

Explorers @ St George's

It's been a Baa Baa filled week in Nursery. The children have enjoyed singing and adding percussion to the much loved Nursery rhyme and lots of fantastic sheep collages and paintings have been created – keep an eye on the displays!

Next steps

Over the next week we will continue to enjoy Nursery rhymes with learning planned around the popular songs 'I'm a Little Teapot' and 'Polly put the Kettle on.' The children will explore different printing shapes to decorate teapot pictures, create playdough cupcakes and enjoy tea party role play. In our maths learning older children will be counting sugar lumps into tea cups and adding the right number of bags to the pot while younger children match the cups and saucers by colour.

Ideas for home.....

Nursery rhymes are an important part of early literacy; the rhythms and repetitive language in the rhymes will help your child as they develop speech, pronunciation and language skills. The Literacy Trust "Words for Life" website has a page dedicated to 'songs and rhymes' you can find it at -

www.wordsforlife.literacytrust.org.uk

- ✓ Take a Nursery rhyme CD out in the car and sing together - apologies to any teenagers in the car!
- ✓ Watch Nursery rhyme DVD's and TV programmes together, repetition is important for your child, they need to repeat to help them learn so be prepared for a few viewings!
- ✓ Download Nursery rhyme apps* to your phone or tablet, your child will enjoy learning while you catch a quiet five minutes!

* always check content of apps and websites before your child sees them.

Reminder

If your child receives thirty hour or Golden Ticket funding don't forget to provide their funding code and your national insurance number. All codes must be received by Friday 21st September.

Can you help?

Our dry pasta stocks are running low any donations would be much appreciated – economy and saver packs are great!



Many thanks for your continuing support,
Miss Gander, Mrs Brace and the Nursery Team

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