

# Steeple Nursery School

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Focus 6: Growing



# Dates for your diary:



- Jo Jingles: Fri 12<sup>th</sup> April, Fri 10<sup>th</sup> May
- Spring Blitz Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April
   See further information on the final page
- Coffee Get Together Fri 26<sup>th</sup> April
- 'Go Green' Day Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> May
   See further information on the final page
- Sponsored Obstacle Course Wed 15<sup>th</sup> May
   See further information on the final page
- School Holidays Mon 6<sup>th</sup> May
  - Fri 24<sup>th</sup> May Mon 27<sup>th</sup> May
     Return to school on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May
- Streamvale Farm trip (9.10am 1.30pm): Rm 1 Tues 18<sup>th</sup> June
   More details to follow
   Rm 2 Wed 19<sup>th</sup> June
   Rm 3 Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> June

Please keep checking Seesaw regularly as that is our main method of communication and I will be sharing important information regarding upcoming events.

Thank you

We will be learning about life cycles and growth; with a focus on frogs, chickens, butterflies and plants. The children will have the opportunity to plant in the garden, and watch a caterpillar grow into a butterfly.

### **RHYMES**

#### 1. Wiggly Woo

There's a worm at the bottom of my garden And his name is Wiggly - Woo.
There's a worm at the bottom of my garden And all that he can do
Is wiggle all night,
And wiggle all day,
Whatever else the people do say;
There's a worm at the bottom of my garden And his name is Wiggly, Wig-Wig-Wiggly,
Wig-Wig-Wiggly Woo-oo.



#### 2. I Dig My Garden

I dig my garden, I dig, dig, dig. I dig my garden, I dig it deep. I plant my seeds and watch them grow, Along comes a rabbit, Oh No!

He ate my carrots, munch, munch, munch
He ate my carrots, he ate the whole bunch.
I ran to the garden, I shooed, shooed, shooed,
But the rabbit will come back, oh what will I do?!



# 3. Mrs Bunny

Mrs Bunny looks funny when she wriggles her nose
Mrs Bunny looks funny when she wiggles her toes
Two floppy ears and two big feet
I love Mrs Bunny cos she's so neat.
Mrs Bunny stretches, Mrs Bunny flops,
Mrs Bunny hops and hops and hops, and Mrs Bunny hops and stops.



#### 4. 5 Little Peas

5 little peas in a pea pod pressed 1 grew, 2 grew and so did all the rest, They grew and they grew and they did not stop, Until one day the pod went POP!



### 5. Butterfly, Butterfly

Butterfly, butterfly Flutter around Butterfly, butterfly Touch the ground Butterfly, butterfly Fly so free Butterfly, butterfly Land on me Butterfly, butterfly Reach the sky Butterfly, butterfly Say goodbye



### 6. 5 Little speckled frogs

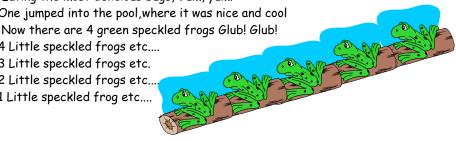
5 Little speckled frogs sat on a speckled log Eating the most delicious bugs, Yum, yum! One jumped into the pool, where it was nice and cool

4 Little speckled frogs etc....

3 Little speckled frogs etc.

2 Little speckled frogs etc....

1 Little speckled frog etc....



# 7. Chick, Chick, Chick, Chicken

Chick, chick, chick, chicken, Lay a little egg for me Chick, chick, chick, chicken I want one for my tea I haven't had one since breakfast And now it's half past three, So chick, chick, chick, chicken. Lay a little egg for me.



#### **ECO NEWS**



#### Spring Blitz

We appreciated all your help during our **Autumn Blitz** and we now invite you to participate in our **Spring Blitz** on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April during your child's session. Any help with brushing, cleaning, planting, tidying up etc will be greatly appreciated, even if you can kindly give 15mins of your time. Keep an eye on seesaw for more information and to give you the opportunity to sign up. Thank you



### Go Green Day

On Friday 3rd May we would encourage you and your child to walk, cycle or scoot to school, or alternatively to park your car further away from the campus on this day. It may be as fast as sitting in traffic and think of the benefits for your health and the savings on

fuel. It will help to reduce congestion and reinforce this ever important eco message to all our children. Your child can also wear green on this day.

#### Customised Shopper Bags

Please keep an eye on Seesaw with information about an exciting opportunity to purchase a very special Steeple Nursery School customised cotton canvas bag.

**Primary Schools** - Once you have received your letter of offer for Primary School can you please inform a member of staff in your child's class what Primary School your child will be attending in September 2024.

# Home Lending Packs

We hope you are all enjoying your Home Lending Packs. Thank you for adhering to the guidelines and taking such good care of them. You will soon be receiving a questionnaire; can you please look out for it, complete it and return it as soon as possible. Thank you

# Fundraising Event

This term we have chosen to focus on fundraising for Emotional Health and Wellbeing. Your child will be taking part in a sponsored Obstacle Course, weather dependent, on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May. This will take place during your child's session, and their class mates and staff will cheer them on. Funds raised will be shared between the charity **Aware NI** and to support emotional wellbeing within our school. More details to follow.

Fund Money for Term 3 (£35) is due by Friday 3rd May. Please place your fund money in the envelope you will receive this week and give it to a member of staff in your child's class. Thank you.

Thank you for all your continued support.