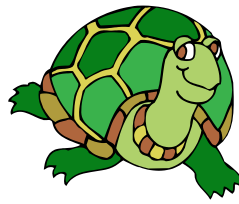


# Foundation Stage Flyer



## Understanding the World

This half term its Easter, Mothers' Day, St David's and St Patrick's Day so we are going to be very busy making lots of secrets!



## Spring is nearly upon us...

As the weather warms up we will be looking for signs of Spring. We are also very excited about waiting to see whether the bulbs we planted grow. Watch out for signs of Spring in our book corner!



## Mathematics

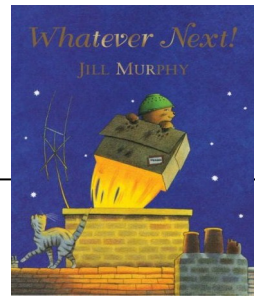
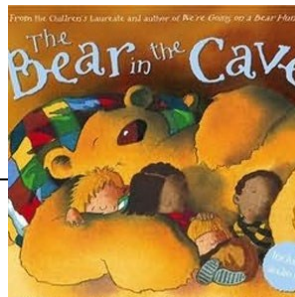
We are learning more about numbers up to 20. We will be ordering, reading and writing these numbers. We are also learning songs to help us to form our numbers correctly. As well as number work we are also going to be beginning to look at time including sequencing our day, days of the week and o'clock times.

## A quick reminder...

Turtles will be swimming on either a Thursday or a Friday so will need their swimming kit (towel and costume). Also if possible children are to come dressed as a Julia Donaldson character to celebrate World Book Day on Friday 8th March. We understand if your child has already chosen a character from a different story. It's the taking part that counts!

## Literacy

Over the next 4 weeks we will be continuing with our RWI on a daily basis. Mrs Tansey has joined our RWI team and will also be teaching a group now. We are really enjoying reading lots of books by different authors. We now know that Michael Rosen and Jill Murphy write fantastic books too. We are also making our own stories with puppets in the puppet theatre. Come and join in!



## At home you could...

- Continue to contribute to the children's 'Home School Diaries' by commenting on things that your child has been doing at home. So far the children have thoroughly enjoyed sharing them with the rest of the class.
- Log onto NORTLE where there are lots of educational games that your child can play, you can find their log in details in their reading diaries <https://www.northumberlandvtle.net/>
- Try this website for some fantastic counting games—<http://www.topmarks.co.uk/Interactive.aspx?cat=1>
- Practise handwriting with your child by using the Read, Write, Inc rhymes to correctly to write the letters remembering to hold the pencil between finger and thumb.
- Keep checking Word Box's for new green, red and alien words. The children are becoming faaaaaantastic at blending together the sounds to read words.