



Newsletter: March

“The best classroom and the richest cupboard is roofed only by the sky.” Margaret McMillan

Our theme this month is: ‘Spring’

Welcome to our March newsletter. We hope you enjoyed our Valentines themed session in February as much as we did. The cupcake decorating station was very popular!

This month we are celebrating all things Spring as the gardens begin to wake up after their long winter sleep. There are lots of signs of spring around and if you look closely you might spot some blossom. If the weather is with us, we will be getting out and about in the Stay and Play garden.

We have rich dark soil, tiny spring bulbs, spades and watering cans aplenty, all waiting for you and your child - so come along and get mucky!

Run and jump in the Garden!

There is lots to see, hear, feel and smell outside and in gardens at this time of year as the bulbs are beginning to grow up through the ground and burst into colour and the birds are busy building nests or feeding their young. In our Nursery garden we have lots of sunny yellow daffodils and the tulips are beginning to show their buds. We are very proud of our large secure outside space, which is just perfect for your child to run and jump and generally let off steam!

We have our spring spotter sheets available again if you wish to explore the garden.

Stay and Play ‘to go’

This is a very simple way to create a wonderfully smooth, temporary paint which can be used in the bath or outdoors on patio doors. If you are painting in the bath, ensure the use of a non-slip bath mat (with or without water in the bath).

You will need:

- 1 small cup of shaving foam per colour (or a muffin tin works just as well)
- Food colouring
- Various brushes (or just use fingers!)

Mix a few drops of your chosen colour into the shaving foam.
Paint and enjoy!

When your little ones have finished painting, simply rinse off with water. If you are painting outdoors, this could lead to a secondary activity by providing a bowl of water and sponges to wash the glass.

Song Time

Spring Song (sung to the tune of ‘The Farmer’s in his Den’)

The sun is shining bright,
The sun is shining bright.
Oh how I love the warmth
The sun is shining bright.

The rain is falling down,
The rain is falling down.
Oh how I love the sound,



The rain is falling down.

The flowers start to bloom,
The flowers start to bloom.
Oh how I love the sight,
The flowers start to bloom.





Upcoming Stay and Play dates:

All sessions run from 09.30am-11.00am. Please visit <https://theabbey.co.uk/events/> for more information and to book your child's place.

13 May 2022
10 June 2022

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