Next Week in Nursery Week Beginning 25th March 2024

On Thursday 28th we will be hosting our annual Easter Bonnet parade at school. Your child can bring and wear an Easter bonnet to school that day.

What we will be doing in school

How you can help at home

Topic - Hooves, Claws and Paws

We will finish our topic and see which animals the children still want to find out more about.

We will learn about Spring and discuss what the children have observed.

We will learn about Easter.



Ask your child what they notice about the changing season. Look at the spring pictures below and talk about them together. What can you see?

Talk to your child about the festivals and traditions that you celebrate.
What traditions do you have?

English

We will play games which involve rhyming words.

We will read stories about Spring animals, the season and Easter.



Read rhyming stories and sing rhymes with your child.

Pm... a... spring chicken!
Pm yellow and small.
My feathers are fluffy
and they're keeping me warm.
My legs are not long,
So I'll never be tall,
But I'm a real spring chicken
and I'm having a ball!

<u>Maths</u>

We will count groups of objects and find the number to show the total.

Encourage your child to count groups of objects. They could count groups of toys, socks or Easter eggs!

Additional learning

We will be egg-hunting, egg and spoon racing, making chocolate nests and preparing for Easter.

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It is the WWF Earth Hour on Saturday 23^{rd} March between 8.30 and 9.30pm. Earth Hour is an international movement where millions of people show they care about the future of our planet by switching off their lights to remind us that even small acts can make a big difference. Major landmarks around the world also switch off their lights too. One person can't always change the world but we can if we pull together and work as a team!



Look at some of these ways to help the planet!

Plant flowers for bees and other pollinators like butterflies and hoverflies.

Recycle more - don't just dump everything in the bin.

Don't waste water - it takes energy to clean water.

Don't waste food - one of the world's big problems is good food being dumped.

Switch off the computer and tv - play with your toys, read or play outside.

Love nature - have fun by exploring your garden or the park.

Feed the birds in your garden.

Switch off the lights when you leave a room - it saves energy.

Swap or give away toys and books you don't want anymore - fun for someone else!

Think more, use less! Do I need this toy/huge glass of water/more paper?

If you do any of the above for Earth Hour, please send us a photo for Instagram!

We hope you all have a wonderful Easter break and Happy Easter!

The Nursery Team