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Sunflowers' Newsletter

The children are still highly engaged in our Changing Seasons topic; enjoying watching our plants grow and checking who has moved in to the 'bug hotel'!

Last week the children used the movements of lambs, bees and chicks in a Spring dance. Hopefully you will see some videos of their dancing on the website (the videos will be uploaded by Tuesday evening).

Thank you for sharing some of your Spring finds/activities at home on Tapestry. The children love it when I show their pictures and/or videos to the rest of the class so please keep them coming!

Pilgrimage

Tomorrow, the children will be taking part in a short pilgrimage in aid of Cafod. If you can, please donate £1 towards this worthy cause.

Although we will be praying for some dry weather, please ensure that children have raincoats in school!

Story

This week we will be creating and writing our own stories inspired by 'The Little Spider', a story about a spider who cannot find a home. At home try to help your child to develop their imagination by making up stories eg. if you spot about a snail, perhaps give it a name, talk about where it might have been and where it is going- maybe it has been on some exciting adventures!

Maths: First, Then, Now

This week we will be focusing on the mathematical language 'above', 'next to', 'behind', 'in front of' and 'between' as well as comparing items by length, height, weight. When looking at a book together talk about the position of different things in the pictures and compare the sizes of items in the pictures.

Reading

This week, the children's reading will be assessed to ensure that they are on the correct coloured book for their reading ability and understanding. Continue practising red words with them, I will update the red words video with some new words this week.

Relationship Education: Created and loved by God

In Unit 4 of the 'Live Life to the Full' programme called 'Life Cycles', children explore the natural human cycle of life, focusing on what they can remember so far and what they know will happen as they get older. This is underpinned by the religious understanding that growing up is part of God's plan for our lives, and that we are loved by Him at every life stage.

Thank you for your continued support.