



Dear Reception,

We hope you have all had a lovely time with your families over Easter. We hope you were lucky and got some eggs from the Easter Bunny. Thank you for sending us photos of some of the exciting things you've done with your families. We loved seeing the fantastic work you showed us and photos of your amazing cooking and creative activities on Tapestry.

Have you noticed lots of teddy bears in the windows of the houses you pass when you go out for walks, scooting or bike rides with your families? We have had fun spotting them as we walk around where we live. They remind us of one of our favourite Reception stories, 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt.' If you haven't got that book you can find Michael Rosen telling his famous story on You Tube: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0gyl6ykDwds>.

We thought you might like making your own bear hunt at home using your bears or cuddly toys. One person can hide the toys and give clues for the rest of the family to follow and see who finds the most toys. If you're feeling brave you could ask someone to write down clues for you to read and find the bears that way.

We know how much you love to draw so you might like to try drawing a bear. Follow the link to find the Kids Hub and draw a teddy bear with Hads, just like we do at school: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=COFaQ58oTbE>. We know how much you enjoy doing Cosmic Kids yoga too so we're sure you'll really enjoy doing We're Going on a Bear Hunt: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KAT5NiWHFIU>

We would love to see some photos or drawings of you and your bears. Perhaps you could write a sentence or two about your teddy bear or favourite cuddly toy in your green book and send them to show us on Tapestry.

We miss you and send you lots and lots of love

From Miss Thompson, Mrs Sanderson, Miss MacKellar, Miss Stenhouse, Mrs S., Mrs Stevens, Miss Bain and Miss Glenn

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