

# Nursery Newsletter Spring Term

**Thematic:** We are going to be learning all about new beginnings as we observe the effects of Spring taking place. This shall include:

- Learning about animals and their babies.
- Planting seeds and observing them as they grow.
- Exploring different food and where it comes from.
- What happens during Spring and how this is different to Winter.

**Phonics:** We shall begin to explore some letter sounds and lots of Rhyme, and rhythm activities. We shall also continue to take part in our SALLEY phonics sessions.



**Mathematics:** Part of our maths work will begin to look at how we can represent numbers. In our farm shop children can write their own price tags to sell their food. We shall be using money to buy items.

As our plants begin to grow we shall be using our Shape, Space and Measure skills to compare how tall our plants are growing.

We shall also be counting seeds and helping our farmers to sort them into the correct packets ready to sell in our shop.



## **Spring: I've Got a Spring in My Toe** What new life can we find?



**Literacy:** We are going to be reading a range of books to support our learning including:

- Spring by Ailie Busby
- When Spring Comes by Kevin Henkes
- The Boy Who Lost His Bumble by Trudi Esberger

These are all lovely stories that look at the changes Spring brings. We shall use these stories to support with our writing activities including:

- Plant diaries
- Planting instructions
- Shopping lists

### **Understanding the World:**

We are going to be observing our local environment and looking at the features within it. This will include going on a Spring walk to look for new plants and animals.

We shall also be planting and caring for our own flower.

**P.E:** Please use PE lessons provided by Joe Wicks on a Mon, Weds and Fri. We shall also upload a PE lesson in school each week for you to do at home.

### **Personal, Social and Emotional development:**

Children will be taking part in a range of circle time activities to get to learn about turn taking and listening to other children during conversations.

**Music:** Each week children in school will receive a music lesson. We shall also share this lesson on Google Classroom. Remember to bring your pots and pans, wooden spoon and rice shaker along to the lesson to join in!

### **Seasonal Weather!**

Please remember we use the outdoor environment in all weather conditions. Please ensure your child has the appropriate clothing to access the outdoor learning environment.

### **Google Classroom**



Please remember to access all work being added to Google Classroom. If you are having trouble logging on then please send an email to: [contact.us@causewaygreen.sandwell.sch.uk](mailto:contact.us@causewaygreen.sandwell.sch.uk)

Also remember to attend the google meet each week to say hello to your friends. Upon entering the meet please mute your mic!