



Next Steps @ St Johns



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This week at Nursery . . .

28th March 2024

This week has been super 'egg-citing!!'

We have been busy creating Easter cards and decorating Easter chick biscuits.

In Maths we have been 'eggsporing' repeating patterns, by decorating eggs with coloured pasta and continuing patterns with Easter pictures.



We have had an 'eggstra' special visitor at nursery - the Easter Bunny came to see us and she needed help to find eggs which had been lost in the nursery playground and the school studio!

Easter Bonnets

On Tuesday, we had another special visitor; Mrs Monks came up to nursery to see all the lovely Easter bonnets that the children had been busy making.

The children were keen to tell her all about how they made them and what materials they used. The children were very proud to show them off and we have all been really impressed by their creativity.

Mrs Monks had the difficult task of judging the competition and she wished she could have chosen them all as she was so impressed!



The winners were:

Rory Br
Albie L
Leo P

Well done to everyone!

Wishing you all a very Happy Easter!
Love from the Next Steps Team xxx



Easter

A reminder that the nursery will be closed between Friday 29th March - Monday 8th April inclusive and will re-open on Tuesday 9th April.

As the school will still be closed on 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th April, please let us know if your child will not be attending on any of these days. As the school kitchen will be closed, please also remember to provide a packed lunch. Thank you.





Funding

Please remember to renew or apply for the Working Family funding for the Summer Term, (from 1st April).

The deadline is 31st March 2024.
www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/

Please note, funding starts at the beginning of the term after the child's 2nd Birthday. As we are open all year round, this funding will cover up to 12 hours per week

Nursery Closure Dates

Please note the following dates when the nursery will be closed:

Easter: Friday 29th March - Monday 8th April inclusive.
 Nursery will re-open on Tuesday 9th April.

Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday
 Monday 27th May: Bank Holiday

Summer Closure: 5th August - 16th August inclusive.
 Nursery will re-open on Monday 19th August.

26th August: Bank Holiday

