompts to support their understanding Visit Hungry Little Minds to find out how regular daily routines can be fun for young children at <https://hungrylittleminds.campaign.gov.uk/#2>

**Wednesday
6th October**

Join in with our **Wednesday Stay and Play sessions today** for babies and toddlers, with indoor and outdoor play and a great opportunity for parents/carers with **babies and toddlers** to meet other parents/carers in the local community. To book a place email office@strongclose.co.uk or telephone 01535 605272.



**Thursday 7th
October**



In **blue, green and yellow** rooms in the last few weeks the children have been involved in sensory play by using teapots with flavoured teabags and adding herbs to the playdough. We will extend their sensory learning this week by exploring cornflour and how it changes when water is added. We will be talking to the children about how sometimes it is a solid and other times runny like a liquid. Why not make your own play dough at home with our recipe on the page below and see <https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/homemade-playdough/z4tdd6f>



**Friday 8th
October**

Watch Laura from **green room** read their core story of Where's Spot. See the video on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/StrongCloseNS/videos>



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The Rough and the Smooth # 42. As well as being huge fun, playing with dough, clay and gloop helps your child to develop muscle tone, develops fine motor skills and helps their pre-writing skills

Download the app at <https://bradford.50thingstodo.org/app/os#>





Playing Together

Cooked Dough Recipe

Strong Close Nursery School, supporting
parents/carers and children playing together

- Put 2 cups of self-raising flour into a bowl
- Add 1 cup of salt
- Add 1 tablespoon of oil
- Add 2 teaspoons of cream of tartar
- Add 2 cups of boiled water and mix until pliable.
- Allow to cool, and store in a well-sealed plastic bag or container.

Have fun playing together!

