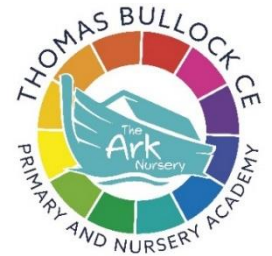


The Ark Nursery Newsletter



This week

After settling back in and having lots of discussions surrounding our Easter breaks, we explored the new areas in our classrooms. We explored our outdoor environment, looking for signs of spring, we spotted more blossom than we saw before Easter, lots of green leaves and a field full of daisies and dandelions! To consolidate our RE learning surrounding Easter, we talked about the different ways Easter is celebrated. We then measured out ingredients for, mixed and kneaded dough to make a giant hot cross bun. With Mrs Taylor, we played a super fun game of 'baby guess who' where we had to match our class members to the baby photos.



Next week

We will continue with our literacy sessions focused around the book 'Errol's Garden'. Our phonics sounds will be 'v' and 'y'. We will look at positional language during our maths sessions. In the afternoons, we will continue exploring plants and life cycles, comparing baby to adult and begin our learning surrounding religious hats.

Learning links at home

- Try growing some plants or flowers at home. You could try planting some seeds in a pot and putting it on a sunny window sill. Remember to give your seeds some water! Cress seeds grow quite quickly or you could try planting some flowers. We have lots of seeds at school, just let us know if you'd like some to plant at home!
- Go for a walk with a grown-up around a garden or park. Look carefully to see what plants and flowers you can see growing. You could take some photos or draw some pictures of the things you see.