

# Bessemer Primary School Newsletter



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## Nursery Newsletter 22/3/24

### Our Week

We have had a really exciting week! We talked about Spring and the differences we will now see in our environment. We then went on a Spring walk around our playground and the nature garden looking for signs of Spring. We also enjoyed creating observational paintings of spring flowers on our creative tables and mixing colours. Later on in the week, we had Forest School and we went on a bear hunt. Some of the bears we found were really high up so we used our problem-solving skills to get them down.



## Song of the Week

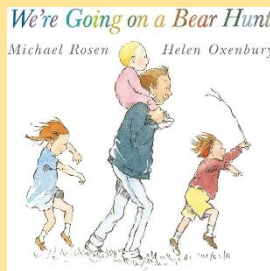
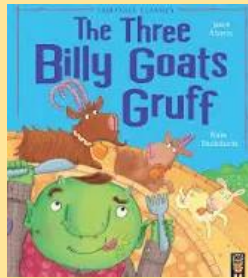
### **Chick Chick Chicken**

Chick chick  
chick chick chicken  
lay a little egg for me  
chick chick  
chick chick chicken  
I want one for my tea

I haven't had an  
egg since Easter  
and now it's half past three  
so, chick chick  
chick chick chicken  
lay a little egg for me



## Books this half-Term



## Key Vocabulary

This week we have been learning about the story, 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'. This is the vocabulary that we have been teaching and using with the children. Please continue using this vocabulary at home with your child.

cave  
river  
snowstorm  
spring

## Listening & Attention - Voice Sounds

This week we have continued to explore speech sounds and how we use our mouths to make the sounds. This helps the children to distinguish vocal sounds and will support them in their learning when they begin to orally segment and blend.

### Home Challenge!

When reading a story such as *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*, encourage the children to make different sounds for the characters and the different sounds they hear in the story.

## Things to remember

### Reading

Parents/carers are expected to share books with their child every day. Please ensure you are writing in the yellow reading record daily so children can earn rewards for the frequency of their reading.

### Book Changing Day

Ladybird- **Wednesday**

Butterfly- **Thursday**

Please ensure your child brings their book bags daily in case there are any last-minute changes.

### Key Dates for the Diary

22.03.24-28.03.24 - Book Fair in school

28.03.24 - Last day of term

15.04.24 - Inset day

Many thanks,

The Nursery Team

