

Activities at Playgroup

Dear Parents

Our topics for the period 22nd Feb to 24th March are:

Continuing with different colours, children's interests and seasonal things.

Please let us know of any new interests your child may have.



The areas we will be covering are:

Naming and mixing colours.

Board games involving colours and counting.

Threading and peg boards.

Using scissors.

St David's Day (1st Mar), St Patrick's Day (17th Mar), World Book Day (3rd Mar)

Sport relief Day 18th March - thinking of others.

Mothering Sunday - 6th March - saying thank you.

Easter.

We will be learning the following songs and rhymes:

Incy wincy spider.

2 little dicky birds

I can sing a rainbow.

Chick, chick, chick chick chicken

Chook, chook, chook, chook, good morning Mrs Hen,

and our favourites which at the moment seem to be "10 green bottles",

"Sleeping Bunnies" and other animals, and "Baa, baa black sheep."

You might wish to explore these topics at home, or when you are out and about. We suggest:

Naming colours in the environment.

Finishing your "Colourful Clown" picture. Perhaps you could bring it in to show us.

Looking at flowers coming out or fading, and hedges sprouting. You could pick some twigs and watch them come out indoors in a vase of water.

Thank you to those who brought in their hyacinth to show us. It makes it worthwhile when you see the lovely bright flowers. Also, is your little person's grass hair still growing? Why not give it a trim and add some hands and feet.

Please continue to help the children to bring in something of the appropriate colour each week. This has been very successful so far, so well done!

Visits, special events and dates for your diary.

Colours week beginning 22nd Feb - white

14th Mar - brown

29th Feb - pink

21st Mar - grey

7th Mar - black

We have some book tokens to give out for World Book Day. They can be used from 29th Feb-27th Mar

We are visiting Larkrise Farm West Ashton on Fri 11th March. We will need drivers, please.

We are doing a sponsored circuit in aid of Sport Relief on Fri 18th Mar.

Our Easter Bonnet Parade, Egg Hunt and Coffee Morning is on Tues 22nd March.

Please note that while we have spaces, **Drop-in Sessions** are available at the usual cost of £3.50 per hr, for days when you need a little extra child care. The last day of term is Thurs 24th Mar.

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