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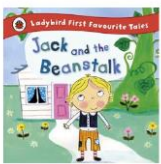
We hope you had a lovely half term break and managed to get out and about to enjoy the outdoors in the Spring weather. Our newsletter keeps you updated with news and events and what we have planned for this half term.

Core books we will be reading this half term

We focus upon particular books each half term to read to the children regularly so that children develop a bank of well known and loved stories.

These stories will be a stimulus for imaginative role play, mark making, creating models and many other learning opportunities.

Sunflowers (3-4 year olds):



Jack and The Beanstalk

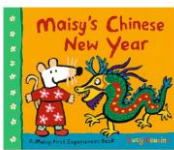


The Little Red Hen

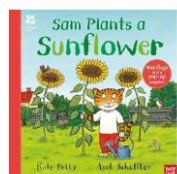


We're Going on an Egg Hunt

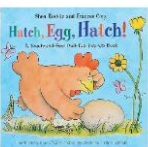
Daisies (2-3 year olds):



Maisy's Chinese New Year



Sam Plants a Sunflower



Hatch, Egg, Hatch!

Easter Holiday Break

We close for the Easter break on **Friday 22nd March**. We look forward to welcoming our families back on **Monday 8th April**.

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World Book Day Wednesday 6th March

The children are welcome to dress up as a character from their favourite book.

There is no need to buy costumes, you could:

- Dress all in brown and draw a nose and whiskers with eye liner to be a bear from 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' or 'Goldilocks'
- Wear a stripy top to be the 'Tiger Who Came to Tea' or 'Humpty Dumpty'
- Wear a witches hat for 'Room on the Broom'
- Wear a hat and coat to be 'Paddington' bear
- Dress all in green to be the 'Very Hungry Caterpillar'

We will be spending lots of time sharing stories together to really bring the event to life. Look out for our Tapestries to update you.

Mothers' Day and World Book Day Work Shop Wednesday 6th March- Sunflowers and Daisies

Part Time Mon, Tues, Wed children- 11:15am

Part Time Wed, Thurs, Fri children- 2:45pm

Full Time children- 2:45pm

Please join us to help us celebrate the special people in our lives as well as World Book Day activities with your child.

Parents Consultation meetings Monday 11th March- Friday 15th March

Parent consultations will be held over the phone, or face to face. Please let your key worker know your preference. We look forward to sharing your child's progress with you. These are for the parents/ carers who last spoke with their key worker in December. If you are unsure if this applies to you, please do ask at any time.

Core Rhymes

Singing rhymes helps children learn about rhythm and rhyme to help with pre reading skills. It is also great fun!

This half term we will be singing:

Sunflowers (3-4 year olds):

Chick, chick, chick, chicken lay a little egg for me, 5 little ducks, Two little dickie birds, sing a song of sixpence

Daisies (2-3 year olds): Teddy bear, teddy bear, turn around, 5 little bears, Jack and Jill

Easter celebrations Mon 18th – Fri 22nd March

Easter activities for all children. We will also be learning about the celebrations people have at Easter time.