



ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY

Year Group: **Nursery**

Week Beginning: **27th April 2020**

Please find some suggested fun learning activities to do with your family this week. We appreciate and are fully aware that families can only do their best with the technology and resources they have available. 🐦 Please follow our Twitter page and if you would like to share work with us, please include our twitter link @StAnnesCP in your tweet. The main way to share your child's work and activities is through the year group email: s83nursery@st-annes.solihull.sch.uk If you have any queries about other matters, please continue to use Parent Mail: parentmail@st-annes.solihull.sch.uk

Physical Development

Can you crawl like a caterpillar, spin like a cocoon and fly like a butterfly? Can you grow tall like a flower and explode like a bursting bud?

Do you like fruit like the Hungry Caterpillar? What is your favourite fruit? If you have any fruit at home, you could help a grown up to peel it and chop it up to make a fruit cocktail.

Wake and Shake 'Spring Time Dance' on website:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=udrIY0nts-E>

Communication & Language

Speaking and listening underpins all of these activities. Make time to talk, have conversations and ask questions about daily life, activities, stories, games and movies etc.

Personal Social & Emotional

Easter is a spring time celebration of joy and happiness because Jesus is alive. Think of times that you and your family have felt joy and happiness e.g. times we have laughed and smiled.

Look back at photographs of family fun times. Talk about what is happening in each picture.

Can you make and pull some silly faces to make each other laugh and smile?

Literacy

Read the story book or watch the story 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' by Eric Carle on website: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=75NQK-Sm1YY>

Do a book review together, you can talk about the story, make your own book review on paper or find a template on Twinkl:
<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-t-5573-the-very-hungry-caterpillar-book-review-writing-frame>

Who is the main character? Where is the story set? What happens first? What happens next? What happens last? Did you like the book? What was your favourite part of the story?

Pyjamarama Day is a reading celebration happening on Friday 1st May. Please find fun reading activities on website:
<https://www.booktrust.org.uk/books-and-reading/have-some-fun/pyjamarama/pyjamarama-activities/>

Seasons



Maths

On your daily walk see who can spot the tallest flower e.g. a Daffodil, who can find the shortest flower e.g. a Daisy.



If you find any Daisies with help you can make a daisy chain. Whose is the longest daisy chain? Whose is the shortest daisy chain? Take photographs or draw a picture to show the tallest or shortest.

How many jumps, hops or star jumps can you do in one minute? Record on paper.



Understanding the World

Watch, listen and join in with song 'Spring is Here' on website:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DobrRgD5aOU>

Go on a family walk and see if you can spot any signs of spring. You could draw a picture, gather some real life objects or take a photograph of some of the things that you have found. How has the environment and the weather changed since Winter?

Have you learnt any new vocabulary linked to spring time?

Expressive Art and Design

Use paper to draw and cut out a butterfly shape. Can you decorate your butterfly wings to make it the same on both sides? You can find a template on website: <https://www.template.net/design-templates/animal-templates/butterfly-shape-templates/>

If you have any junk at home you could use e.g. empty yogurt pot, empty egg box, cardboard cereal box etc. you could make models of different signs of spring e.g. flowers, bumblebees, caterpillars and butterflies, tadpoles and frogs, birds and nests.

Religious Education

Read the Easter story from the Bible or watch the Easter story on website:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories/lets-celebrate-easterperformance>

Use the Bible App for Kids @bibleappforkids. This can be downloaded on to phones or tablets.

Talk with your child about the great joy and happiness that people felt when they realised Jesus was alive again. Easter is a time of joy and happiness and we can celebrate by using a special Easter word, 'Alleluia'.

Introduce and sing this simple alleluia song.

"Alleluia, praise the Lord. Alleluia, praise the Lord.

Alleluia, praise the Lord. Thank you God Amen".

Daily Prayer

Praying Together

It would be lovely if at 9am every morning we all join with our families in saying the Morning Offering:

Oh my God I give to you,

All that I think and say and do.

All my work and happy play

I offer to you my God today.

Amen.

By doing this, although we can't be together Physically, we will be together as a school family in prayer.

Purple Mash for Nursery



COMING SOON