Fantastic Flannels!

One of the many benefits to introducing flannels has been how confident and independent the children are when using them to clean their hands and face, "they are soft, I like it" says one four-year-old in Kindergarten. Kindergarten staff have noticed how the children clean their faces, looking in the mirror and will ask for help if needed.

Each child has their own flannel dedicated to them throughout the day. Kay, who has been a Nursery Nurse here for over 20 years tells us, "they are cleaner, efficient and user friendly. They are very kind to skin. There's no allergens either." Staff have also mentioned how it helps the children become more independent.

They recognise a flannel and they know what it's for. They are hygienic and washed daily. A member of staff in Kindergarten mentioned that she had noticed the economical impact the flannels have had.

The 0-2 years use the flannels in their kitchen and the children have dedicated pegs for their flannels to prevent cross contamination but to also to cut down on washing when one can be reused throughout the day. Nursery Nurse and fellow Eco-Team Member Emma J adds "the flannels clean their faces better and there's less to throw away."

