



Dear Parents, Carers and Children,



What a busy week it has been in Nursery!

Thank you to all of the parents and carers that were able to attend the Forest School stay and play on Tuesday afternoon. Wednesday was a day full of Easter excitement with the arrival of the Easter Bunny and an Easter egg hunt in the big playground. The children had a visit from some chicks and got to hold them in their hands and look after them for the day. The PTFA held a tree sapling sale to raise funds for the Nursery too.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Learning how to care for the chicks and handle them gently. Learning how important it is to wash our hands after touching and handling animals.
Communication and Language	Using language associated with Easter.
Physical Development	Stirring cornflakes in a big bowl and mixing them with melted chocolate. Throwing and catching large balls with a partner Following the ball with our eyes when we are waiting to receive the ball from our partner Making the distance between me and partner bigger when we play throw and catch Joining duplo and mega blocks together to make models.
Literacy	Sharing rhyming stories and Easter stories Writing our names and beginning to form some of the letters correctly
Maths	Talking about what happens, first, next and then in the life cycle of a chicken
Understanding the World	Talking about the life cycle of a chicken Noticing changes in the chocolate pieces when they have been put in the microwave and heated
Expressive Arts and Design	Exploring what happens when you put washing up liquid in paint Printing with a circle shaped cutter Making representations of chicks using paint

Upcoming Dates

Monday 13th April	School INSET day Nursery open as usual
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Have a wonderful Easter break and we will see you all in April!

Miss Bush and the Nursery team