



## News Story – Baking in Ramadhan

This week in Preschool we kicked off the third week of Ramadhan with lots of excitement, and even more baking. We discussed with the children about how lucky we are to have so many delicious foods, especially during this special month. The children also shared thoughtful ideas about helping others, being kind, and showing gratitude for all the blessings we have.



Our first big baking adventure was making our very own Eid cookies. We introduced Eid as the joyful celebration that

comes after Ramadhan, and the children were bursting to tell us about their family traditions and all the lovely gifts they receive. They jumped straight into the baking fun, pouring, mixing, and choosing their favourite cookie cutters. The next day, the real magic happened as they decorated their cookies with lots of creativity and even more enthusiasm.

Later in the week, we tried something new: Turkish poğaç! These soft, savoury buns filled with parsley and cheese were a huge hit. The children loved rolling and shaping the dough, proudly showing off their ball-making skills like little bakers in the making.

Our toddlers were just as busy being bakers! They started the week by making crispy buns. We explored each ingredient together, Rice Krispies, chocolate, sprinkles, and cupcake cases before everyone took



turns pouring, mixing, and spooning the mixture into the cases. Of course, the sprinkles were the star of the show, making each bun look extra colourful and fun.

To top it all off, we baked some yummy chocolate chip cupcakes. The toddlers helped name each ingredient as we added it in, cracking the egg, scooping the flour, sprinkling the sugar and gave the batter a very enthusiastic mix before Apa popped them into the oven.

