



Year R Learning Journey

Week beginning 23rd March



This week our topic will be *Easter*



We will be learning about spring and Easter. We will explore different traditions and how people celebrate Easter in a variety of ways. The children will take part in a range of exciting activities, including singing songs, creating crafts, making chocolate nests, and designing and writing cards. We will also go on a spring walk to look for signs of the new season and observe changes in the natural environment.

In maths we will be learning about numbers to and beyond 20! We will be writing numbers, learning how to order, and we will be practising counting accurately.

Please remember:

* P.E. DAY — Both classes have PE on Monday. Please leave your child's PE kit bag at school. **Please remember to remove all jewellery on this day, or cover earrings with tape.**

* We look forward to **parents evening** this week. If you have not already booked an appointment, please do this as soon as possible. It will be great to share your child's learning with you.

Home Challenges:

- When you are out and about with your child in the park, forest or playground, keep an eye out for signs of spring. Can you spot bees buzzing or birds building their nests and singing cheerful songs? Look closely for spring flowers beginning to bloom. Talk about what you can see, hear or smell...
- Sing some spring songs
[I Like the Flowers - by Beat Boppers Children's Music - YouTube](#)
[I'm a spring chicken - YouTube](#)
- Read every day with your child for at least 15 min. talk about the book and make a record in their reading logs.
- In your child's book bag, you will find a set of new flashcards featuring digraphs (2 letters one sound) to support their reading. Please feel free to cut them up and use them to practise regularly with your child. If your child gets stuck, you can prompt them by saying:
"Special friends, Fred talk, read the word." Encourage your child to read the words fluently and with increasing speed as their confidence grows.

Wishing you all a joyful and relaxing Easter, filled with special moments with your families!