



Nursery Weekly Focus

Week Beginning: 10th March 2025

The children have really enjoyed World Book Day and they all looked wonderful dressed up in their bedtime clothes ready for a bedtime story. They particularly enjoyed the hot chocolate and biscuits.

This week, we will continue to focus on our new topic theme of 'Spring', we will learn about changes in this season to look out for.

In Literacy, we will begin with our new story 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. We will listen to the story. We will learn the story through repetition and actions, becoming more confident in our speaking. We will practice our writing skills.

In Maths we will be learning all about the Number 5. We will also look at the different ways we can make 5. We will also learn about the pentagon shape and its properties.

In RE, this week we will continue our new unit on 'Lent - Jesus and his Father'. We will learn about the importance of saying sorry. *With your child, talk about a time when you have said sorry and why it was so important.*

In Understanding the World, we will learn about the lifecycle of a butterfly. The four phases eggs, caterpillars, chrysalis and butterfly.

In expressive Arts & Design, we will take what we have learnt about butterflies to create our own butterfly pictures.

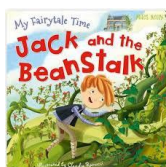
We will recap on setting the expectations of 'Ready, Respectful and Safe' so we will teach the children how to behave in the classroom areas, ensuring they are playing nicely with the other children and being safe.

Focus words this week: Lifecycle, Butterfly, Sorry, Beanstalk, Friends

Talk about the words and what they mean. Can you use these words within a sentence throughout the week?

Focus Story

Jack and the
Beanstalk



Rhyme of the Week:

Five little bunnies

Five little bunnies hopping on the
floor,

(hopping action)

One hopped away,

(hop fingers on floor)

And then there were

four!

(take one bunny puppet away)

Focus: Number - Number 5



Can you count 5 of your toys?

Can you count 5 steps as you go up the stairs?

Can you show your parents 5?

Can you show your parents how you grow 5?

Story Time

Reading books will be changed on Monday.

Please send your child's book bag into
school each day.





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Nursery Staffing Arrangements

The Nursery class is being taught by a Nursery Team of staff: Mrs Bamforth, Mrs Evans (Teacher) and Miss Deb (Teaching Assistant), Mrs Machin (Teaching Assistant), on maternity leave.
If you have any concerns, please contact Mrs Hannett.

Reminder: Nursery Opening Times

Morning Session 8:40-11:40 Afternoon Session 12:20 - 3:20

The gates will be opened to allow parents to bring their child down to classroom and collect from the classroom.

Please ensure, your child arrives and is collected promptly.

This week the children will:

- We will learn 'Five Little Bunnies'
- We will learn the Literacy text 'Jack and the Beanstalk'
- We will learn to retell the story through repetition and actions.
- We will practice our writing skills.
- We will learn all about the number 5.
- We will learn about the Pentagon shape.
- We will begin to learn about the season Spring.
- We will learn about the lifecycle of a butterfly.
- We will design our own butterfly pictures.
- We will role play a Home Corner.
- We will learn to share and wait our turn through snack time.
- We will learn about the importance of saying sorry.
- We will also continue to learn our daily prayers.
- The children will complete PE with Mr Davies on Thursday
- The children will have music with Miss Scoines on a Tuesday and Friday.



Wednesday 12th March - Farm on Wheels

Wednesday 19th March - St Joseph Feast Day - Special Celebration and activities at school. Friday 28th March - CAFOD Big Lent Walk

Thursday 3rd April - Mighty Movements Parent Workshop

AM Group - 9:15-10:15

PM Group - 12:30-1:30

Thursday 10th April - Parents Evening - Book Online for an appointment

Friday 11th April - Easter Culture Day - Details to follow

EASTER BREAK - Monday 14th April - Friday 25th April

SUMMER TERM BEGINS - Monday 28th April